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of Transportation

**National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration**

400 Seventh Street, SW
Washington, DC 20590

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Mr. John Maddox
Product Compliance Officer
Volkswagon of America, Inc.
3800 Hamlin Road
Auburn Hills, MI 48326

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Dear Mr. Maddox:

We have completed a review of the quarterly reports for the fourth quarter of 2004. According to our records, the first quarterly report was due in this office on or before January 30, 2005, however, to date we have not received this report.

If Volkswagon believes that it sent in this report, please provide a copy. If your company believes that no reports are required, please explain the reason. Please provide your response by April 18, 2005.

You may fax the report to Mrs. Kelly Schuler at (202) 366-7882. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Kelly at (202) 366-5227.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'G. Person', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

George H. Person, Chief
Recall Management Division
Office of Defects Investigation
Enforcement