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**Sent:** Monday, April 27, 2009 1:43 PM

**To:** Ansley, Alexander <NHTSA>

**Subject:** RE: Dorman Recall #09E-005 Inquiry

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Alex,

Thanks for the follow-up. We did receive certain test results back but the results were inconclusive. Since we decided to recall and scrap the aluminum product and switch production to cast iron, it did not make much sense to spend resources on follow up tests. Let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks

Tom

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**From:** alexander.ansley@dot.gov [mailto:alexander.ansley@dot.gov]

**Sent:** Monday, April 27, 2009 11:35 AM

**To:** Thomas Knoblauch

**Subject:** FW: Dorman Recall #09E-005 Inquiry

Mr. Knoblauch,

I don't believe I heard back from you on the below. Has Dorman received the test results noted in 09E-005?

**Alex Ansley**

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**From:** Ansley, Alexander <NHTSA>  
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**Attachments:** Dorman Recall 09E-005.pdf  
Mr. Knoblauch,

I don't believe I heard back from you on the below. Has Dorman received the test results noted in 09E-005?

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**From:** Ansley, Alexander <NHTSA>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 18, 2009 10:35 AM  
**To:** 'Thomas Knoblauch'  
**Subject:** Dorman Recall #09E-005 Inquiry

Mr. Knoblauch,

Good morning. Regarding Dorman recall #09E-005 (attached), are the lab results your Defect Report mention available yet? Are these steering knuckles made specifically for Dorman (to Dorman's specifications) or are they made generally available to other companies?

Thank you,

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