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Representative Lucy Allen
Representative Pryor Gibson
Senator Dan Clodfelter
Senator Bob Atwater
Jeff Hudson, Commission Counsel

RE: Annual Report to the Environmental Review Commission Regarding Progress Toward Senate Bill 953 Goal

Pursuant to Session Law 1999-328, The Ambient Air Quality Act, please find attached the Annual Report On Progress Toward Senate Bill 953 Goal of reducing the growth of commute vehicle miles of travel by 25% as of June 30, 2009. I am pleased to report that we achieved the legislative goal, with an actual reduction of 25.2 percent in the growth of commute vehicle miles of travel between 2000 and 2009.

Included in the annual report is information on several related items, including the GoPass Program for State employees, the ShareTheRideNC.org rideshare matching website, and the Best Workplaces for Commuters Program. There is also information contained in the annual report regarding the 2008-2009 activities of the Transportation Demand Programs in the State as well as other TDM related activities such as the LYNX commuter rail in Charlotte and the R-Line circulator bus service in Raleigh.

Sincerely,

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