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Our reference : WG902.046

National Highway Traffic Safety Adm. (NHTSA)
400 Seventh St., S.W.
WASHINGTON, DC 20590
USA

F.a.o. Mrs. Patricia Wallace
Recall Management Division

CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

October 27, 2005

Dear Mrs. Wallace,

Re. : NHTSA - Assigned Recall N° 04V – 423 – Air Tank Retention

With reference to previous correspondence, please find enclosed our third quarterly report for the above mentioned recall campaign.

If not directed otherwise, you may expect filing of our next report no later than January 31, 2006.

Yours sincerely,

Wilfried Geens
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Enclosure

cc. VH: As per distribution list
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Vehicle Safety Recall Quarterly Report Information

Required per 49 CFR Part 573.6

Report Date: October 27, '05

Calendar Quarter: 3/05

Safety Recall Quarterly Report from July 1, '05 through September 30, '05.

Manufacturer: Van Hool NV

Report Author: Wilfried Geens

Phone: +32/3/420.27.35

Recall Subject: Air Tank Retention

1. NHTSA Safety Recall Campaign Number: 04V-423

Also, for completeness, if your company has assigned a code number to this campaign, please provide your code: VH – 04V-423 (WG902.015)

2. (a) The date notification to purchasers began: January 6, '05

(b) The date notification of purchasers was completed: January 28, '05

3. The Total Number of Vehicles Involved: 677

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: 316

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:

Total Number Otherwise Unreachable:

Describe Other:
