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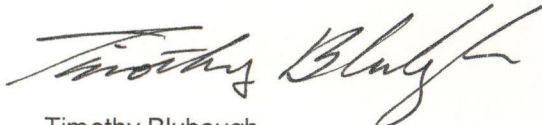
**Re: Noncompliance Information Report – supplemental information
(FL-435), NHTSA no. 06V-185, Certification**

Mr. Smith:

In accordance with Part 573 of Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Freightliner LLC herewith submits supplemental defect information and copies of documents to be distributed to dealers and purchasers. The attached owner notification letter was mailed June 6, 2006.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely yours,



Timothy Blubaugh

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FL435A
NHTSA # 06V-185

Subject: U.S. Compliance Certification Labeling and Anti-lock Braking System

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

Freightliner LLC, on behalf of its Freightliner Trucks Division, has decided that certain vehicles were sold in a U.S. market without required compliance certification labeling or an anti-lock braking system per Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) 121, Air Brake Systems. Under certain road surface conditions, stopping distance may be affected, resulting in a possible vehicle crash.

The vehicles involved are four Freightliner Business Class FL70 vehicles manufactured between August 23 and August 27, 2002, in Mexico. The individual vehicle identification numbers are: 3ALABUCS83DL63262, 3ALABUCSX3DL63263, 3ALABUCS13DL63264, and 3ALABUCS33DL63265.

Please contact the Warranty Campaigns Department to make arrangements to have the required certification labeling installed and anti-lock braking system installed. We can be reached by phone at (503) 745-7366 or (800) 547-0712 or by e-mail at WarrantyCampaigns@Freightliner.com between 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Pacific Time, Monday through Friday.

When you contact Freightliner regarding these vehicles, please refer to campaign number **FL435A**. This work will be performed at no charge to you.

IMPORTANT: When the recall has been completed, please ensure that a label has been affixed to the vehicles referencing **FL435A**.

If you do not own or have possession of the vehicles listed above, please return this notification to the Warranty Campaigns Department with any information you can furnish that will assist us in locating the present owner. If you have leased this vehicle, Federal law requires that you forward this notice to the lessee within 10 days.

If you are not able to have the defect remedied without charge and within a reasonable time, which is not longer than 60 days after you tender the vehicle for repair, please contact the Warranty Campaigns Department at (800) 547-0712, 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Pacific Time, Monday through Friday, e-mail address WarrantyCampaigns@freightliner.com, or the Customer Assistance Center at (800) FTL-HELP or (800) STL-HELP, after normal business hours. You may also wish to submit a complaint to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 400 7th Street S.W., Washington, D.C. 20590; or call the Vehicle Safety Hotline at (888) 327-4236 (TTY: 800-424-9153); or to <http://www.safercar.gov>.

We regret any inconvenience this action may cause but feel certain you understand our interest in motor vehicle safety.

WARRANTY CAMPAIGNS DEPARTMENT

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