

U.S. Department of Transportation

National Highway **Traffic Safety** Administration

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FAX SHEET OF RECEIPT OF AN **INFORMATION REPORT SUBMITTED UNDER 49 CFR PART 573**

Assigned Recall No. 04V-595 by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Part 573 Report Date: December 13, 2004

Date E-Mailed: December 22, 2004

MANUFACTURER: Toyota Motor North America, Inc.

MANUFACTURER CONTACT:

Mr. Chris Tinto, Director

SUBJECT: 150,061 Toyota 2004 and 2005 Camry and Lexus ES330 vehicles equipped with a front passenger power seat. When installing certain rear-facing infant child seat bases onto the seat with an excessively high seatbelt tension, it may be possible to unseat a component called the buckle status switch from the seat belt buckle.

This action is deemed a safety improvement campaign and is not being conducted under the safety act.

Even though this is a service campaign, we would like to receive quarterly reports. As stated in your letter, the campaign began on December 20, 2004. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due by April 30, 2005.

If you have any questions, please call:

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