Guide/Template
Part 565 Vehicle Identification Number- U.S. Trailer Co.

VIN Deciphering Submission – Aluminum Transfer Repair (Company Name)		
1st Section		
Position 1	WMI **1**	___ -- Assigned by SAE
Position 2	WMI **A**	___ -- Assigned by SAE
Position 3	WMI **q**	___ -- Assigned by SAE
2nd Section		
Position 4	Type of Trailer (For all trailer types, the MAKE Name is: **B— ATR Ball Type Pull** **G - ATR Gooseneck**	**B** = Ball Type Pull ___ = Pintle Hitch **G** =Gooseneck ___ = Straight Semi ___ = Fifth Wheel ___ =Kingpin
Position 5	Body Type **F - Flatbed Trailer**	___ =Snowmobile Trailer ___ =Boat Trailer ___ =Car Hauler Trailer ___ =Dump Trailer ___ =Enclosed Trailer **F** =Flatbed Trailer ___ =Curtain Side Trailer ___ =Hydraulic Dovetail ___ =Double Drop Trailer ___ =Camper Trailer ___ =Lowboy Trailer
Position 6 & 7	Length 24 - 24' long 30 - 30' long 25 - 25' long 32 - 32' long 26 - 26' long 28 - 28' long	06 =6 feet long 09 =9 feet long 26 =26 feet long 31 =31 feet long
Position 8	Number of Axles 2 - 2 axles 3 - 3 axles	___ =Single Axle **2** =2 Axles **3** =3 Axles
3rd Section		
Position 9	Check Digit Calculated See 49 CFR 565.15(c)	
4th Section		
Position 10	Model Year **E - 2014** **F - 2015**	A=2010 B=2011 C=2012 D=2013 E=2014
Position 11	Plant Location (City/State) **C - Coleman, TX**	_= 43 Sixth St, Baltimore, MD _= 19 Lake Rd, Baltimore, MD _ = Jessup, MD _= Towson, MD
Position 12	WMI **q**	__-Assigned by SAE
Position 13	WMI **7**	__-Assigned by SAE
Position 14	WMI **5**	__-Assigned by SAE
Positions 15, 16, & 17	Sequentially Assigned 001, 002, 003, etc. **001**	

Note: If your new company does not have a WMI Code (World Manufacturer Identifier Code), please obtain one by calling SAE at 724-772-7107 and indicate the types of vehicle(s) your company produces.)

Column 3 represents your company's items that you produce and their letter or number code that you assign to each item.
(Note: Never use capitol letters I, O, Q in your coding.)

Therefore create a similar template and follow the attached instructions. Please remember:

Do not simply copy these items in column 3. These are examples. Only list the items you produce and give it a letter or number code. DO NOT LIST ITEMS YOU DO NOT PRODUCE.

(Note: You can always submit a revised or updated PART 565-VIN Decoding chart when you have additional new items produced in the future with their newly assigned letter or number code.)

You may copy this verbiage as the check digit will always change with each VIN number created for each vehicle/trailer produced.

Keep these Model Year codes which are dictated by regulation.

Erase examples and give the City & State for each plant and assign each with a letter or number code.