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Newell Coach Corp.

January 8, 2007

Subject: Inspection of steering box mounting bolts.

Dear

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

Newell Coach Corporation has decided that a defect, which relates to motor vehicle safety, exists in the front steering system of certain coaches.

We have received two customer reports of excessive "play" in the steering. Subsequent inspection found that the mounting bolts securing the steering box to the chassis had not been properly torqued during the production process. The consequences of the steering box becoming disconnected from the frame could be very serious, possibly resulting in injury or death. Therefore we are directing that we inspect and repair the steering of your Newell at the earliest opportunity.

The repair takes less than thirty minutes. It consists of torquing the mounting bolts to 375 foot pounds.

Please contact Newell Coach at 888-963-9355, as soon as possible to schedule a repair in our factory service facility, or for assistance in locating a qualified service facility in your area to complete this safety recall campaign.

If you have sold or traded your motor coach, please call us at 888-963-9355.

If you are unable to have the safety related defect/non-compliance remedied without charge, and within a reasonable time, you may notify; Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 400 7th Street, SW Washington, DC 20590 (or call 1-888-327-4236); (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>.

If you had this repair performed before you received this letter, you may be eligible to receive reimbursement for the cost of obtaining a pre-notification remedy of the problem associated with this recall. For more information contact Newell Coach at 888-963-9355.

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

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. If you need assistance, or if you have questions, please call the undersigned, Jim Gering, or Tommy Key at 1-888-3NEWELL.



John Clark

VP/Director of Customer Service