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November 30, 2012

Liberty Kenworth of Southern New Jersey
2160 Route 322
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Subject: Safety Recall 12KWG-K270 & K370 Exterior Lighting - NHTSA 12V-490
Vin No. [REDACTED]

Dear Kenworth Customer,

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

Kenworth Truck Company has decided that Kenworth model K270 and K370 vehicles manufactured between November 23, 2011 and September 27, 2012 fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle safety Standard No. 108, "Lamps, Reflective Devices, and Associated Equipment", related to exterior lighting. Your vehicle has been identified as having been manufactured within this time period and may contain a defect.

Exterior lighting conditions that are not in compliance include: 1) fog lamps can be activated with high beam headlights turned on, and 2) with the key on, the Daytime Running Lights (DRL) are activated and cannot be switched off. Vehicles that use a combination of both fog lights and head lights or daytime running lights and headlights may be too bright for oncoming traffic, possibly distracting them and increasing the risk of a crash.

The problem is...	Exterior lighting does not comply with state and federal regulations
What your dealer will do...	Install a wiring harness to 1) render the fog lights only operable with the low beam headlights; 2) to allow the DRL's to be automatically switched "OFF" when the headlight switch is moved from the "OFF" position
What you must do ...	Contact your dealer immediately to schedule an appointment

Kenworth has initiated a recall to install a wiring harness to correct the exterior lighting compliance issues. Please contact your Kenworth dealer immediately to schedule an appointment for this repair. To find your nearest Kenworth dealer, please visit Dealer Locator at www.Kenworth.com. This repair should take less than one half hour, and will be performed at no charge to you. If you had this repair performed before you received this letter, you may be eligible to receive reimbursement for the cost of obtaining a pre-notification remedy of the problem associated with this recall.

If you require further information about this recall, reimbursement of a pre-notification remedy associated with this recall or experience any difficulty in making arrangements for this repair, please contact: Kenworth Truck Company, P.O. Box 1000, Kirkland, WA 98083-1000, Attn: Quality Services Department, phone 425-828-5000.

If you conclude that Kenworth Truck Company has not enabled you to remedy this defect in reasonable time and without charge, you may submit a complaint to: Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, S.E., Washington, DC 20590, or call the toll free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>.

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

If you no longer own this vehicle, we would appreciate your advising us of the new owner if you know their name. The enclosed card may be used for this purpose.

We regret any inconvenience that this work may cause you and appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Mike Kalkoske
Quality Services Manager