## Arkansas Commercial Truck Safety and Education Program Applications Now Available

LITTLE ROCK (November 30, 2014) -- The Arkansas State Highway Commission is pleased to announce the first application cycle for the Arkansas Commercial Truck Safety and Education Program.

Act 1176 of 2013 authorized the Arkansas Commercial Truck Safety and Education Program (ACTSEP). The purpose of this act is to advance State interests in roadway safety by proposing to improve the safety of the commercial truck industry through cooperative public private programs that focus on increased enforcement, regulatory compliance, industry training, and educational programs to ensure the safe movement of goods on Arkansas highways.

The ACTSEP is funded with the first \$2 million collected annually from a 15 percent registration fee increase for certain trucks operating in Arkansas under the International Registration Plan.

Beginning December 1, 2014, project applications can be obtained from:

www.ArkansasHighways.com/ACTSEP.aspx

or

Arkansas Commercial Truck Safety and Education Program c/o Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department Program Management Division P. O. Box 2261

Little Rock, AR 72203-2261

Applications can also be obtained in Room 501 of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department Central Headquarters building located at 10324 Interstate 30 (Exit 130) in Little Rock, or by calling, faxing or emailing to the following:

Telephone: (501) 569-2261 Telefax: (501) 569-2623 Email: LFPA@ahtd.ar.gov

Applications must be received at the address shown above by February 2, 2015 at 4:00 p.m. Central Daylight Time to be considered for funding.