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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 109,318 for the month of February 2015. This represents a decrease of 21.3%, a difference of 29,575 crossings, as compared to February 2014.

An analysis of traffic statistics for the month reveals the following:

<i>Vehicle Classification</i>	<i>One-Way Crossings</i>	<i>Change from February 2014</i>	<i>Percent of Total Crossings</i>
<i>Full-Fare Passenger Cars:</i>	38,067	-26.9%	34.8%
<i>Commuter Fare:</i>	62,988	-17.5%	57.6%
<i>Car Pulling Trailers</i>	1,032	-13.5%	1.0%
<i>Commercial Trucks:</i>	7,231	-22.4%	6.6%
<i>Totals:</i>	109,318	-21.3%	100.0%

Traffic for calendar year 2015 has totaled 231,125 vehicles; this represents a decrease of 19% as compared to 2014.

Sincerely,

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