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Associate Administrator for Enforcement  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
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Washington, D.C. 20590

Pursuant to Part 573 of Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations - Defect and Noncompliance Reports, Collins Bus Corporation is submitting information relating to a safety recall we are conducting. Specific information is as follows:

**573.6(b)(1)**

This is the 1th quarterly report regarding Recall Number 12V-342

**573.6(b)(2)**

The initial notification began and completed August 16, 2012

**573.6(b)(3)**

This recall involves one hundred ninety-six (196) Collins, Mid Bus, or Corbeil Brands built on Ford and Chevrolet cutaway chassis, during the period of March 12, 2012 through July 2, 2012. Customers were instructed to take their vehicles to a Collins Bus distributor for inspection and subsequent repairs if required.

**573.6(b)(4)**

To date, we have received confirmation that thirty-nine (39) of the buses have been inspected and repaired. Zero (0) buses have been inspected and need no repair, zero (0) buses have been sold, and one hundred fifty-seven (157) buses have not been confirmed.

**573.6(b)(5)**

To date, we have determined none of the buses to be unreachable for inspection.

Should you need further information, my contact information is as follows:

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Sincerely,  
**COLLINS BUS CORPORATION**

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