



Mercedes-Benz

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April 9, 2010

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
Attention: George Person, Chief, Recall Analysis Division  
1200 New Jersey Avenue Seventh, S.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20590

Dear Mr. Person:

Please find the Quarterly Report of Defect Notification Campaigns for the quarter ending March 31, 2010.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 201-573-2622.

Sincerely,

R-Thomas Brunner  
Department Manager, Product Compliance, Analysis, Safety & Emissions

Anthony P. La Spada  
Associate General Counsel & Assistant Secretary

Enclosure



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|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| MANUFACTURER<br>MERCEDES-BENZ USA, LLC.                                              |                           |                              |                                     |                   | QUARTER ENDING<br>March 31, 2010 |                          |                         |
| MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY DEFECT REPORT<br>QUARTERLY REPORT DEFECT NOTIFICATION CAMPAIGNS |                           |                              |                                     |                   |                                  |                          |                         |
| MBUSA REFERENCE NUMBER                                                               | 2008080004                | 2003040005                   | 2008120011                          | 2009010002        | 2009030001                       | 2009030003               | 2009110005              |
| ABBREVIATED DESCRIPTION                                                              | CL,S,SL,<br>ABC<br>SENSOR | ML<br>POWER<br>STEERING HOSE | ML, GL, R<br>POWER<br>STEERING RACK | S<br>ABC<br>STRUT | S<br>DOOR<br>LOCK                | ML<br>POWER<br>LIFT GATE | G<br>FUEL<br>LINE CLAMP |
| REPORT NO. (573.6)                                                                   | 6                         | 6                            | 5                                   | 4                 | 4                                | 4                        | 1                       |
| CAMPAIGN NO. b(1)                                                                    | 08V-405                   | *08V-465                     | 08V-682                             | 08V-608           | 09V-081                          | 09V-076                  | 09V-453                 |
| DATE STARTED b(2)                                                                    | 9/12/2008                 | 10/31/2008                   | 1/24/2009                           | 2/4/2009          | 3/27/2009                        | 4/17/2009                | 1/8/2010                |
| NOTIFICATION ENDED b(2)                                                              |                           |                              |                                     |                   |                                  |                          |                         |
| NUMBER OF VEHICLES                                                                   |                           |                              |                                     |                   |                                  |                          |                         |
| INVOLVED IN CAMPAIGN: b(3)                                                           | 4579                      | 125981                       | 577                                 | 1524              | 54                               | 17901                    | 351                     |
| REPAIRED: b(4i)                                                                      | 4231                      | 63793                        | 447                                 | 1283              | 43                               | 15279                    | 228                     |
| INSPECTED                                                                            |                           |                              |                                     |                   |                                  |                          |                         |
| REPAIR NOT NEEDED: b(4ii)                                                            | 0                         | 0                            | 0                                   | 0                 | 0                                | 0                        | 0                       |
| CORRECTIVE MEASURES                                                                  |                           |                              |                                     |                   |                                  |                          |                         |
| COMPLETED: b(5)                                                                      | 4231                      | 63793                        | 447                                 | 1283              | 43                               | 15279                    | 228                     |
| UNREACHABLE b(6)                                                                     | 0                         | 0                            | 0                                   | 0                 | 0                                | 0                        | 0                       |
| STOLEN                                                                               | 0                         | 0                            | 0                                   | 0                 | 0                                | 0                        | 0                       |
| SCRAPPED                                                                             | 0                         | 0                            | 0                                   | 0                 | 0                                | 0                        | 0                       |
| SOLD-OWNER UNKNOWN                                                                   | 0                         | 0                            | 0                                   | 0                 | 0                                | 0                        | 0                       |
| OUT OF U.S.                                                                          | 0                         | 0                            | 0                                   | 0                 | 0                                | 0                        | 0                       |
| MOVED-NO ADDRESS                                                                     | 0                         | 0                            | 0                                   | 0                 | 0                                | 0                        | 0                       |
| UNCLAIMED LETTER                                                                     | 0                         | 0                            | 0                                   | 0                 | 0                                | 0                        | 0                       |
| UNCOOPERATIVE                                                                        | 0                         | 0                            | 0                                   | 0                 | 0                                | 0                        | 0                       |
| COMPLETION PERCENT                                                                   | 92.40%                    | 50.64%                       | 77.47%                              | 84.19%            | 79.63%                           | 85.35%                   | 64.96%                  |

\* Originally launched in 2003 as NHTSA Recall # 03V-121