



TO: ADQUIP INC.
FROM: Blake Thornsberry – National Service Manager
DATE: Aug 30, 2005
SUBJECT: Recall Notice 05V- 357 Steer Tire And Wheel
McNeilus Body# 18493
VIN: 1M2AC07C94M9902

SAFETY RECALL - IMPORTANT

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

McNeilus Truck And Manufacturing has decided that certain Residential Frontloaders on Mack LE chassis fail to conform to Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard 49CFR § 571.120 Standard No. 120; Tire Selection and rims for motor vehicles other than passenger cars.

The following models and years are affected.

Atlantic RFEL 2000 – 2004

Certain Tires and wheels may have been installed with a load rating less than that required to meet the gross axle weight rating of the vehicle. These tires and wheels may not adequately support the weight of a loaded truck. A failure of the tire or wheel can cause a vehicle crash without prior warning.

Your vehicle identified by the above body number or VIN is affected. In the event you find a steer tire G291 315/80R22.5 Load Range J installed we ask that you arrange to correct the condition without delay. This tire should be replaced with a G286 HSS 315/80R22.5 and a 29039PW wheel. Supplied by McNeilus. Certain states also impose a load limit per square inch of tire, which may necessitate an increase to a 425 – width tire. The required parts as described in this letter will be provided free of charge. Labor will be paid upon receipt of a warranty claim. To correct this condition, McNeilus will supply tires and wheels. To obtain this free service: Contact McNeilus Service as soon as possible to schedule the parts delivery. Submit your labor claim through the warranty system as soon as the new tires and wheels are installed.

We expect that the remedy to this defect will begin no earlier than October 1, 2005. We expect the time required to perform the remedy should not exceed 1 hour once the work has begun

Federal regulation requires that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within ten days.

We regret any inconvenience that this action may cause you. However, we are concerned about your safety. If you have questions regarding this matter, please contact McNeilus Service at: 1-507- 374-6321

If we fail or are unable to remedy this defect without charge, and within a reasonable time, you may submit a written complaint to:

Or call the toll-free Auto Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236

Administrator
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
400 Seventh Street, SW
Washington, DC 20590

Or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>
Sincerely,

McNeilus Truck & Manufacturing
Blake Thornsberry
National Service Manager

Service Department
524 County Rd. 34 East - Post Office Box 70
Dodge Center, Minnesota 55927
(507) 374-6321

Reimbursement Notification



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McNeilus has a program for reimbursing costs related to this recall campaign for repairs made before this campaign was initiated.

If you believe you have paid for repairs to remedy this problem between 03-23-2000 and 9-1-2004, you may be eligible for reimbursement, subject to these exclusions:

- The remedy, repair or replacement was already covered by the original or extended warranty.
- The remedy, repair or replacement did not address the problem covered by this recall
- The remedy, repair or replacement was not reasonably necessary to correct the defect.

The pre-notification remedy, repair or replacement need not be identical to the remedy provided by this recall campaign.

To obtain reimbursement consideration, please complete the enclosed Pre-Notification Reimbursement form and send it, along with a copy of the repair receipt, to:

Pre-Notification Reimbursement
Service Department
McNeilus Truck And Manufacturing
524 County Rd. 34 East
Dodge Center, MN 55927

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