TORONTO TRANSIT COMMISSION REPORT NO.

MEETING DATE: FEBRUARY 17, 2010

SUBJECT: AWARD OF MERIT - OPERATOR NAZIH KANAAN

INFORMATION ITEM

RECOMMENDATION

Chair Adam Giambrone will present an Award of Merit to Operator Nazih Kanaan at the February 17th Commission meeting.

FUNDING

There are no funding requirements.

BACKGROUND

On December 25, 2009, at 4:30 p.m., Queensway Operator Nazih Kanaan was operating his bus at Royal York Road and Dealesford when he observed a female attempting to jump from a bridge. Nazih immediately secured his vehicle and ran towards the woman. The woman already had one leg over the bridge railing when Nazih pulled her back and prevented her from jumping. Nazih then escorted the woman to the safety of his bus and comforted the woman until the arrival of police. Police later attended and transported the woman to hospital.

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