



September 16, 2011

APPENDIX #3 @ 09/16/11

Name  
Company  
Address  
City, State Zip Code

RE: New Safety Recall, Service Brakes, Air: Slack Adjusters, Automatic:

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

**Summary:**

Silver Eagle Manufacturing Company is recalling Certain Model Year 2010-2011 Dollies, VAST20, CSU20, CSO20, CSUA20 Manufactured November 18, 2010, Through March 24<sup>th</sup> 2011 and equipped with Gunite Automatic Slack Adjusters. Due to an incomplete “Knitting” of the iron at the time of casting, inadequate Structural integrity of the slack adjuster housing can occur, which could cause the housing to break at the handle under normal operating loads. This defect which related to motor vehicle safety exists in the following Converter Dollies sold to you in date:

<u>Vehicle Identification Number</u>	<u>Shipping Date</u>
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	XXXXXXXX

***Silver Eagle Dealers: Please forward this letter on to the vehicle owners and notify Silver Eagle of compliance or supply Silver Eagle with vehicle owner contact information so we may contact the owners directly. If there are any questions, please contact Silver Eagle.***

***Potential Number of Units Affected 3***

***Consequence:***

Slack Adjusters with this flow notch could crack under normal braking conditions causing a loss of braking which could result in a vehicle crash.

***Remedy:***

Silver Eagle will notify owners and Accuride/Gunite will conduct the Remedy for this campaign and replace the subject slack adjusters free of charge. The safety recall began on September 15, 2011. Per documentation from Accuride-Gunite owners should contact Pam Willett at Accuride (855) 857-8645. We have enclosed the information provided by Accuride/Gunite to inspect and submit claims. Accuride will, in turn, notify Silver Eagle MFG of the contact for NHTSA reporting purposes on a quarterly basis.

We desire for this repair to be remedied without cost to you. If you believe that we have failed to remedy the defect without charge, or within a reasonable period of time, which is not longer than 60 days from the first tender to obtain repair, you may submit a complaint to:

The Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE  
Washington, DC. 20590

You may also call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-800-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>

Best Regards,



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