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OVERTURNED TRACTOR TRAILER ON-RAMP 13/32 BYPASS

SUFFOLK, VA (October 22, 2015) Suffolk Police and Suffolk Fire & Rescue were on the scene earlier this morning working an accident involving an overturned tractor trailer at the on-ramp eastbound of the 13/32 Bypass.

Emergency Communications received the call advising of the accident at 11:30 a.m. The flat-bed tractor trailer was hauling lumber which spilled onto the roadway. Suffolk Fire & Rescue personnel had to cut the windshield from the vehicle in order to extricate the adult male driver. He was ground transported to Sentara Norfolk General Hospital with non-life threatening injuries.

Suffolk Police and crews from Public Works remain on scene as the lumber is removed from the roadway and detours are currently in place. The roadway is anticipated to remain closed until approximately 7:00 p.m.

The cause of the accident is under investigation.

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