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*****MEDIA ADVISORY*****
Important Notice to South Florida Visitors About 95 Express

Miami, FL – This holiday season, visitors to South Florida will notice a change on I-95 in Miami-Dade County. The new northbound 95 Express lanes are open and collecting tolls between SR 836 / Dolphin Expressway, near downtown Miami, and the Golden Glades area, north of 151st Street.

The express lanes consist of the two left-most northbound lanes. Entrances to the express lanes are from:

- northbound I-95 (south of SR 112 / I-195),
- eastbound SR 112 / I-195
- and the NW 10th Avenue on ramp at NW 39th Street.

There are no other entrance points, and upon entry, there are no exit points south of NW 151st Street. Tolls are collected electronically. Drivers must have a SunPass transponder unless they are a registered three-plus car pool, vanpool or hybrid vehicle. Motorcycles can use these lanes for free.

Motorists are urged to follow these safety tips when using 95 Express:

- Plan ahead. Visit www.95express.com for detailed information about these lanes and how to use them
- Do not use the express lanes if you need to exit I-95 anywhere between SR 836 / Dolphin Expressway and NW 151st Street
- If you unintentionally enter the express lanes, stay calm and proceed to the exit point north of 151st Street
- **Do not** attempt to drive between the plastic poles separating express lanes from the local lanes—this is potentially hazardous to yourself and other drivers.
- Do not stop on I-95 at any time
- Be alert and pay attention to all advisories, signage, pavement markings and posted speed limits (The speed limit in the express lanes is 55 mph)

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For a detailed overview of the 95 Express, please visit www.95express.com or call the 24-hour Hot Line at 1-877-95X-FDOT (1-877-959-3368).

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