

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

Assigned Recall No. 04V-189 by the
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Part 573 Report Date: **April 16, 2004**

Date Faxed/E-Mailed: **April 16, 2004**

MANUFACTURER: **General Motors Corporation**

MANUFACTURER CONTACT: **Ms. Gay P. Kent, Director, Product Investigations**

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SUBJECT: 331 GM 2004 Chevrolet Express and GMC Savana vans manufactured from March 2003 through April 2004, fail to conform to the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 209, "Seat Belt Assemblies." These vehicles may have been produced with seat belt buckle assemblies containing a latch with a brittle condition that may not withstand the force requirements of the standard. GM Recall No. 04025.

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 573.7, 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 May 2004. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due by July 30, 2004.

If you have any questions, please call:



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