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July 24, 2008

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Mr. Daniel C. Smith
Associate Administrator for Enforcement
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
1200 New Jersey Ave, SE
Washington, DC 20590

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Re: Safety Defect Report

Dear Mr. Smith:

On July 17, 2008, Fleetwood Enterprises, Inc., decided that a safety defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain motor homes as listed below, and is furnishing notification to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration in accordance with 49 CFR Part 573 Defect and Non-compliance reports.

The following is the information required by 49 CFR Part 573:

- This report was prepared on July 24, 2008.
 - Fleetwood has assigned 80724 as an identification code to this recall.
- (1) The affected motor homes were manufactured by the following wholly owned subsidiaries of Fleetwood Enterprises, Inc.

Fleetwood Motor Homes of California, Inc. #47
5300 Via Ricardo, P.O. Box 5726
Riverside, California 92517

Fleetwood Motor Homes of Pennsylvania, Inc. #71
Drawer 5
Route 487
Paxinos, Pennsylvania 17860

The agency should contact the following individual with respect to this recall:

Chuck James
Director – Parts & Service
Motor Home Division
1010 Commerce Dr., P.O. Box 1007
Decatur, Indiana 46733
Telephone: 260-728-9564
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- (2) The vehicles involved in the recall are certain 2008 model year Terra and Fiesta motor homes manufactured from:
Terra - September 28, 2007 through July 11, 2008
Fiesta - September 28, 2007 through May 2, 2008

The July 11, 2008 and May 2, 2008 dates coincide with the rerouting of the Battery Control Center, miscellaneous wire harness during production.

These motor homes were built with a Fleetwood identification number range of:

Terra - 793L84700028 through 793L84799935

Terra - 793L87172711 through 793T87174053

Fiesta - 794T84700214 through 794T84799941

Fiesta - 794B87172712 through 794L87173693

- (3) Fleetwood reports approximately 369 as the number of Terra and Fiesta motor homes that contain the safety defect.
- (4) Fleetwood estimates that 100% of the affected Terra and Fiesta motor homes contain the safety defect.
- (5) On certain 2008 Terra and Fiesta motor homes affected by this recall, the Battery Control Center (BCC) miscellaneous wire harness is routed between framing at the drivers wheel well and the front leveling jack. This routing can cause the wires to be pinched resulting in shorted or open circuits which could lead to blown fuses, house component non-operation and may result in a fire.
- (6) Not applicable.
- (7) Fleetwood began an investigation in July, 2008 after discovering the routing problem during a routine dealer lot inspection.

Fleetwood is not aware of any accidents or injuries that have resulted from this safety defect.

- (8) Fleetwood will inspect and if necessary reroute the BCC miscellaneous wire harness.
- (9) Fleetwood intends to conduct a dealer notification by e-mail on August 15, 2008.

Fleetwood intends to conduct a customer notification by UPS traceable on August 22, 2008.

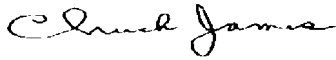
Fleetwood does not foresee any problems with implementing this voluntary recall campaign.

- (10) Copies of subsequent correspondence will be submitted to the NHTSA within five (5) working days of distribution. This correspondence will include:

- I) Letter of dealer notification
- II) Letter of customer notification
- III) Service Bulletin

A draft of these documents will be forthcoming for your review. If additional information is required, please contact Shelley Krueger who can be reached by phone at (951) 351-3646 or by e-mail at skrueger@fleetwood.com.

Sincerely,



Chuck James
Director of Parts & Service
Motor Home Division