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Assigned Recall No. <u>04V-006</u> by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Part 573 Report Date: December 22, 2003 Date Faxed: January 5, 2004

Manufacturer: Land Rover North America, Inc.

Manufacturer Contact: Mr. Dennis T. Johnston, Manager, Product Compliance

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SUBJECT: 8,117 Land Rover 2000-2003 Discovery II sport utility vehicles manufactured from June 18, 2000 through June 17, 2003. The Active Cornering Enhancement (ACE) pump banjo boit looses torque and allows fluid to leak past the joint. Land Rover Recall No. B149.

This is an <u>initial</u> 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.

Please provide us with a draft owner notification letter for our review before mailing to consumers as well as an estimated owner notification schedule.

If you have any questions, please call;

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