



MEDIA STATEMENT

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Past VTA President Trevor Martyn receives Medal (OAM) of the Order of Australia

On behalf of VTA President Cameron Dunn, and the Executive Council and Secretariat, I am pleased to congratulate our past President Trevor Martyn, who was presented with a Medal (OAM) of the Order of Australia in the General Division in yesterday's Queen's Birthday Honour's List.

Trevor has made an enormous and selfless contribution to the Australian transport industry over a highly-decorated career spanning more than 50 years. He served on the Executive Council of the VTA from 1998-2005, including four years as President from 2002-2005.

I can think of no one worthier and more deserving of an Order of Australia Medal than Trevor for his many services to the road transport industry and to the community.

Trevor also served as a Director and Executive Chair of the Australian Trucking Association from 2002-2010, underscoring his commitment to the transport industry and bringing about change and improvements to make the industry safer and more prosperous.

As well as his work with the VTA and the ATA, Trevor served on numerous other industry groups, including six years as Chairman of Driver Education Centre Australia (DECA) from 2007-2012, and a stint as President of the National Bulk Tanker Association, and Chair of Global Air Ambulance for four years.

In his professional working life Trevor was Managing Director of FBT Operations for 38 years from 1969-2007. He presently serves on the boards of numerous businesses including as Chair of leading residential aged care, home care, and disability services provider Mayflower, and director of Decoral Trust.

Away from the industry Trevor is active in numerous organisations and charities.

Trevor has been a member of Rotary International for 35 years and is the past president of three Rotary Clubs. A keen sailor, Trevor was Vice Commodore of the Sorrento Sailing Couta Boat Club and was also Club Captain and a Past General Committee Member. He retains membership of both the Sorrento Sailing Couta Boat Club and the Brighton Sailing Club.

Trevor is also passionate about the issue of mental health and is a support of the Haven Foundation, whose aim is to raise funds and provide permanent, affordable and integrated housing for people with mental illness.

Please join me in extending sincere congratulations to Trevor Martyn OAM on this well-deserved accolade.

Peter Anderson
CEO, VTA