## 14 Metro Bus Lines Accident-Free in First Quarter

(Oct. 30, 2001) Operators driving 14 Metro Bus lines posted accident-free records during the July – September period, including the operators of four Division 3 routes.

Maintaining top position were the operators of Division 3's Line READ metro 201 (Silver Lake Blvd.) – with 21 months and more than 300,000 miles of accident-free operation. But, the operators of Division 3's Line 175 (Fountain Ave./Hyperion Ave), Line 176 (Glassell Park/El Monte) and Line 255 (Griffin Ave./Rowan Ave.) also had no traffic accidents.

The lines with the highest accident-free mileage during the first quarter of FY 2002 were Line 471 (Puente Hills Mall/Brea Mall) out of divisions 1 and 9 with 78,577 miles, Line 202 (Willowbrook/Wilmington) out of Division 18 with 71,193 miles and Line 209 (Van Ness Ave/Arlington Ave.) out of Division 5 with 52,194 miles.

Other accident-free lines for the period were Line 22, Division 6, with 36,766 miles; Line 112, Division 5, with18,384 miles; Line 124, Division 18, with 49,124 miles; Line 170, Division 9 with 51,509 miles; Line 250, Division 10, with 23,440 miles; Line 264, Division 9, with 25,596 miles; and Line 620, Division 10, with 17,908 miles.

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