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National Highway
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Administration

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Yorktown Heights, NY

Dear Mr. :

Thank you for your correspondence dated August 11, 2007, concerning your model year (MY) 1999 Fleetwood Jamboree motor home. The New York Office of the Attorney General forwarded your correspondence to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration's (NHTSA) Office of Defects Investigation. It was received on August 27, 2007.

NHTSA is the Federal agency responsible for improving safety on our Nation's highways. We are authorized to order manufacturers to recall and repair vehicles or items of motor vehicle equipment when our investigations indicate that they contain serious safety defects in their design, construction, or performance. In order for the agency to initiate an investigation, we look carefully at the body of consumer complaints and other available data to determine whether a defect may exist. We cannot act on isolated problems or resolve disputes between individual owners, dealers, or manufacturers.

We appreciate the report you provided. Reports from motorists are a very important source of information for us. Each report is analyzed and entered into a database to determine whether an investigation into a possible safety defect or safety defect recall adequacy is warranted.

We have reviewed our database in an effort to identify whether a safety defect trend exists with regard to fuel line hose failure in MY 1999 Fleetwood Jamboree motor homes. We are not aware of any other reports of fuel line hose failures in these vehicles; therefore, there is insufficient evidence to warrant opening a safety defect investigation at this time. The information you provided has been entered into our database. It will be considered with future reports to identify any safety defect trends that may require our attention. Regarding your request for reimbursement this does not fall under our jurisdiction.



Should you encounter a safety-related problem with a motor vehicle or item of motor vehicle equipment in the future, you can complete an electronic Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire online at <http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov/ivoq>. Also, a summary listing of vehicle owners' complaints, safety recalls, manufacturers' service bulletins, etc. can be obtained at <http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov/cars/problems>.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ronald B. Fields". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Ronald B. Fields, Chief
Correspondence Research Division
Office of Defects Investigation
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