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**National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration**

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

Assigned Recall No. **04V-547** by the
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

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

Date Faxed/E-Mailed: **November 18, 2004**

MANUFACTURER: **General Motors Corp.**

MANUFACTURER CONTACT: **Gay Kent, Director, Product Investigations**

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SUBJECT: 178,798 GM 2003-2004 Saturn ION sedans have a condition in which the turn signal lamp and daytime running lamp (DRL) on either front side can stop working because of loss of contact between the bulb and socket. If a front turn signal lamp is inoperative, others may react more slowly to a turning vehicle and a crash could occur. GM Recall No. 04095.

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

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, the recall is expected to begin December 17, 2004. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due by October 30, 2004.

If you have any questions, please call:

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