

**INITIAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT FAX SHEET OF RECEIPT OF NONCOMPLIANCE
INFORMATION REPORT SUBMITTED UNDER 49 CFR PART 573**

Assigned Recall No. 00V-122 by the
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

APR 28 2000

Part 573 Report Date: **April 27, 2000**

MANUFACTURER: **General Motors Corporation (GM)**

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SUBJECT: 279,132 GM 1999 Chevrolet full size pickup trucks, Tahoe, Suburban, GMC full size pickup trucks, Yukon, Denali, and Suburban, and Cadillac Escalade sport utility vehicles manufactured from September 1998 through May 1999. These vehicles do not comply with the occupant protection requirements of FMVSS No. 208, "Occupant Crash Protection." In the event of a vehicle crash, the right front passenger restraint systems may not meet the neck extension requirements.

This is an initial acknowledgment for this recall. A formal acknowledgment letter will be forthcoming shortly. After our review of your report and associated documents, we may have additional comments or concerns.

Under 49 U.S.C. § 30112(a), it is illegal for anyone, including a manufacturer, distributor, dealer, or retailer to sell an item of equipment or vehicle which fails to comply with all applicable Federal motor vehicle safety standards.

This recall was the subject of an investigation, PE208-980925G, conducted by the Office of Vehicle Safety Compliance.

In accordance with Part 577, amended July 7, 1995, a draft owner notification letter must be submitted for review prior to mailing.

As stated in Part 573.6, submission of the first of six consecutive quarterly status reports is required within one month after the close of the calendar quarter in which notification to purchasers occurs. The current quarter began April 1 and ends on June 30, 2000. If owner notification begins during this time period, the first quarterly report will be due in this office by July 30, 2000.

Note: GM had petitioned the agency for inconsequentiality. However, GM is withdrawing its petition (99V-141).

If you have any questions, please call:



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