

Minuteman Boat Handling Equipment, Inc.

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Administrator National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NSA-32)

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Subject:

VIN Decoding Information for Minuteman Boat Handling Equipment, Inc.

In accordance with § 565.7(c) of 49 CFR Part 565, Vehicle Identification Number, Minuteman hereby submits Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) decoding information.

VIN POSITION:		DESCRIPTION:	CODES:
1,2 & 3	1 M 9	WMI	1 F 9
4	S-B-G-A	Trailer Type	S = Straight Semi B = Ball Type Pull
5	В	Body Type	V = Van Body B = Boat Trailer
6 & 7	19' to 45' - (all le	Length of Trailer ngths rounded to nearest foot)	26 = 26 Feet Long 09 = 09 Feet Long
8	2 - 3	Number of Axles	3 = 3 Axles 4 = 4 Axles
9	8	Check Digit	Calculate - SEE 49 CFR 565.4
10	1	Model Year	W = 1998 $X = 1999$
11	P=Plymouth	Plant Location	P = Portland D = Denver
12, 13 & 14 573		WMI	6,4,0
15, 16, & 17 Start at 108		Sequential Production Number	001 002