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Volvo Trucks North America, Inc.

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VIN Coordinator
National Highway Traffic Safety Administrator
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Re: Part 565 Reporting Requirements
Volvo Trucks North America, Inc.
Greensboro, North Carolina

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This represents our planned VIN scheme when we begin building **Model Year 2003** vehicles.

Positions of the VIN are identified from left to right, as follows:

1) Country of Manufacture:

CODE	DESCRIPTION
U	United States

2) Manufacturer:

CODE	DESCRIPTION
V	Volvo Trucks North America, Inc. P.O. Box 26115 Greensboro, NC 27402-6115

3) Make/Type:

CODE	DESCRIPTION
1	Volvo Complete LCOE
2	Volvo Incomplete LCOE
4	Volvo Complete CONV
5	Volvo Incomplete CONV
J	Volvo Complete HCOE
K	Volvo Incomplete HCOE

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4) Series:

CODE	DESCRIPTION
D	WX
E	WXR
H	WXLL
K	VHD
M	VNM
N	VNL
2	FM10

5) Chassis, Gross Vehicle Weight Rating and Brake System:

CODE	CHASSIS	GROSS VEHICLE WEIGHT RATING	BRAKE SYSTEM
1	4X2	CLASS 7	AIR BRAKES
3	4X2	CLASS 8	AIR BRAKES
C	6X4	CLASS 8	AIR BRAKES
9	OTHER	CLASS 8	AIR BRAKES

6) Cab Type:

CODE	CAB TYPE
1	High COE
6	Low COE
7	Low COE-New Generation
9	Conventional-New Generation

7) Engine Manufacturer/Series/Type:

CODE	MANUFACTURER	SERIES
F	Cummins	C8.3G
G	Volvo	VE D12
H	Volvo	VE D7
J	Cummins	N14
P	Cummins	M11
R	Detroit Diesel	S60
T	Cummins	ISX
U	Cummins	ISM
N	Cummins	C8.3

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8) Engine Horsepower:

CODE	DESCRIPTION
D	225 - 274
E	275 - 324
F	325 - 374
G	375 - 424
H	425 - 474
J	475 - 524
K	525 - 574
L	575 - 625

9) Check Digit:

The Check Digit is calculated as required by PART 565

10) Model Year:

CODE	DESCRIPTION	CODE	DESCRIPTION
		7	2007
		8	2008
		9	2009
		A	2010
		B	2011
		C	2012
3	2003	D	2013
4	2004	E	2014
5	2005	F	2015
6	2006	G	2016

11) Plant of Manufacture:

CODE	DESCRIPTION
N	New River Valley Dublin, Virginia

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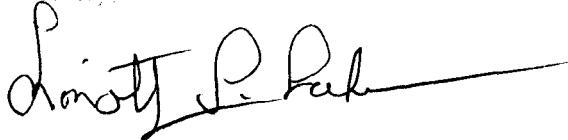
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12 - 17) Sequential Serial Numbers:

As Assigned By The Manufacturer.

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Sincerely,



Jan 15, 2002

Timothy L. LaFon
Regulatory Compliance Manager

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