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Mr. George Person
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National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
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Washington, D.C. 20590

Ref: 05V-474

Dear Mr. Person:

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

Technical Compliance Department

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Subject: 2004-2006 Quest 2nd Row Seat Voluntary Safety Recall Campaign

Attention – Dealer Principals, Sales, Parts and Service Managers

***** Campaign Announcement *****

Nissan is conducting a safety recall on approximately 110,000 model year 2004-2006 Nissan Quest vehicles. The seat adjustment mechanism located at the rear of the second row seat contains exposed moving metal components. If the second row seat is adjusted in an unusual manner (for example, when standing outside the vehicle), there is a possibility that a finger may be pinched in the moving seat adjustment mechanism.

To correct this condition, Nissan will add additional components to the rear of the second row seats and if necessary, replace the second row seat inboard seat adjustment handles with new ones.

***** Dealer Inventory *****

Federal law requires that new vehicles in dealer inventory which are the subject of a safety recall must be corrected prior to delivery under a sale or lease. Failure to do so can result in civil penalties by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA).

Effective immediately, please use Service Comm (R0504) to determine which Quest vehicles, if any, in your inventory may require this campaign repair prior to being retailed. These vehicles must be placed on sales hold.

Quest vehicles produced after September 26, 2005 are not affected by this campaign and are saleable.

***** Parts Availability *****

An initial supply of parts for this campaign is expected to be available by mid-November. You can expect to receive parts and repair instructions at that time.

***** Owner Notification *****

Nissan expects to start mailing of Owner Notification letters in mid-December. Some Quest owners may also be included in the Quest 3rd Row Seat Recall Campaign, in which case they will receive one letter informing them of both campaigns.

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

Nissan Parts and Service Operations
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