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UPDATE

SUFFOLK, Va. (April 27, 2009) Police continue to work to clear this accident. Investigation has revealed that the truck was carrying an approximate 40,000 lb. load (possibly water heaters). The driver was transported to Sentara Obici Hospital with minor injuries.

Rt. 58 By-Pass West Closed Due to Accident

SUFFOLK, Va. (April 27, 2009) –West bound Rt. 58 is closed between the landfill and Wilroy Rd. due to an overturned tractor trailer. The single vehicle accident occurred just before 5 a.m. and has all west bound lanes blocked.

The driver is out of the vehicle and is alert. The truck is reported to be unloaded. Unknown at this time how long police anticipate the roadway to be closed. Traffic is being rerouted onto the downtown Suffolk exit.

Additional information will be released as it becomes available.

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