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**National Highway
Traffic Safety
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May 27, 2005

MR. RICK VAN LAAR
INTERNATIONAL TRUCK & ENGINE CORPORATION
COMPLIANCE MANAGER 3033 WAYNE TRACE
FORT WAYNE IN 46806

NVS-215
05V-241

Subject: BRAKE PEDAL PUSH ROD

Dear MR. VAN LAAR:

This letter is to acknowledge your recent defect or noncompliance information report. Please review the following information to ensure that it conforms to your records as this is the information that will be made available to the public.

Makes/Models/Model Years:
INTERNATIONAL/3200/2006
INTERNATIONAL/4000/2006
INTERNATIONAL/7000/2006
INTERNATIONAL/8000/2006

NHTSA Campaign Number: 05V-241

Recall Date: May 25, 2005

Components:
SERVICE BRAKES, AIR:CONTROLS:FOOT CONTROL

Potential Number of Units Affected: 3288 (revision)

Summary:
ON CERTAIN CHASSIS, TRUCKS, AND TRACTORS EQUIPPED WITH AIR BRAKES, THE PUSH ROD THAT CONNECTS THE BRAKE PEDAL TO THE BRAKE VALVE WAS MANUFACTURED INCORRECTLY AND COULD BREAK UNDER CERTAIN LOADING CONDITIONS.

Consequence:
IF THIS PUSH ROD BREAKS WHILE A VEHICLE IS IN OPERATION, A PARTIAL LOSS OF SERVICE BRAKING MAY BE EXPERIENCED. THIS COULD RESULT IN A VEHICLE CRASH WITHOUT WARNING.

Remedy:

DEALERS WILL REPLACE THE PUSH RODS. THE OWNER NOTIFICATION WILL BEGIN ON JUNE 3, 2005. OWNERS SHOULD CONTACT INTERNATIONAL AT 1-800-448-7825.

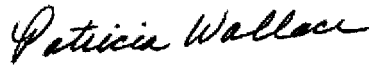
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INTERNATIONAL RECALL NO. 05513. CUSTOMERS CAN ALSO CONTACT THE NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION'S AUTO SAFETY HOTLINE AT 1-888-327-4236.

As stated in Part 573.7, submission of the first of six consecutive quarterly status reports is required within one month after the close of the calendar quarter in which notification to purchasers occurs. As stated in your report, owner notification is expected to begin during June 2005. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due by July 30, 2005.

Your contacts for this recall will be Pat Wallace or Delia Lopez, who may be reached by phone at 202-366-5232 or 202-366-9525 or by email at patricia.wallace@nhtsa.dot.gov or delia.lopez@NHTSA.dot.gov. We look forward to working with you for successful completion of this recall campaign.

Sincerely,

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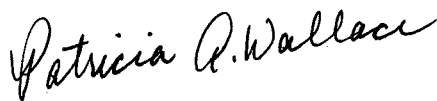
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