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IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL

May 28, 2015

Subject: Safety Recall 15KWB - Meritor Axle Housing Replacement
NHTSA # 15V-196
This notice applies to your vehicle; VIN: 1XKYDP9X7FJ468489

NFPT
3638 Division Hwy
East Earl, PA 17519-9213

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 a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain model year 2015-2016 Kenworth T680/T880 trucks manufactured November 17, 2014, to January 5, 2015. These vehicles were manufactured with Meritor rear drive axles that do not meet Kenworth quality standards. Our records indicate that your vehicle, identified by the VIN at the top of this letter, was manufactured within this time period and may contain a defect.

On T680/T880 vehicles built during the time period indicated above, axles may circulate an inadequate amount of lubricant to the wheel end hub assembly. Without adequate lubrication to the wheel end hub assembly, the bearings may fail prematurely, increasing the risk of a wheel-end fire or crash.

The problem is...	Rear axle circulate an inadequate amount of lubricant
What your dealer will do...	Dealers will replace rear axle housing
What you must do ...	Contact your Kenworth Dealer to schedule an appointment for repair

Kenworth has initiated a recall to replace your truck's rear axle housing. 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 approximately six, 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