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Dear Coordinator:

In compliance with 49 CFR Part 565, the following information is provided to define the codes contained in the VIN scheme used to identify vehicles manufactured by Buell Motorcycle Company. A recent change to accommodate special introductory models led to this resubmission for the 2000 model year.

Sample VIN: 4MZSS11J9T3200678

2000 Model Year VIN ranges by model:

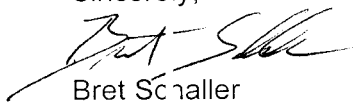
THUNDERBOLT S3	WORLD MODEL	4MZRS11JXY3000001-020000
	CA MODEL	4MZRS56JXY3020001-025000
THUNDERBOLT S3-T	WORLD MODEL	4MZFS11JXY3100001-120000
	CA MODEL	4MZFS56JXY3120001-125000
LIGHTNING X1	WORLD MODEL	4MZSS11JXY3200001-220000
	CA MODEL	4MZSS56JXY3220001-225000
LIGHTNING X1 Millennium	WORLD MODEL	4MZSS41JXY3225001-230000
	CA MODEL	4MZSS81JXY3230001-235000
CYCLONE M2	WORLD MODEL	4MZKS11JXY3300001-315000
	CA MODEL	4MZKS56JXY3320001-325000
BLAST P3	WORLD MODEL	4MZKP13CXY3500001-520000
	CA MODEL	4MZKP58CXY3520001-525000
Built @ Kansas City Plant	WORLD MODEL	4MZKP13CXYK530001-550000
	CA MODEL	4MZKP58CXYK550001-555000

REPORT BY 1/31/00

DIGIT	VIN CODE	DEFINITION
1	4	WMI CODE ASSIGNED BY THE SOCIETY OF AUTOMOTIVE ENGINEERS
2	M	
3	Z	
4		TYPE OF MOTORCYCLE:
	R	ROAD MOTORCYCLE
	F	SPORT TOURING
	T	TOURING
	Y	SUPERSPORT STANDARD
	S	SPORT STANDARD
	K	STANDARD
	A	SUPERSPORT
	D	DUAL PURPOSE
5		LINE OF MOTORCYCLE:
	T	S2 (1 st year 95)
	S	S1 (1 st year 96)
	P	P (1 st year 00)
	X	XB (1 st year 00)
6		MOTOR TYPE:
7	00-09	UNASSIGNED
	10	XR1000
	11	1200cc EVOLUTION
	12	984cc XB
	13	490cc P
	14-40	UNASSIGNED
	41	1200cc Evolution Special Introduction California model
	42-49	Special Introduction California models
	50-55	UNASSIGNED
	56-80	CALIFORNIA MODEL
	81	1200cc Evolution Special Introduction model
	82-89	Special Introduction models
	90-99	UNASSIGNED

DIGIT	VIN CODE	DEFINITION	
8		HORSEPOWER CODE:	
		NOMINAL	RANGE
	A	24	22 TO 26
	B	28	26 TO 30
	C	33	30 TO 36
	D	39	36 TO 42
	E	46	42 TO 50
	F	55	50 TO 60
	G	66	60 TO 72
	H	79	72 TO 86
	J	95	86 TO 104
	K	115	104 TO 126
	L	139	126 TO 152
	M	168	152 TO 184
N	204	184 TO 224	
9	-	CHECK DIGIT	
10	S	YEAR of MANUFACTURE	
11		PLANT of MANUFACTURE:	
	1	North Prairie, WI	
	2	Mukwonago, WI	
	3	East Troy, WI	
	K	Kansas City, KS	
12	0	SEQUENTIAL NUMBER OF MANUFACTURE (see separate table below)	
13	0		
14	0		
15	0		
16	0		
17	1		

Sincerely,



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