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USA TRUCK, INC. RECEIVES INBOUND CARRIER OF THE YEAR AWARD FROM DOLLAR TREE STORES, INC.

USA Truck, Inc. (NASDAQ:USAK) announced today that it recently received the 2007 “Inbound Carrier of the Year” Award, presented by Dollar Tree Stores, Inc. This honor marks the second year USA Truck, Inc. has received this award, having also done so in 2005.

The Inbound Carrier of the Year award was given to USA Truck, Inc for achieving 97.5% of all possible points evaluated. “USA Truck is focused on meeting or exceeding all of Dollar Tree’s key metrics and in growing our relationship. In a few short years, USA Truck has grown to be one of our best and most important carriers, delivering incredible customer service and offering lots of capacity. Dollar Tree is proud of the relationship we have developed with USA Truck,” said Scott Gardner, Director of Inbound Transportation for Dollar Tree.

This press release and the presentation to which it relates contain forward-looking statements and information that are based on our current beliefs and expectations and assumptions we have made based upon information currently available. Forward-looking statements include statements relating to our plans, strategies, objectives, expectations, intentions and adequacy of resources, and may be identified by words such as “could,” “should,” “may,” “believe,” “expect,” “intend,” “plan,” “schedule,” “estimate,” “project” and similar expressions. These statements are based on current expectations and are subject to uncertainty and change. Although we believe that the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, we cannot assure you that such expectations will be realized. If one or more of the risks or uncertainties underlying such expectations materialize, or if underlying assumptions prove incorrect, actual results may vary materially from those expected. Additional risks associated with our operations are discussed in our SEC filings, including our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K and our quarterly reports on Form 10-Q.

All forward-looking statements attributable to us, or persons acting on our behalf, are expressly qualified in their entirety by this cautionary statement.

We undertake no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. In light of these risks and uncertainties, the forward-looking events and circumstances discussed in this press release might not occur.

References to the “Company,” “we,” “us,” “our” and words of similar import refer to USA Truck, Inc. and its subsidiary.

About USA Truck, Inc.

USA Truck is a dry van truckload carrier transporting general commodities via our General and Dedicated Freight divisions. We transport commodities throughout the continental United States and into and out of portions of Canada. We also transport general commodities into and out of Mexico by allowing through-trailer service from our terminal in Laredo, Texas. Our Third Party Logistics and Strategic Capacity Solutions divisions provide customized transportation solutions using our technology and multiple modes of transportation including our assets and the assets of our partner carriers.

This press release and related information will be available to interested parties at our web site, <http://www.usa-truck.com> under the “Press Releases” tab of the “Investor Relations” page.

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