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Executive Director
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Ms. Kathleen C. DeMeter, Director
Office of Defects Investigation, Enforcement (NEF-111)
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
U. S. Department of Transportation
400 Seventh Street, S.W. Room 5319
Washington, D.C. 20590

Dear Ms. DeMeter:

Chrysler Corporation is providing the extended reporting quarters for the minivan liftgate latch service action for the quarter ending December 31, 1997 per NHTSA's request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "S. M. Clischke".

for S. M. Clischke

Attachment: Quarterly status report for Chrysler Corporation showing service action progress through December 31, 1997



LIFTGATE LATCH SERVICE ACTION QUARTERLY REPORT
NHTSA 96-001 (RECALL 640)
Quarter Ending: 12/31/97

9	1	93-95 Manual Latch	9/8/95	9/29/95	66,407	48,158	(A)	48,158
9	2	91-92 Manual Latch	10/6/95	10/13/95	52,719	37,559	(A)	37,559
9	3	90 Manual Latch	10/17/95	10/29/95	72,845	42,633	(A)	42,633
9	4	84-89 Manual Latch	11/3/95	12/15/95	411,678	139,932	(A)	139,932
8	5	93-95 Power Latch	12/22/95	3/22/96	1,342,202	1,100,341	(A)	1,100,341
8	6	91-92 Power Latch	3/29/96	6/21/96	689,656	523,239	(A)	523,239
6	7	90 Power Latch	7/10/96	8/7/96	328,053	210,387	(A)	210,387
8	8	84-89 Power Latch	7/12/96	9/6/96	1,174,700	452,518	(A)	452,518

(A) Not applicable. Dealers instructed to perform the repair on all vehicles.