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SAFETY RECALL – NHTSA NO. 13T-004

Dear Kumho Tire Owner:

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

Kumho Tire U.S.A., Inc. has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain Kumho Solus KH25 225/45R17 tires built from the 34th week of 2011 through the 25th week of 2012. The tires can be identified as follows:

Kumho Solus KH25 225/45R17 DOT TIN: K2X5YAL8 DOT RANGE: 3411 thru 2512





These tires could develop cracks in the sidewall, which may result in air loss, increasing the risk of a crash. Additionally, the affected tires have three drilled holes in the tread area that, although repaired, may result in air loss or tire failure that could result in a crash.

Kumho Tire is recalling all of the tires with the identification numbers listed above. To ensure you are given the free remedy to which you are entitled, we request that you please call Kumho Consumer Relations at 800-445-8646 Ext. 358. Please have the following information readily available to provide to our representatives:

1.) Copy of your purchase receipt, if available. If no purchase receipt is available and you are unable to obtain one, please provide us with information on where you purchased your tires. Our representatives may request additional information relevant to your purchase.

2.) Your name, current mailing address and telephone number.

After we have verified that the tires you own are the ones included in this recall campaign, we will direct you to your nearest Kumho Tire dealer immediately for free replacement of the affected tires with identical or reasonably similar tires, or if you have a purchase receipt, a refund of your purchase price.

Please note that you must present any tires you believe are affected by this recall campaign to us within ninety (90) days of the date of this notice. Please also provide a copy of this letter to the dealer so that it can be returned to us for purpose of this recall.

If you have had your tires replaced prior to receipt of this notice, you may be entitled to reimbursement if you incurred any out of pocket cost due to this matter. For further information, please contact us at the number listed above.

Should any questions or problems arise while your tire(s) are being replaced or your purchase price is being refunded, please call Kumho Consumer Relations at 800-445-8646 Ext. 358 and we will be of service to you. In the event you believe we have failed to or are unable to replace your tires without charge to you within the ninety (90) day period described above, you may also submit a written complaint to : Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue S.E., Washington D.C. 20590, or phone NHTSA's Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY 1-800-424-9153); or go to http://www.safercar.gov.

We regret this inconvenience, but are sure you understand our interest in your safety and satisfaction with your tires. Please contact Kumho Consumer Relations at 800-445-8646 Ext. 358 immediately for a free replacement of the affected tires with identical or reasonably similar tires or a refund.

Sincerely,

Kumho Tire U.S.A., Inc.