



U.S. Department of Transportation

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

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

Assigned Recall No. <u>04V-320</u> by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Part 573 Report Date: July 01, 2004 Date Faxed: July 09, 2004

MANUFACTURER: General Motors Corporation

MANUFACTURER CONTACT: Gay Kent, Director, Product Investigations

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SUBJECT: 1,792 GM 2004 GMC Savana and Chevrolet Express vans manufactured from May 18 through May 25, 2004. Certain vehicles were built with a transmission shift cable assembly that may separate. If the cable assembly separates, the transmission shift lever position and the transmission indicator may no longer correlate. If this were to occur the vehicle may move in a direction not anticipated by the driver and will result in a possible vehicle crash without prior warning. GM Recall No. 04061.

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

I have reviewed your proposed dealer bulletin and owner letter and they meet 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 August 2004. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due by October 30, 2004.

Please let me know when the actual mailing takes place and, as usual, provide this office with final copies of all documents relating to the recall.

If you have any questions, please call:

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