

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

Assigned Recall No. **04V-038** by the  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

**Part 573 Report Date:** January 27, 2003

**Date Faxed:** January 30, 2004

**Manufacturer:** Monaco Coach Corporation

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**SUBJECT:** 2,099 Monaco 2002-2004 Holiday Rambler Ambassador and Neptune, 2002-2004 Monaco Cayman, Knight and 2002 Socialite, 2003 Beaver Baron, and 2003-2004 Safari Cheetah, Sahara and Zanzibar Class A motorhomes manufactured from February 4, 2002 through October 24, 2003. The I-beam leaf imitator in the front axle suspension can crack and break due to an inadequate welding process. The rear axle panard bracket that is welded to the curbside top of the rear axle housing can break due to an inadequate welding process and a design deficiency. *Monaco Recall No. R03024.*

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

We have reviewed your proposed owner notification letter and it does not meet the requirements of Part 577. We suggest the following change:

- In paragraph 4, after "lose control of your vehicle," please add "which could result in a crash."

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 during February 2004. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due by April 30, 2004.

If you have any questions, please call:



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