



National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
1200 New Jersey Avenue SE
West Building
Washington DC 20590

May 1, 2014

Attention: Kelly Schuler and/or Cynthia Glass

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that Trans Tech Bus was notified by the Ricon Corporation on Wednesday, April 30, 2014 of a potential defect specifically pertaining to FMVSS No. 571.403; "Platform Lift Systems for Motor Vehicles".

Trans Tech Bus is performing its internal investigation into this matter and preparing the population report for NHTSA. This report will be completed no later than May 5th, 2014. Subsequently we will obtain contact information for the end users of the affected vehicles.

TransTech Bus will be preparing a 573 Report, which will be completed by Friday, April 13th, 2012 and will be forwarded to you for review.

This report was e-mailed to NHTSA on May 1st, 2014 to KellySchuler@dot.gov, Cynthia.Glass@dot.gov, and RMD.ODI@dot.gov. In addition, a physical copy has been sent, via UPS. If there are any questions regarding the information I have submitted, please contact me at 845-988-2333.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Tim Downey", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Timothy Downey
Standards & Compliance
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