



For Immediate Release **RMC Research Foundation**

Contact: Jennifer LeFevre
240-485-1151

jlefevre@rmc-foundation.org

Concrete Delivery Professional Program Study Modules Now Available in Spanish

Silver Spring, MD – April 9, 2007: The RMC Research Foundation is proud to announce the release of the Spanish version of the National Ready Mixed Concrete Association's (NRMCA) Concrete Delivery Professional (CDP) Program Study Guide. This is the second of two Spanish language translations of popular NRMCA training materials. The first, the Spanish version of NRMCA's Truck Mixer Driver's Manual, was released this past January.

Over 2,900 concrete delivery professionals have already been certified to-date since the program was first started in 2000. "With the increase of Spanish-speaking drivers coming into the industry and the likelihood that many more drivers will be recruited from the Spanish-speaking community, the RMC Research Foundation Board of Trustees believes funding the Spanish language translations of these training materials is an important way to support the industry's growth," said RMC Research Foundation Chairman Dominique Calabrese. "Although all professional drivers in the concrete industry must read and understand English well enough to pass their Commercial Drivers License test, they will certainly absorb more of the CDP information if they are able to study the materials in their native language," he added. "The CDP Program has had a tremendous impact in raising the professionalism of the concrete industry in just a few short years. The new Spanish version will help yet another segment of Concrete Delivery Professionals to benefit from this valuable training tool," noted Foundation Executive Director Julie Luther Garbini.

The mission of the RMC Research Foundation is to support research and educational programs that will increase professionalism and quality in the concrete industry. Copies of the Spanish Concrete Delivery Program Study Guide are available through the NRMCA. Please visit www.nrmca.org for more information. Additional information about the RMC Research Foundation and those programs funded by it may be found at www.rmc-foundation.org.