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IMPORTANT WARRANTY INFORMATION

REF 12-027
 Effective 09/25/12
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SUBJECT Detroit and Alliance like Batteries are now interchangeable

❖ New Battery Decree

Effective immediately, Detroit Diesel batteries will be interchangeable with Alliance batteries. The batteries must be of the same group and amperage.

Detroit Diesel batteries require the same Midtronics testing procedures and battery strips for filing claims.

Group 31 Detroit Premium batteries carry the same 18 month service part warranty that the Group 31 Alliance Premium batteries carry. All other Alliance and Detroit batteries carry a 12 month service part warranty.

IMPORTANT WARRANTY INFORMATION LETTER

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