Desert Sands Unified School District
47950 Dune Palms Road
La Quinta, California. 92253

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U.S Department of Transportation
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

In response to the information requested for EQ 13-005, Desert Sands Unified School District did not purchase any C.E. White Flip Seats. We own and operate sixteen (16) buses that came equipped with twenty four (24) C.E. White Flip Seats. We have contacted C.E. White regarding these Flip Seats and have requested the parts necessary to comply with this recall. Furthermore, we will request that all necessary repairs be performed by school bus dealer A-Z Bus Sales. We are not a seat installer or vehicle manufacturer. We have determined that this recall would not be conducted by Desert Sands Unified School District and we are not submitting a defect report for this matter.

Please let me know if there is anything else I need to do.

Thank you.

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