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NHTSA:

For your review and record, you will find the amended VIN schemes for the 2000 and 2001 model years. The effective dates are March 15 1999 for the 2000 model year and March 10, 2000 for the 2001 model. I apologize for not sending the 2000 and 2001 scheme earlier, but due to a change in management the format for sending your office this information was misplaced.

Items that were amended are, changes in and additions to lines A, B, C, D and F. In "A" there has been an addition of the (H) Magnum Millenium chassis. In "B" GVWR the #5 - 22,500 GVWR has been deleted and 6 - 25,900 GVWR has been changed to 52,000 GVWR. We have added #2 29,500 GVWR and #9 32,700 GVWR to this category. In "C" Wheel base designators, there was the deletion of (C) the 208" wheel base in 2000 and reinstatement of the same for 2001. Additional wheel base lengths are the (N) 315" wheel base. In "D" we have added the (S) Caterpillar C12 455 Hp. Under suspensions we have eliminated the Ellipti ride suspension. I have also taken the liberty of adding the year designations through the year 2017. Please see attached documents for the changes.

Respectfully

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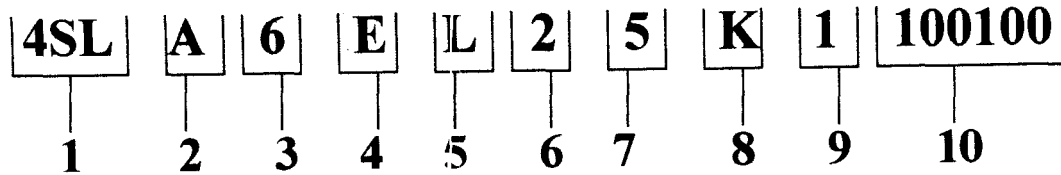
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A Division of



- VIN Scheme -



1. Designates Chassis Manufacture

4SL – Magnum Mfg. A Div.
of SMC Inc.

2. Designates Model Line

A- M Series
B- S Series
C- B Series
D- C Series
F- D Series
G- R Series
H- Millenium

3. Designates GVWR

1- 29,000 LBS
2- 29,500 LBS
3- 31,000 LBS
4- 36,200 LBS
5- 47,000 LBS
6- 52,000 LBS
7- 26,500 LBS
8- 28,000 LBS
9- 32,700 LBS

4. Designates Wheel Base

A- 178"
B- 228"
C- 208"

4. Designates Wheel Base (Continued)

E- 252"
F- 195"
G- 276"
H- 272"
J- 270"
K- 231"
L- 266"
P- 315"
R- 262"

5. Designates Engine Manufacture / Model

V- Caterpillar 3126B 275hp
N- Caterpillar 3126B 300hp
P- Caterpillar 3126B 330hp
S- Caterpillar C-12 455hp
R- Caterpillar C-12 425hp

6. Designates Braking System

1- Air
2- Hydraulic
3- Air over Hydraulic

7. Designates Check Digit

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8 Designates Model Year

Y- 2000
Z- 2001
1- 2002
2- 2003
3- 2004
4- 2005
5- 2006

9. Designates Manufacturing Plant Location

1- Magnum Div.
2- Safari Motor Coaches
3- Beaver Motor Coaches
4- Harney Coach Works

10. Designates Chassis Serial Number

100,000 – 299,999
Magnum Line
300,000 – 499,999
Option
500,000 – Beyond
Option