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

Assigned Recall No. 04V-175 by the
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Part 573 Report Date: **April 9, 2004**

Date Faxed/E-Mailed: **April 14, 2004**

MANUFACTURER: **Mazda North American Operations**

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SUBJECT: **106,000 MY 2001-2002 and certain 2003 Mazda tribute passenger vehicles equipped with 3.0L V6 Duratec engines and built between April 17, 2000, and September 11, 2002. During deceleration at vehicle speeds below 40 mph, the engine may stall, possibly resulting in a vehicle crash.**

This is an acknowledgment for this recall. A formal acknowledgment letter will be written only if we have additional comments or concerns. This recall was the result of an investigation conducted by the Office of Defects Investigation, EA02-027.

In accordance with Part 577, a draft owner notification letter must be submitted to this office for our review prior to mailing.

If you have any questions, please call:

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