MOTOR VEHICLE RECALL

Dear 2007 or 2008 Santa Fe or Veracruz Owner:

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

Hyundai has decided that a defect, which relates to motor vehicle safety, exists in certain model year 2007 and 2008 Hyundai Santa Fe and Veracruz vehicles that are equipped with a distributor-installed or dealer -installed accessory trailer hitch. The part numbers of the affected trailer hitches are:

Part Description	Hyundai Part Number
Santa Fe Trailer Hitch	U8610 2B000 and U8610 2B100
Veracruz Trailer Hitch	U8610 3J000

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

What is the problem?

• The trailer hitch wiring harness converter module may experience heat damage caused by current leakage or a short circuit of a capacitor within the module. Excessive heat may cause damage to the rear bumper area and may potentially result in a fire.

What will Hyundai do?

• To ensure that your vehicle's trailer hitch wiring harness converter module does not experience heat damage, we are asking you to schedule an appointment as soon as possible to take your vehicle to your Hyundai dealer. The Hyundai dealer will replace the trailer hitch wiring harness with one containing a new converter module that has been designed to prevent overheating from this condition. This procedure will be performed at no charge to you. You should plan to leave your vehicle at your Hyundai dealer to have this service performed. Repair times will vary and depend on your dealer's appointment schedule.

What should you do?

• We urge you to call your Hyundai dealer to schedule an appointment to have this work performed as soon as possible.

What if you have other questions?

• If you have any difficulty having this repair performed, we recommend that you call the Hyundai Customer Assistance Center at 1-800-633-5151. If you are still not satisfied that we have remedied this situation without charge, and within a reasonable amount of time, you may wish to write to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE, Washington, D.C. 20590, or call their toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153), or go to http://www.safercar.gov.

We urge your prompt attention to this important safety matter.

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