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**FOURTEEN FEDEX DRIVERS EARN HONORS
AT THE CONNECTICUT STATE TRUCK DRIVING CHAMPIONSHIP**
Winners Demonstrate Commitment to Safety and Professionalism

SOMERS, Conn. – June 15, 2009 – Fourteen drivers representing FedEx Corp. (NYSE: FDX) operating companies placed among the winners at the 2009 Connecticut State Truck Driving Championship in Somers on June 13.

- FedEx Express driver **Roland Bolduc** (Windsor Locks) captured the top spot in the 3-Axle class to win his eighth state title – the most by any driver for FedEx Express.
- FedEx Ground contractor **Dennis Lavallee** (Hartford) won the Step Van class for his third state title.
- FedEx Ground contractor **Karen Roderick** (Hartford) earned her second state title in three years with a win in the Straight Truck class.
- FedEx Freight driver **Tom Griffin** (New Haven) earned first place in the 5-Axle Sleeper class for the second straight year.
- FedEx Freight driver **Paul Brandon** (New Haven) won the Flatbed class.
- **Andrew Martin** (FedEx Express, Stamford) and **Cruz Vazquez** (FedEx Freight, New Haven) finished second and third, respectively, in the Straight Truck class.
- FedEx Ground contractor **Bruce Brailsford** (New Haven) was second in the Step Van class.
- **Tim Cohen**, a driver for FedEx Ground contractor Keith Herzig (Hartford), came in second in the 4-Axle class. Three other drivers for Keith Herzig posted third-place finishes in their respective classes:

Bert Howard (5-Axle Sleeper), **Eric Gothing** (Twins) and **Raymond Ramsey** (5-Axle).

- FedEx Express driver **Brian Chick** (Windsor Locks) was third in the 4-Axle class.
- FedEx Freight driver **Barron Cromartie** (Hartford) placed third in the 3-Axle class.

Bolduc, Lavallee, Roderick, Griffin and Brandon will go on to compete at the American Trucking Associations' 2009 National Truck Driving Championships (NTDC), known as the "Super Bowl of Safety" August 18-22, 2009 in Pittsburgh. In addition, each state winner will be recognized by FedEx as part of its safe driving initiative, *The Chairman's Challenge*.

The Connecticut State Truck Driving Championship is an opportunity for professional truck drivers to demonstrate their driving skills and commitment to safety. The event includes a difficult driving skills test, pre-trip inspection and written examination covering vehicle operation and knowledge of federal safety regulations.

In 2008, 70 driving professionals from 36 states representing FedEx Freight, FedEx National LTL, FedEx Ground, FedEx Express and FedEx Custom Critical qualified to compete at the National Truck Driving Championships by winning their respective state's competition and driving accident-free for at least one year. FedEx drivers captured National Champion titles in the Tank Truck, 4-Axle and Twins classes and the NTDC Rookie of the Year honor. In addition, FedEx drivers earned three additional top-three finishes in their respective vehicle classes.

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