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SAFETY RECALL NOTIFICATION: C0021113 – Front Hub Bearing FM
VEHICLES INVOLVED – Certain 2000 – 2005 Model Year FM617, FM657, FM61F, FM64F and FM65F Trucks

Vehicle Identification Number – JW6DEP1E73M000239

This notice is being sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act. Mitsubishi Fuso Truck of America, Inc. has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in the front hub bearings on certain vehicles. On affected vehicles, the front wheel hub outer bearing lock nut may have been improperly tightened during initial assembly, and an insufficient amount of grease may have been applied to the outer bearing. These conditions could result in the outer bearing generating excessive heat and/or breaking, causing the vehicle to become disabled. In the worst case, the excessive heat could cause a fire.

The inner and outer wheel bearings will be inspected. If no signs of damage exist, the bearings will be repacked with the factory specified quantity of lubricant and the lock nut will be tightened to the proper specification during reassembly. If signs of damage are found, the affected bearing(s) will be replaced. The procedure will be completed at no cost to you when performed by an Authorized Dealer or Parts and Service Center. The scheduled time for repair is approximately 2.7 – 4.5 hours.

For your continued safety, please contact any Authorized Mitsubishi Fuso Dealer or Parts and Service Center to schedule an appointment for this procedure. Refer to this Recall Notification letter when speaking with Dealer Service Department personnel.

Federal regulation requires that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within ten days. If you are the lessor of the above referenced vehicle, please forward this notification immediately.

Note: If you have incurred costs to obtain a remedy for the problem addressed in this recall, please present the paid invoice to an Authorized Mitsubishi Fuso Dealer or Parts and Service Center. The Dealer/Parts & Service Center will submit a warranty claim to MFTA on your behalf. Reimbursement of these costs should be expected within approximately 30 days of warranty claim submittal.

We at MFTA regret any inconvenience this situation may cause you. However, your safety and continued satisfaction with our product are most important to us.

If your MFTA Dealer is unable to perform this procedure without charge, or within a reasonable amount of time, please contact MFTA Customer Service toll-free at 877-711-0707 for assistance. You may also contact the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 400 Seventh St. SW, Washington, DC 20590; or call the toll-free Auto Safety Hotline at 888-327-4236.

Sincerely,

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