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Vehicle Structure & Safety Integration

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Recall Management Division (NVS-215)  
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Dear Mr. Smith:

The following information is an update of the 573.6(c)(2)(3)(4) information in our December 12, 2005 letter as it relates to a decision by General Motors to recall certain 2003-06 Chevrolet Express and GMC Savana full-size passenger, cargo and cutaway vans for seat belt buckles. This information is submitted pursuant to the requirements of 49 CFR 573.6.

Warranty claims for seat belt buckles on 2006 Express/Savana vans increased in the third quarter of 2007. After an investigation, it was found that some 9600 lb GVW (RPO C6Y) passenger vans, with either 12 or 15 passenger seating configurations, were inadvertently excluded from the original population.

573.6(c)(2)(3)(4): This information is shown on the attached sheet.

573.6(c)(9): GM will provide copies of the dealer bulletin and owner letter when available. The scheduled mail dates for the dealer bulletin is April 23, 2008 and the owner letter is April 30, 2008.

If you have any questions regarding this revision to GM's December 12, 2005 letter please call.

Sincerely,

Gay P. Kent

Director

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VEHICLES POTENTIALLY AFFECTED BY MAKE, MODEL, AND MODEL YEAR  
PLUS INCLUSIVE DATES OF MANUFACTURE

<u>MAKE</u>	<u>MODEL SERIES</u>	<u>MODEL YEAR</u>	<u>NUMBER INVOLVED</u>	<u>INCLUSIVE MANUFACTURING DATES (FROM) (TO)</u>		<u>DESCRIPTIVE INFO. TO PROPERLY IDENT. VEH.</u>	<u>EST. NO. W/CONDITION</u>
Chevrolet	G Van	2003	77,436	02/2002	06/2003	Express	*
Chevrolet	G Van	2004	99,124	03/2003	07/2004	Express	"
Chevrolet	G Van	2005	119,522	03/2004	06/2005	Express	"
Chevrolet	G Van	2006	28,372	04/2005	10/2005	Express	"
GMC	G Van	2003	23,959	02/2002	06/2003	Savana	"
GMC	G Van	2004	35,818	03/2003	07/2004	Savana	"
GMC	G Van	2005	33,973	03/2004	06/2005	Savana	"
GMC	G Van	2006	7,389	04/2005	10/2005	Savana	"

Original GM Total: 425,593

Additional Vehicle Population

Chevrolet	G Van	2006	3,520	04/2005	10/2005	Express	"
GMC	G Van	2006	483	04/2005	10/2005	Savana	"

Additional GM Total: 4,003

Combined GM Total: 429,596

\* All affected vehicles will be corrected.

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