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MEDIA ADVISORY

NEW RECOGNITION PROGRAM FOR EMPLOYEES MTA CELEBRATES 20 YEARS OF ACCESSIBLE SERVICE FOR PATRONS IN WHEELCHAIRS

WHAT:

The MTA and local elected officials will present the Accessible Service Milestone Award pin to eight MTA bus operators who demonstrated their commitment to safety, courtesy and outstanding customer service to MTA's physically challenged passengers. This is part of the Employee Recognition Program developed to recognize and award employees who exemplify excellent work performance such as safety in the workplace, professional and respectful treatment of customers and providing world class transit service to the residents of Los Angeles county.

The program also will honor supervisory staff and division teams with quarterly and annual awards for best operating performance, goal attainment, best safety record and best attendance.

WHEN:

Wednesday, March 7, 2001

10 a.m.

WHERE:

MTA Division 3 630 W. Avenue 28

Cypress Park Los Angeles, CA Map: TG 594 J-6

WHO:

Thomas Conner, MTA Executive Officer Transit Operations

Gayle Greenberg, representing U.S. Congressman Xavier Becerra

Paul Lennon, Managing Director Systems Safety & Security

Goldy Norton, UTU Spokesperson

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