

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

Assigned Recall No. 03V-014 by the
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Part 573 Report Date: **January 15, 2003**

Date Faxed: **February 3, 2003**

MANUFACTURER: American Honda Motor Company, Inc.

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SUBJECT: 3,617 Honda 2003 Odyssey mini vans manufactured from December 4 through 17, 2002. Some fuel tanks have surface imperfections that could allow fuel to leak from the tank.

This is an acknowledgment for this recall. A formal acknowledgment letter will be written only if we have additional comments or concerns.

I have reviewed your draft owner notification letter and it needs one small change. Please change the word "determined" to "decided" in the second paragraph.

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. As stated in your report, owner notification is expected to begin January 28, 2003. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due by April 30, 2003.

If you have any questions, please call:

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