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National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
Attention: VIN Coordinator, Room 5321  
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Subject: Amended VIN Coding

In accordance with Part 565.7, Freightliner submits the following new VIN deciphering information.

Sterling, a division of Freightliner LLC will import a Mitsubishi Fuso and badge as Sterling. The model codes have changed since our original submission on 8/05/05. None of these vehicles have been built.

You may call me at (503) 745-5076 or fax at (503) 745-5544 if more information is needed.

Sincerely,



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VIN Summary for Sterling 360 COE 01/25/06

	J	L	S	A	A	E	1	S	0	5	K	1	2	3	4	5	6
<u>1ST : COUNTRY</u>	_____											<u>12TH - 17TH : PLANT SEQUENTIAL SERIAL NUMBER</u>					
J : JAPAN																	
<u>2ND : MAKE</u>	_____											<u>11TH : PLANT of MANUFACTURE</u>					
L : MITSUBISHI FUSO												K : KAWASAKI, JAPAN					
<u>3RD : VEHICLE TYPE</u>	_____											<u>10TH : MODEL YEAR</u>					
S : STERLING INCOMPLETE VEHICLE												5 : 2005 6:2006 7:2007					
<u>4TH : GVW/BRAKE SYSTEM</u>	_____											<u>9TH : CHECK DIGIT</u>					
A : 10,001-14,000LBS/HYDRAULIC												<u>8TH : ENGINE</u>					
B : 14,001-16,000LBS/HYDRAULIC												E : MITSUBISHI 6M60 7.5 Liter INLINE 6 DIESEL					
C : 16,001-19,500LBS/HYDRAULIC												S : MITSUBISHI 4M50 4.9 Liter INLINE 4 DIESEL					
D : 19,501-26,000LBS/AIR OVER HYDRAULIC																	
E : 26,001-33,000LBS/AIR OVER HYDRAULIC																	
F : 26,001-33,000LBS/FULL AIR																	
<u>5TH : LINE</u>	_____											<u>7TH : CAB/CHASSIS TYPE</u>					
A : Sterling 360 COE 30												1 : COE 4 X2 CHASSIS CAB					
B : Sterling 360 COE 40/45																	
C : Sterling 360 COE 50																	
<u>6TH : SERIES (WHEELBASE)</u>	_____																
C : 2.6 - 2.89 m	J : 4.4 - 4.69 m																
D : 2.9 - 3.19 m	K : 4.7 - 4.99 m																
E : 3.2 - 3.49 m	L : 5.0 - 5.29 m																
F : 3.5 - 3.79 m	M : 5.3 - 5.59 m																
G : 3.8 - 4.09 m	N : 5.6 - 5.89 m																
H : 4.1 - 4.39 m	P : 5.9 - 6.19 m																