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This is the U.S. Department of Transportation Broadcast News Service for Tuesday, January 2. It consists of remarks by a Departmental spokesman on the drinking-driving problem.

"Pastoral and lay ministry groups interested in the drinking-driving problem now have a new tool for their use -- a study prepared for the Department of Transportation. Entitled "New Hope - New Possibilities", the report was made by the North Conway Institute of Boston, an ecumenical action group.

"Among courses of action suggested to the religious community: specific prevention that utilizes public action and widespread discussion and direct pastoral involvement in the care and support of the convicted drinker-driver and his family.

"In accepting the study, Transportation Secretary John Volpe called for even greater citizen interest in the problem of alcohol-related highway deaths and injuries. "

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