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AAMVA Welcomes Arizona Official as Chair of the AAMVA International Board of Directors

Arlington, VA – During its 79th Annual International Conference in Charlotte, North Carolina, the American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators (AAMVA) elected Stacey Stanton, of the Motor Vehicle Division of the Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT-MVD), as Chair of its International Board of Directors. Stanton's career in public service began in 1985 where she worked as a legislative research staff member and aide to the State Senate President. Stanton later transitioned into the motor vehicle industry, where she was appointed as Deputy Director for the Maricopa County Auto License Department in 1993 and Director of MVD for ADOT in 1999.

"We are very excited to have Stacey Stanton leading us into 2013 as AAMVA Chair," said AAMVA President & CEO Neil Schuster. "Her background, along with her enthusiasm and commitment to public service, will benefit AAMVA greatly in the year ahead."

As the Division Director of the Motor Vehicle Division (MVD), Stanton oversees and manages over 1,000 employees and the division's annual operating budget. She has also led other areas of the division, including oversight of the Customer Service Program in Phoenix, the Legislative Program and Policy Unit and served as Deputy Director.

Founded in 1933, AAMVA actively promotes traffic safety and uniformity among North American jurisdictions. Representing chief motor vehicle administrators and law enforcement officials, the association develops uniform programs in driver licensing, vehicle titling/registration and motor carrier services, among others.

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