



U.S. Department
of Transportation

400 Seventh Street, SW
Washington, DC 20590

**National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration**

June 8, 2005

LINDA PHILLIPSEN
SKYLINE CORPORATION
2520 BYPASS ROAD
ELKHART IN 46514-1584

NVS-215
05V-243

Subject: INCORRECT CERTIFICATION LABEL

Dear MS. PHILLIPSEN:

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:

SKYLINE/ALJO/2006
SKYLINE/LAYTON LIMITED/2006
SKYLINE/NOMAD LIMITED/2006

NHTSA Campaign Number: 05V-243

Recall Date: May 24, 2005

Components:

EQUIPMENT:OTHER:LABELS

Potential Number of Units Affected: 88

Summary:

ON CERTAIN TRAVEL TRAILERS, THE CERTIFICATION LABEL LOCATED ON THE ROAD SIDE FRONT BOTTOM CORNER OF THE OUTSIDE OF THE TRAILER IS INCORRECT. THE TIRE COLD INFLATION PRESSURE IS INCORRECTLY STATED.

Consequence:

UNDER INFLATION OF THE TIRES CAN LEAD TO RAPID TIRE WEAR AND PREMATURE FAILURE THAT COULD RESULT IN A LOSS OF CONTROL OF THE VEHICLE, INCREASING THE RISK OF A CRASH.

Remedy:

DEALERS WILL MAIL REPLACEMENT LABELS. THE RECALL IS EXPECTED TO BEGIN DURING JUNE 2005. OWNERS SHOULD CONTACT SKYLINE AT 1-800-929-1080.

Notes:

CUSTOMERS CAN ALSO CONTACT THE NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION'S AUTO SAFETY HOTLINE AT 1-888-327-4236.

Please provide us with a date of when the manufacturer became aware of the recall.

We have reviewed your proposed owner letter and it does not meet the requirements of Part 577.

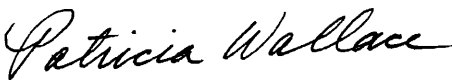
- Under "REASON FOR THIS RECALL" at the end of the paragraph a sentence needs to be added, i.e., that the defect can cause vehicle crash without prior warning; or a description of whatever prior warning may occur.
- Also add, "Federal regulations require that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within ten days."

Copies of all notices, bulletins, dealer notifications, and other communications that relate to this recall, including a copy of the final owner notification letter and any subsequent owner follow-up notification letter(s), are to be submitted to this office no later than 5 days after they are originally sent (if they are sent to more than one manufacturer, distributor, dealer, or purchaser/owner).

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, the recall is expected to begin during June 2005. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due by October 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
Enforcement