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I-76 eastbound Exit 1B ramp to I-295 northbound to be closed Saturday morning for inspection
Three lanes out of five lanes in the I-295 northbound covered roadway to be closed

(Trenton) - New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) officials today announced the closure of the I-76 eastbound Exit 1B ramp to I-295 northbound and the closure of one lane on I-295 northbound as part the Direct Connection project in Camden and Gloucester counties.

Beginning at 5 a.m., Saturday, April 4 until 10 a.m., NJDOT's contractor, Conti Enterprises, Inc., is scheduled to close and detour the I-76 eastbound Exit 1B ramp to I-295 northbound. In addition, the left lane on I-295 northbound will be closed at Exit 27. This will allow the left three lanes in the covered roadway to be closed for inspection. Two right lanes on I-295 northbound will be maintained from Exit 27 through the covered roadway. The following detour will be in place:

I-76 eastbound to I-295 northbound detour
(Saturday, April 4 from 5 a.m. until 10 a.m.)

- Motorists traveling on I-76 eastbound wishing to take I-295 northbound will be directed to continue on I-76 eastbound
- Stay to the left and take Exit 1A to I-295 southbound
- Take I-295 southbound to Exit 25A/Route 47
- Take the exit to I-295 northbound

The work is part of the $900 million Direct Connection project that will provide a seamless route for I-295 motorists traveling through the interchange of I-295, I-76, and Route 42. The Direct Connection project has been divided into four construction contracts, with completion expected in the fall of 2024. NJDOT's project website provides construction activity schedules and updates.

The precise timing of the work is subject to change due to weather or other factors. Motorists are encouraged to check NJDOT's traffic information website www.511nj.org for real-time travel information and for NJDOT news follow us on Twitter @NJDOT_info or on the NJDOT Facebook page.

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