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NEWS RELEASE

The International Bridge Administration today announced that one-way traffic crossings of the International Bridge at Sault Ste. Marie totaled 198,364 for the month of August 2011. This represents an increase of 8.3% as compared to August 2010.

Traffic statistics for the month are as follows:

<i>Vehicle Classification</i>	<i>One-Way Crossings</i>	<i>Change from August 2010</i>	<i>Percent of Total Crossings</i>
<i>Full-Fare Passenger Cars:</i>	99,065	3.4%	49.9%
<i>Commuter Fare:</i>	82,413	17.2%	41.5%
<i>Car Pulling Trailers</i>	9,081	-1.4%	4.7%
<i>Commercial Trucks:</i>	7,805	-0.7%	3.9%
<i>Totals:</i>	198,364	8.3%	100.0%

Traffic for calendar year 2011 has totaled 1,326,602 vehicles; this represents an increase of 10.71% as compared to 2010. Since the bridge opened in 1962, over 91.2 million vehicles have crossed the structure.

Sincerely,

International Bridge Administration

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