

May 3, 2005

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
Recall Management Division  
400 7<sup>th</sup> Street SW  
Washington, DC 20590

Attention: Kelly Schuler

RE: 04V-143 / Sealco Spring Brake Valve

Dear Ms. Schuler:

The following is an overview of our recall campaign:

4/25/04	Mailing begins to original owners
6/30/04	Mailing completed
July 2004	Returned mailings researched and resent if new address available
Nov-Dec '04	Faxes sent to (4) multiple trailer purchasers. Phone contact follow ups made
Jan '05	Proposed re-mailing to balance of non-responders
March 05	Completed re-mailing to non responders via certified mail.

Very truly yours,

HALE TRAILER BRAKE & WHEEL, INC.

James L. Beardsell  
Vice President

# Vehicle Safety Recall Quarterly Report Information<sup>1</sup>

Required per 49 CFR Part 573.7

Report Date: 05/03/05

Calendar Quarter: 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2005

Safety Recall Quarterly Report from Jan 05 through March 05

Manufacturer: Hale Trailer Brake & Wheel, Inc.

Report Author: James Beardsell

Phone: ( 610 ) 395-0371

Recall Subject: Sealco Spring Brake Valve

1. NHTSA Safety Recall Campaign Number: 04V-143

Also, for completeness, if your company has assigned a code number to this campaign, please provide your code: \_\_\_\_\_

2. (a) The date notification to purchasers began: 4/25/04

(b) The date notification of purchasers was completed: 3/18/05 certified mail

3. The Total Number of Vehicles Involved: 143

The total number of vehicles involved in the subject campaign (including all items sold or distributed to purchasers, dealers, distributors, and similar entities beyond the immediate control of the manufacturer/importer).

4. (a) Total Number Inspected & Remedied: 71

Total number of vehicles which were inspected and/or otherwise repaired or remedied.

(b) Total Number Inspected & NOT REQUIRING REMEDY: -0-

Total number of vehicles involved in the recall and inspected, but determined to NOT REQUIRE REMEDIAL or recall repair work.

5. Vehicles Determined to be Unreachable

Total Number Exported: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Number Stolen: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Number Scrapped: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Number Unable to Notify: 5 returned mail, 14 sold

Total Number Otherwise Unreachable: 53

Describe Other: \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>1</sup>Any Questions please contact Mrs. Kelly Schuler or Mr. George Person at (202) 366-5227 or by FAX at (202) 366-7882.