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TRAFFIC ADVISORY

The public is advised that that traffic on the Trans Canada Highway No. 1 East from PTH 100/101 to PR 207 (Deacon's Corner) is restricted to 1 lane in each direction for the remainder of the month of June to facilitate construction of the Trans-Canada Highway Bridge on the Red River Floodway Expansion Project.

As a result, the public is advised to expect and plan for delays when traveling on the route especially during the morning and afternoon rush hour periods. **Lengthy delays are also expected on Friday afternoons as a result of increased weekend traffic traveling eastbound.**

In addition, to ensure the safety of construction workers and the traveling public, the speed limit on the Trans Canada Highway Bridge Site and the PTH 59 South Bridge construction site is restricted to 70 km/h and is further reduced to 60 km/h when passing construction workers and equipment.

The Manitoba Floodway Authority would like to thank you, in advance, for exercising caution when traveling in the vicinity of the floodway expansion project. Thank you for your co-operation and patience as the floodway expansion project proceeds.

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