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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

April 26, 2007

Dear Mrs. Wallace,

Re. : NHTSA - Assigned Recall N° 04V – 424 – Power Steering Lines

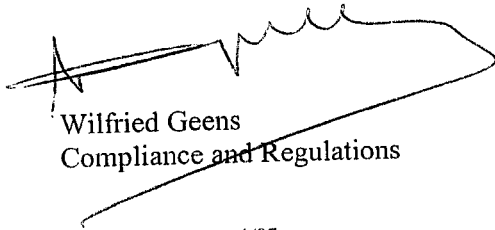
With reference to your letter NVS-215kjs of December 14, 2006, please find enclosed our first of the three additional quarterly reports for the above mentioned recall campaign.

The total number of remedied vehicles has changed from 53 to 54, because erroneously one of them was not yet included in our previous quarterly reports.

Since we started renotification of the owners of the 83 remaining vehicles during March 2007, we expect more perceptible progress in our next quarterly report.

If not directed otherwise, you may expect filing of that report no later than July 31, 2007.

Yours sincerely,



Wilfried Geens
Compliance and Regulations

Enclosure : Report 1/07

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Vehicle Safety Recall Quarterly Report Information

Required per 49 CFR Part 573.6

Report Date: April 26, '07

Calendar Quarter: 1/07

Safety Recall Quarterly Report from January 1, '07 through March 31, '07.

Manufacturer: Van Hool NV

Report Author: Wilfried Geens

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Recall Subject: Power Steering Lines

1. NHTSA Safety Recall Campaign Number: 04V-424

Also, for completeness, if your company has assigned a code number to this campaign, please provide your code: VH – 04V-424 (WG902.026)

2. (a) The date notification to purchasers began: January 6, '05 (Renotification : March '07)

(b) The date notification of purchasers was completed: January 21, '05 (Renotification : March '07)

3. The Total Number of Vehicles Involved: 137

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: 54

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: _____
