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BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES APLENTY FOR TAXICAB DRIVERS AT JAVITS CENTER EVENTS

PLEASE NOTE: For all events, taxicabs may enter the cab line off 11th Avenue, just south of 39th Street.

1. BOAT SHOW SAILING INTO JAVITS CENTER

The prospect of some very good business for medallion cabbies is on the horizon during the **first nine days of January** as the **New York National Boat Show** drops anchor at the Jacob Javits Convention Center. More than 75,000 attendees, and thousands more exhibitor personnel, will need transportation from 11th Avenue and 35th Street during show days.

Boat Show days and hours are:

Saturdays (January 1 and 8) – 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Sundays (January 2 and 9) – 11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Monday through Friday (January 3-7) – Noon – 8:00 p.m.

2) **THREE FASHION TRADE SHOWS AT JAVITS IN EARLY JANUARY**

Three major fashion trade shows will take place at the Javits Convention Center from January 9 – 11, 2005. Thousands of show attendees and exhibitors will be seeking taxicab service, especially as the shows let out each day.

The shows and their days and hours are:

The Fame Show 1/9/05 – 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

1/10/05 – 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

1/11/05 – 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Accessories/MODA

Manhattan 1/9/05 – 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

1/10/05 – 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

1/11/05 – 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Children's Club 1/9/05 – 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

1/10/05 – 9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

1/11/05 – 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

3) **MORE JAVITS CENTER OPPORTUNITIES FOR JANUARY**

Friday, January 14 will mark the beginning of six very busy days of activities at the Javits Convention Center. Thousands of businesspeople will be seeking medallion taxicab service to midtown or the airports as the shows (see below) will let out in the late afternoons.

The shows and their days and hours are:

Adventures in Travel Show 1/14 – 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

1/15 – 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

1/16 – 11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

National Variety

Merchandise Show 1/15 – 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

1/16 – 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

1/17 – 9:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

1/18 – 9:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

National Retail

Federation Conference 1/16 – 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

1/17 – 10:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

1/18 – 10:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

1/19 – 8:30 a.m. – Noon

The TLC encourages all medallion taxicab drivers to take advantage of any or all of the aforementioned opportunities.