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TCA Names Schneider National a *Best Fleet to Drive For*

GREEN BAY, Wis. - February 17, 2010 - Schneider National, Inc. announced today it earned recognition as one of the best workplaces for truck drivers by the Truckload Carriers Association (TCA). In the award's second year, the TCA – in conjunction with CarriersEdge – surveyed for-hire trucking companies to identify 17 North American *Best Fleets to Drive For*.

To be eligible for this distinction, fleets had to be nominated by at least one of their drivers (company or owner-operator). CarriersEdge surveyed the nominated fleets, compiled research data and evaluated each carrier on the range, depth and overall effectiveness of its driver programs.

“The data that emerged [from the second annual survey] has been very useful to the industry in terms of identifying trends on where things are headed,” said Chris Burruss, president of TCA. According to the TCA the survey also provides a glimpse into the innovative programs carriers are operating to recruit and retain drivers.

Schneider employs drivers and owner-operators in its Van Truckload, Regional, Expedited, Dedicated, Bulk and Intermodal divisions.

Husband and wife team drivers Joey and Terri Lynch agree Schneider is a best fleet to drive for based on the company's stability and openness. “Schneider has been very fair to us over the 17 ½ years we've been with them,” explained Terri Lynch. “We work as hard as the hours of service will allow us, and Schneider makes sure we get the miles and time at home we need. They're a stable company that has its act together and listens to its drivers.”

“People have this impression that if you're with a big company, you're just a number,” added Joey Lynch. “I can tell you firsthand that Schneider values our individual opinions. We've sat in on Driver Advisory Groups and have seen Schneider respond to driver ideas and concerns. Schneider's open-door policy makes all the difference.”



Equally important to drivers is compensation. Schneider bases pay on experience level, tenure and performance. Company driver associates average 102,000 miles per year and are compensated by mile, while owner-operators average 109,000 miles per year and can choose between percent-of-revenue or mileage-based contracts. Bonuses are available based on driver performance against operational metrics for safety, fuel and customer service.

“This award recognizes every office, maintenance and driving associate at Schneider National. From the Driver Business Leaders and Driver Advisory Teams to the benefits and recruiting specialists, we strive to provide our drivers with the tools, programs, technology and equipment needed to succeed,” said Mike Hinz, vice president for Schneider National. “Being named a *Best Fleet* during our 75th anniversary year is an honor and an exciting way to highlight the variety of driving positions available with Schneider. With our broad portfolio of services we have positions for drivers looking to be on the road as much as possible or those who want to be home weekly or more.”

In March the TCA will announce the names and recognize the fleets with the highest-scoring surveys in the respective Owner-Operator and Company Driver categories. The two overall winners will be named at TCA’s annual convention in Las Vegas, Nev.

To learn more about driving positions and benefits at Schneider National, please visit www.schneiderjobs.com.

About Schneider National, Inc.

Schneider National, Inc. is a premier provider of truckload, logistics and intermodal services. Serving more than two-thirds of the FORTUNE 500 companies, Schneider National offers the broadest portfolio of services in the industry. The company’s transportation and logistics solutions include Van Truckload, Dedicated, Regional, Bulk, Intermodal, Transportation Management, Supply Chain Management, Warehousing and International Logistics services.

Headquartered in Green Bay, Wis., Schneider National has provided expert transportation and logistics solutions for 75 years. A \$3.7 billion company, Schneider National conducts business in more than 28 countries worldwide. For more information about Schneider National, visit www.schneider.com.

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About Truckload Carriers Association

TCA is the only national trade association whose collective sole focus is the truckload segment of the motor carrier industry. The association represents dry van, refrigerated, flatbed and intermodal container carriers operating in the 48 contiguous states as well as Alaska, Mexico and Canada. Representing operators of more than 200,000 trucks, which collectively produce annual revenue of more than \$20 billion, TCA is an organization tailored to specific truckload carrier needs.

About CarriersEdge

CarriersEdge is the leading provider of online driver quality improvement solutions. Comprised of online testing, training and reporting tools, along with expert business analysis and consulting services, CarriersEdge allows trucking companies to improve business performance by improving driver quality, and to do so without the compromises required by traditional alternatives.

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