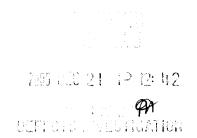
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December 19, 2005

Mr. George Person Chief, Recall Analysis Division Office of Defects Investigation Safety Assurance National Highway Traffic Safety Administration 400 Seventh Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20590

Ref: 05V-458

Dear Mr. Person:

The enclosed communication is being provided pursuant to 49 CFR Part 573.6(c)(9).

Technical Compliance Department

Encl.

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Subject: 2005 Xterra Tow Hitch Voluntary Safety Recall Campaign Update #7

Attention – Dealer Principals, Parts and Service Managers

The following is an update for this campaign.

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***** Parts Ordering *****
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The parts sales restriction on replacement tow hitches (P/N 999T5-KR200) has been removed. Use the normal parts ordering process to obtain additional tow hitches, as needed.

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***** Eliaible Vehicles *****
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APPLIED VINS: Vehicles built within: 5N1AN08**5C600000 - 658527

It is the retailer's responsibility to inspect the Tow Hitch label for either a Nissan P/N 999T5-KR100 or a Valley Industries P/N 2112-00-385 on each vehicle falling within the range of this voluntary safety recall which for any reason enters the service department. Other tow hitches are not involved in this campaign.

Note: This Safety Recall Campaign is not listed in Service Comm. Please refer to NTB05-100 for specific information needed to identify the defective hitches.

If you have any additional questions related to this program, please contact your Dealer Parts and Service Manager (DPSM).

Nissan Parts and Service Operations 12/15/2005