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**From:** Joey Curran
**To:** Ansley, Alexander (NHTSA)
**Subject:** RE: Delayed Response to NHTSA
**Date:** Monday, October 15, 2012 8:27:33 AM

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Good Morning Alex,

We did not install these units after production. These are all Braun converted vans with the lift installed at the time of vehicle modification.

Best Regards,
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**Subject:** RE: Delayed Response to NHTSA

Mr. Curran,

Thank you for your email. Did your company install these lifts on any new vehicles (vehicles that were altered prior to customer delivery)? If so, they would need to be recalled, similar to how Ilderton handled the Ricon safety issues in 2008. This would involve a Defect Report detailing those vehicles and a copy of the letter that Ilderton would mail to its affected customers.

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**From:** Joey Curran [mailto:jcurran@ilderton.com]
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**To:** Ansley, Alexander (NHTSA)

**Cc:** tilderton@ilderton.com; omcbride@ilderton.com; Christine Dowdy; jlee@ilderton.com
**Subject:** Delayed Response to NHTSA

Dear Alexander,

On behalf of Ilderton Conversion Company I apologize for our delayed response to your request for acknowledgement of Braun Corporation's recall notification for defective roll stop barriers on Century-2 and Vista-2 wheelchair lifts.

Ilderton Conversion is fully aware of recall 12E-002 and we are working to determine all of the end users of the lifts so we can correct the potential issue. We are stocking the replacement recall kits and have already completed a few of these repairs. We are also inspecting all vans that come in for service with a Century-2 or Vista-2 lift to see if the recall applies to these lifts so we can repair these units as well.

Please respond with an acknowledgement of receipt to this email. Thank you for your understanding.

Best Regards,
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