



**TRUCKS**  
Nissan Diesel America, Inc.

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Via Fed-Ex

Mr. Ron Medford  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
ODI/Recall Management Division - NVS-215  
1200 New Jersey Avenue S.E.  
Washington, DC 20590

Re: Nissan Diesel America, Inc.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is Nissan Diesel America, Inc. defect information report pursuant to 49 C.F.R. Part 573.6.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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## SECTION 573.6 INFORMATION REPORT

Pursuant to 49 C.F.R. 573.6, Nissan Diesel America, Inc. ("NDA") submits the following information:

1.       Manufacturer:                       Nissan Diesel Motor Co., Ltd.  
  1 – 1 Ageo-shi, Saitama 362-8523, Japan  
  
          Importer / designated agent:   Nissan Diesel America, Inc.  
  5930 West Campus Circle Drive  
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2.       Specific 2008 model year UD3300 medium duty trucks equipped with the Arvin Meritor 2-Speed rear axle and the following vehicle identification numbers:  
  
          **2008**   UD3300           JNAPC81L48AC70003  
  JNAPC81L58AF70004  
  JNAPC81L28AE70118  
  JNAPC81L48AE70119  
  JNAPC81L08AE70120  
  JNAPC81L28AE70121  
  JNAPC81L48AE70122  
  JNAPC81L68AE70123  
  JNAPC81L88AE70124  
  JNAPC81LX8AE70125

The UD3300 vehicles listed above do not meet the FMVSS Brake Actuation Time regulation due to an incorrect length of the air brake hose installed between the relay valve and the quick release valve for the left rear air brake assembly. The full air brake system is specific to the UD3300 model. All UD3300 trucks other than those listed above were manufactured with the correct length air brake hose and are not involved in this recall.

3.       10 vehicles
  
4.       100%
  
5.       The length of the air brake hose installed between the relay valve and quick release valve for the left rear air brake assembly is incorrect and may increase the resistance in the air supply.
  
6.       Manufacturer's review of the assembly process and procedure discovered that the incorrect length of air brake hose was inadvertently installed during assembly on the above listed vehicles.
  
7.       Inapplicable
  
8.       The intended remedial action is as follows:

All subject vehicles above will have the air brake hose replaced between the relay valve and the quick release valve with the correct length hose.

NDA estimates that it will be able to provide the dealer notification letter on or about April 20, 2009, and such notification will be completed within 10 days. Owner notification will be provided on or about April 27, 2009 and such notification will be completed within 10 days.

9. All notices, bulletins, etc. will be provided to NHTSA.
10. A draft owner notification letter will be provided to NHTSA no less than five (5) business days prior to mailing to owners.
11. Nissan Diesel America, Inc. will notify NHTSA promptly if Nissan Diesel America, Inc. assigns a campaign number that differs from NHTSA's identification number.