



## California Trucking Association

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### **California Trucking Association Applauds Passage of Transportation Package**

**SACRAMENTO**--Shawn Yadon, CEO of the California Trucking Association, issued the following statement today in response to the passage of SB1, the historic transportation funding package that will raise \$52 billion over a 10-year period to fund crucial infrastructure projects:

“The California Trucking Association is proud to stand with Governor Jerry Brown, Assembly and Senate leadership, the chairmen of the Senate and Assembly Transportation committees and other important business leaders in applauding the passage of this critical funding agreement.

“This transportation package is a win for all Californians, including the trucking industry, which has been significantly impacted by our deteriorating roads and infrastructure. The funding options provided in this measure will give our state a prudent and reliable revenue source to fix our roads and keep goods moving in and through California.”

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#### **About the California Trucking Association**

The California Trucking Association has been serving the commercial motor carrier industry in California, and the companies that provide products and services to the trucking industry, for 82 years. A critical and vital component of California's economy, 78 percent of California communities depend solely on trucks to deliver their goods. Our carrier membership ranges from individual owner-operators, to small for-hire fleets, to the largest national and international carriers. Allied members of the California Trucking Association range from businesses involved with truck and trailer sales, parts and service, insurance, legal services and all other businesses that support the trucking industry.

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*The California Trucking Association promotes leadership in the California motor carrier industry, advocates sound transportation policies to all levels of government, and works to maintain a safe, environmentally responsible and efficient California transportation goods movement system.*