

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

Assigned Recall No. 04V-159 by the  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Part 573 Report Date: April 5, 2004

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**SUBJECT:** 317 Mack 1995-2004 CH, LE, and MR chassis built with LNG engines and manufactured from April 26, 1995 through February 9, 2004. The inability for the LNG tanks primary and secondary relief valves to properly relieve tank pressure. This design defect results in ice buildup on the discharge side of the primary and secondary pressure relief system. (Mack Recall No. SC0287)

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 meets the requirements of Part 577.

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 late April 2004. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due by July 30, 2004.

If you have any questions, please call:

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