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February 14, 2008

Ms. Patricia Wallace
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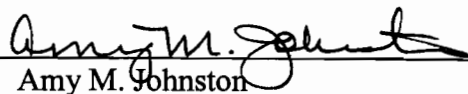
Re: NHTSA Campaign Number: 07V-523

Dear Ms. Wallace:

Enclosed are copies of a Second Notice to dealers requesting additional information regarding customer contact and identification, and representative envelope for the above-referenced recall campaign. Please file in your usual manner. As always, please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.

Very truly yours,

MILLER, CANFIELD, PADDOCK AND STONE, P.L.C.

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Enclosures

cc: Thomas McMillan (w/o enclosures)

**SAFETY RECALL FOR THULE GALVANIZED TRAILER
(MODEL NOS. 3205 or 1900)**

February 7, 2008

Second Notice

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

******* In accordance with this recall, this notification is to gain further information to
contact the end consumers *******

Thule Trailers ("Thule") has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain 7' x 4.5 galvanized utility trailers, **Model Nos. 3205 or 1900** (which is Model no. 3205 with a lid).

**PLEASE IMMEDIATELY PROVIDE THULE TRAILERS WITH ANY AND
ALL CONSUMER INFORMATION SO THAT WE MAY PROPERLY NOTIFY
THE CUSTOMERS DIRECTLY**

FOR CUSTOMERS WITH TRAILER, MODEL NO. 3205 OR 1900, PLEASE:

1. Identify the trailer model, locate the VIN on the tow bar. Locate the trailer model on the VIN, this will be the first 7 characters in the VIN. Trailers with VIN that begin with either 5XDN507 or 5FGN507 are subject to this recall.
2. Look on the underside of the trailer for the axle and axle mounting points for the bracket in question. The correct mounting of the brackets occurs when it is mounted between the axle and chassis member of the trailer, with the "L" portion of the bracket flush against the side of the chassis member (as seen pictured on the left).



Correct



Incorrect



Incorrect

REASON FOR THIS RECALL: The axle strengthening bracket (part number T18114) may be installed incorrectly which could lead to the axle breaking away from the trailer body while in use. **THIS CONDITION MAY CAUSE AN ACCIDENT AND/OR INJURY WITHOUT WARNING.**

WHAT THULE WILL DO: Thule will reimburse the labor for correcting the placement of the axle bracket at no charge to you.

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

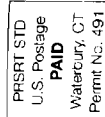
DO NOT SELL THE SUBJECT TRAILER; DO NOT TOW THE TRAILER

1. Contact Thule immediately toll-free at (888) 451-9776 to arrange for inspection and correction of the bracket installation on the trailer. For more information, contact Thule at the toll-free number above.
2. **PLEASE PROVIDE THULE TRAILERS WITH ANY AND ALL CONSUMER INFORMATION SO THAT WE MAY PROPERLY NOTIFY THE CUSTOMERS DIRECTLY.**

If you are not able to have the safety defect remedied without charge and within a reasonable time, you may wish to write the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE, Washington, DC 20590 or call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>. We apologize for this inconvenience; however, we have taken this action in the interest of your safety and continued satisfaction with our product. Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

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