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**VIA FACSIMILE AND
CERTIFIED U.S. MAIL,
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Mr. George H. Person
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
Office of Defects Investigation
400 7th Street, S.W. NSA-11
Washington, DC 20590

Re: Four Winds International Corporation
Defect and Non-Compliance Report
EQ05-006

Dear Mr. Person:

Our firm is general counsel for Four Winds International Corporation ("Four Winds"), P. O. Box 1486, Elkhart, Indiana 46515-1486. This letter is in response to the notification received on March 17, 2006 from your office concerning the defect notice (Recall No. 04V-195) that was filed by Workhorse Custom Chassis ("Workhorse") in which your office requested whether Four Winds has purchased from Workhorse any of the chassis equipped with the Actia Corporate instrument cluster that fails to comply with the requirement of FMVSS Nos. 101 and 105.

Pursuant to Part 573 of Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations, we are hereby notifying the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration that certain motorhomes manufactured by Four Winds were built on the Workhorse chassis that fail to conform to FMVSS Nos. 101 and 105.

As more specifically set forth below, Workhorse has agreed to conduct the recall campaign involving these non-compliant chassis, including but not limited to providing notification to all of Four Winds' potential customers that are subject to the recall campaign, remedying the non-compliance, and filing the quarterly reports in connection with the recall campaign.

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- A. Recall Population and Vehicle Identification. The non-compliant chassis supplied by Workhorse have been used on certain 2003 through 2005 model year Hurricane, Infinity, and Windsport motorhomes manufactured by Four Winds during the period from August 2002 through October 2004. The serial number range and the vehicle identification number range for the motorhomes subject to this recall campaign are set forth on the attached Exhibit "A." The total number of motorhomes subject to this recall campaign is 500, which includes 39 motorhomes that have been sold in Canada and overseas.

The scope of this recall campaign is based on Workhorse's records which provide that 500 of the non-compliant chassis have been supplied to Four Winds. As a result, only 500 Four Winds motorhomes are subject to this recall campaign rather than the 507 units initially listed by Workhorse as having been supplied to Four Winds in a previous customer list submitted to NHTSA.

- B. Description of Non-Compliance. All of the motorhomes subject to this recall campaign were built on Workhorse chassis that contain an Actia Corporate instrument panel cluster. The non-compliance involves incorrect software programmed into the instrument panel cluster such that certain driver warnings required by FMVSS Nos. 101 and 105 are not displayed. As a result of this incorrect software, the instrument panel cluster may fail to illuminate warning lamps indicating brake system failure codes.
- C. Basis for Determining that a Non-Compliance Exists. Four Winds initially received notification from NHTSA on March 17, 2006 that a potential non-compliance exists with respect to the Actia Corporate instrument panel cluster used on certain Workhorse chassis. Subsequently, Four Winds confirmed that certain of the chassis purchased by Four Winds from Workhorse contain the potential non-compliance.
- D. Remedying of Non-Compliance. As set forth in the notification issued by Workhorse in connection with recall campaign 04V-195, Workhorse dealers will reprogram the software used in the instrument panel cluster or exchange the instrument panel cluster. The owners of the motorhomes subject to this recall campaign have been advised to contact Workhorse in order to make arrangements to have the remedy completed by Workhorse. Workhorse has agreed to remedy the non-compliance without charge to the owners.

The owners of the motorhomes sold by Four Winds that are subject to this recall campaign have already been notified by Workhorse. Workhorse will implement the recall campaign in accordance with the procedures specified in recall campaign 04V-195.

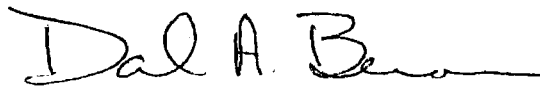
- E. Owner Notifications. Workhorse has already provided the notification letters to the owners of the Four Winds motorhomes that are subject to this recall campaign in accordance with the procedures specified in recall campaign 04V-195.

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- F. Quarterly Reporting Requirements. Workhorse will be responsible for filing quarterly reports in connection with recall campaign 04V-195. Because the information included by Workhorse in its quarterly reports will encompass the remedying of the Four Winds motorhomes subject to this recall campaign, Four Winds will not file quarterly reports to avoid duplication.
- G. Campaign Number. Four Winds does not have an internal campaign number for this recall. Four Winds will use the recall campaign number assigned by NHTSA.

The enclosed information should comply with the NHTSA regulations and satisfy the obligations of Four Winds with respect to this recall campaign. If you need any additional information regarding the participation of Four Winds in this recall campaign, please feel free to contact me at (937) 492-1271.

Very truly yours,



Daniel A. Bensman

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cc: Four Winds International Corporation (via fax)
Mr. John M. Garmhausen

US LISTING

Model	Model Year	Qty	Beg. Serial #	Ending Serial #	Beg. VIN #	Ending VIN #	Beg. Mfg. Date	Ending Mfg. Date
Hurricane	2003, 2004 and 2005	159	HAA011653	HAA014731	5B4KP57G033361659	5B4MP67GX43393535	8/26/2002	9/22/2004
Infinity	2003, 2004 and 2005	193	IAA011640	IAA014936	5B4MP67G033359957	5B4MPA7G943390273	8/21/2002	10/28/2004
Windsport	2003, 2004 and 2005	109	WAA011621	WAA014684	5B4MP67G033355861	5B4MP67GX43392935	8/15/2002	9/14/2004

Total 461

Canadian Listing

Model	Model Year	Qty	Beg. Serial #	Ending Serial #	Beg. VIN #	Ending VIN #	Beg. Mfg. Date	Ending Mfg. Date
Hurricane	2003, 2004 and 2005	6	HAA011692	HAA014570	5B4KP57G033356445	5B4KP57G543391984	9/4/2002	8/26/2004
Infinity	2003, 2004 and 2005	20	IAA011705	IAA014813	5B4MP67G043389722	5B4MP67GX43393292	9/6/2002	10/6/2004
Windsport	2003, 2004 and 2005	8	WAA012090	WAA014217	5B4MP67G043393138	5B4MP67GX33361165	12/12/2002	6/21/2004

Total 34

Overseas Listing

Model	Model Year	Qty	Beg. Serial #	Ending Serial #	Beg. VIN #	Ending VIN #	Beg. Mfg. Date	Ending Mfg. Date
Infinity	2004	2	IAA013380	IAA013739	5B4MP67G043387873	5B4MP67G943384776	2/6/2004	4/6/2004
Windsport	2004 and 2005	3	WAA013893	WAA014212	5B4MP67G543393538	5B4MP67G843390567	4/29/2004	6/18/2004

Total 5