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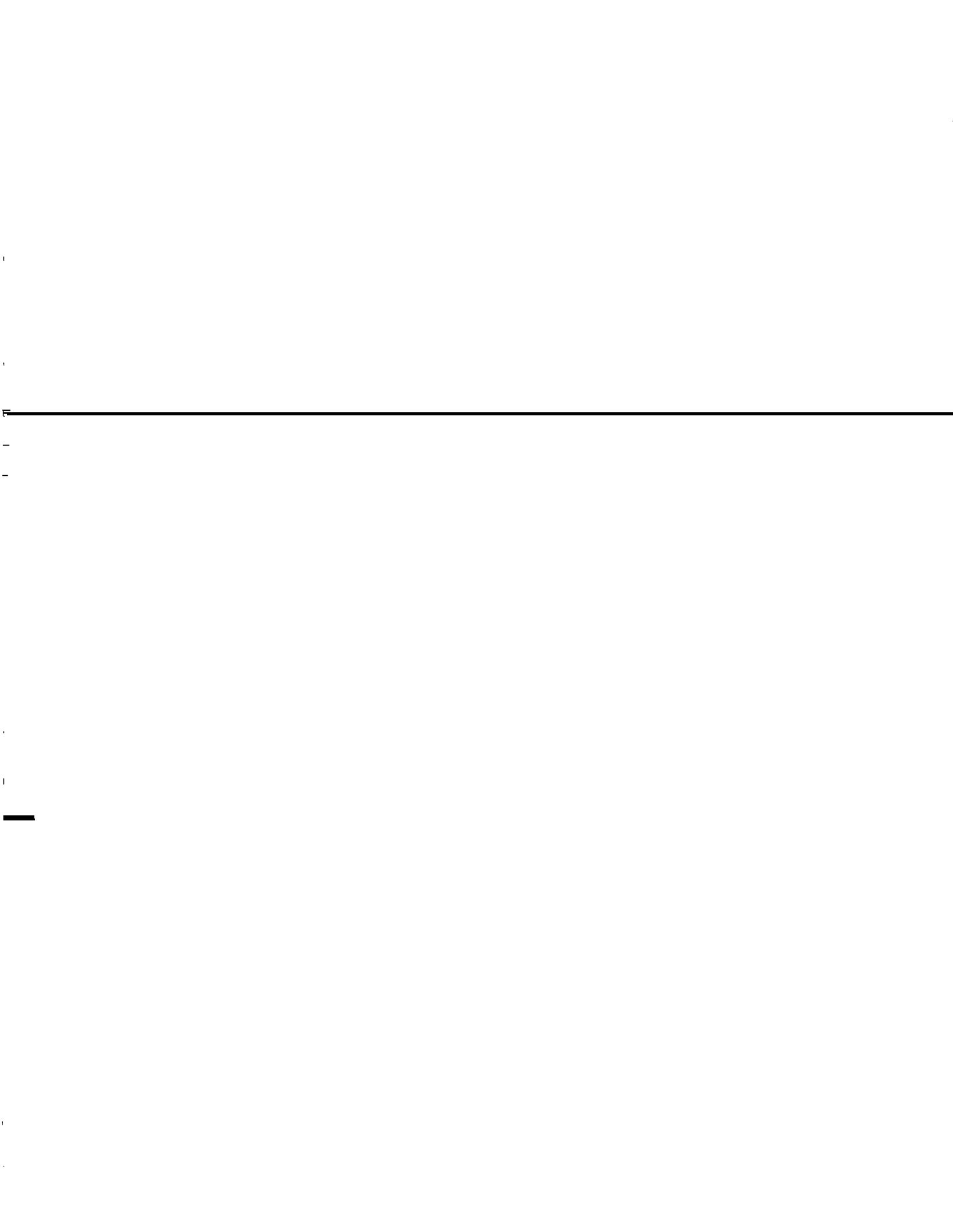
Re: Vehicle Identification Number Codes

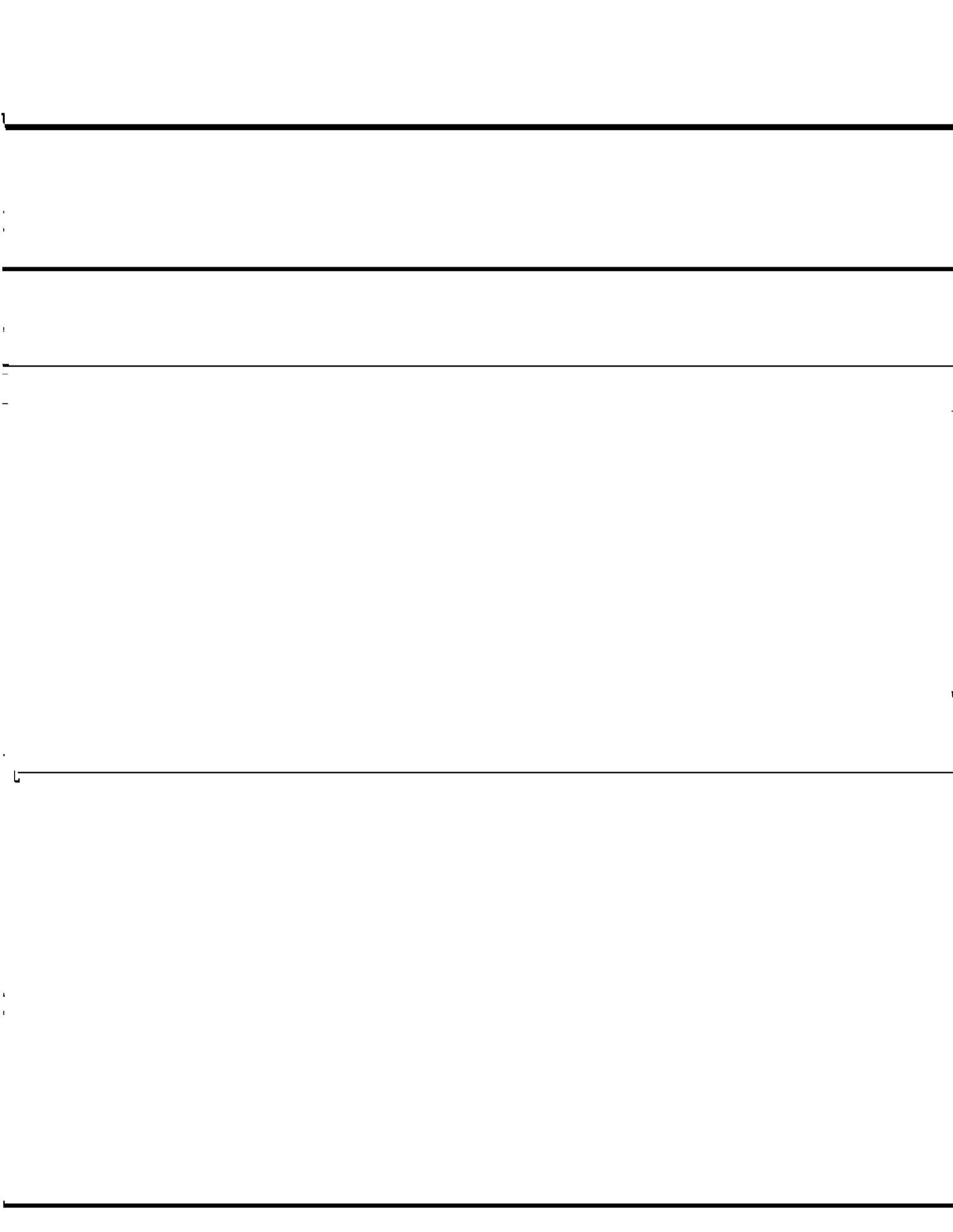
Pursuant to the requirements set forth in Part 565 and Section 571.115 of Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Vehicle Identification Number (VIN), Ford Motor Company is submitting VIN codes for 1986 model passenger cars, multipurpose passenger vehicles (MPV's), trucks, buses, and incomplete vehicles manufactured by Ford.

The format of the VIN coding consists of alphanumeric characters grouped according to the requirements and limitations set forth in the amended standard. Page one of the Attachment lists Ford Motor Company World Manufacturer Identifier (WMI) three-digit codes. The Society of Automotive Engineers has previously concurred in the assignments of all of the WMI codes listed on page one of the Attachment.

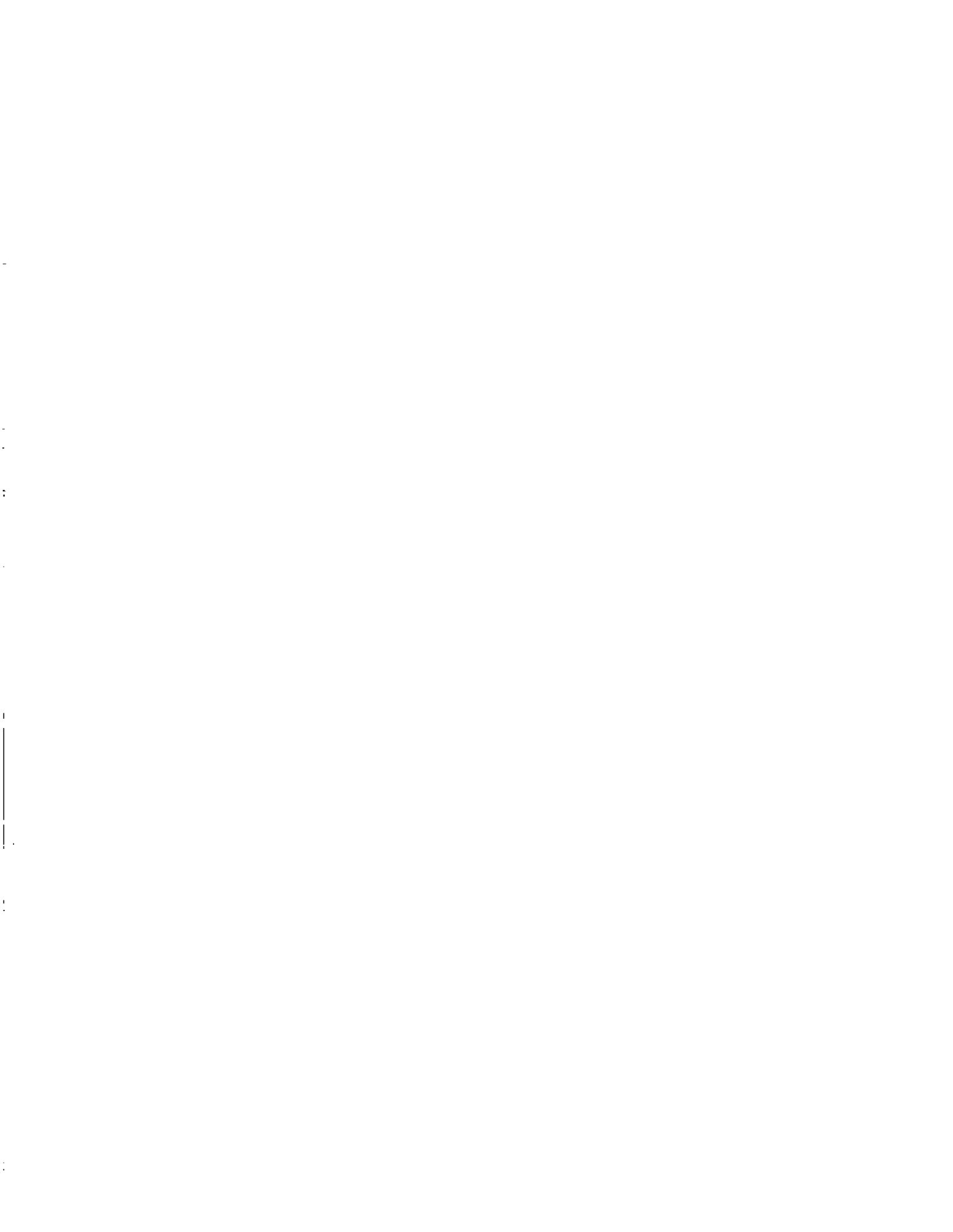
Page two of the Attachment lists the codes for Ford VIN position no. 4: restraint system type codes for passenger cars; brake system and GVWR class codes for trucks and MPV's and brake system codes for buses and incomplete vehicles. Page two also indicates the exclusive use of a constant "P" in Ford VIN position no. 5 for all passenger cars.

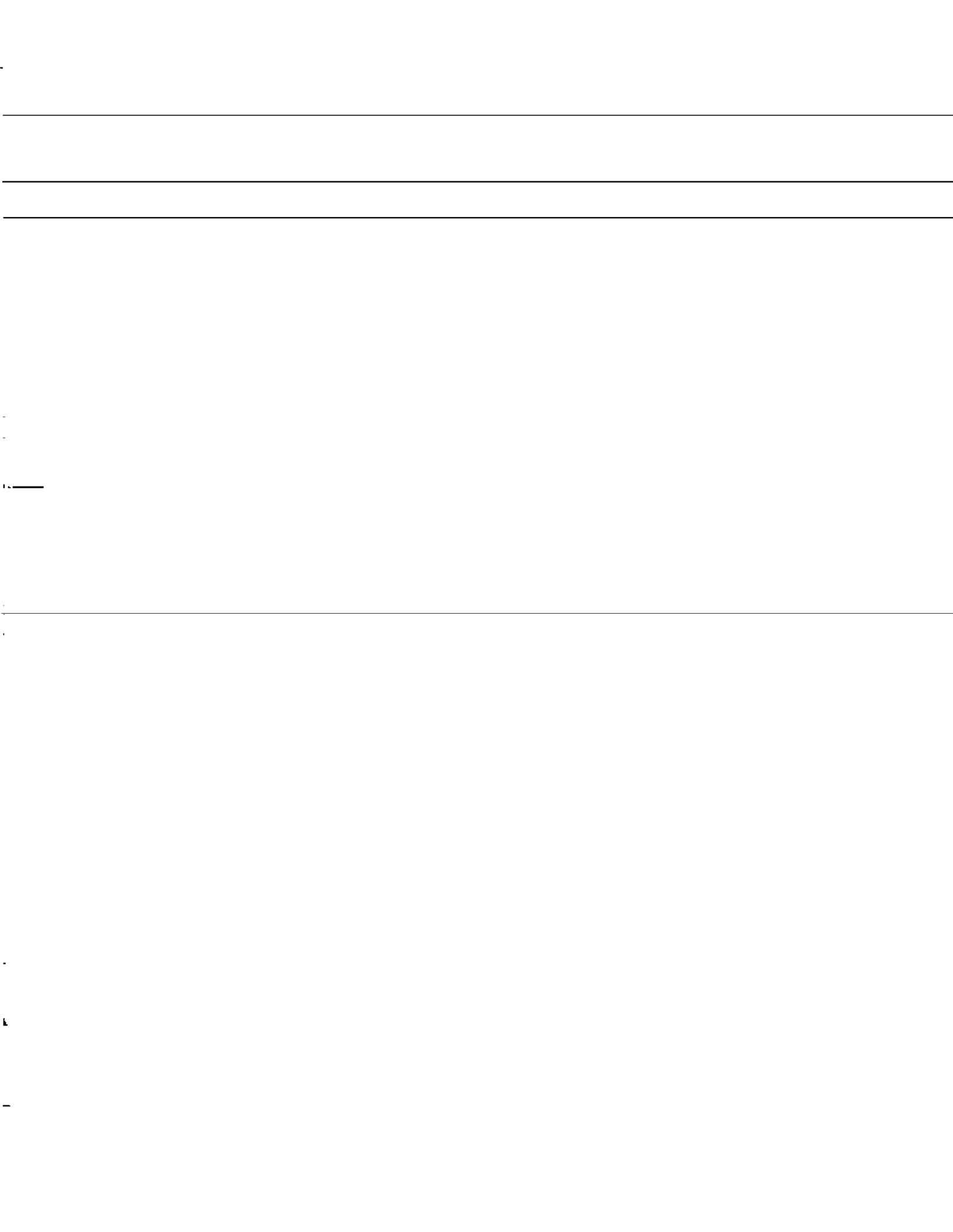


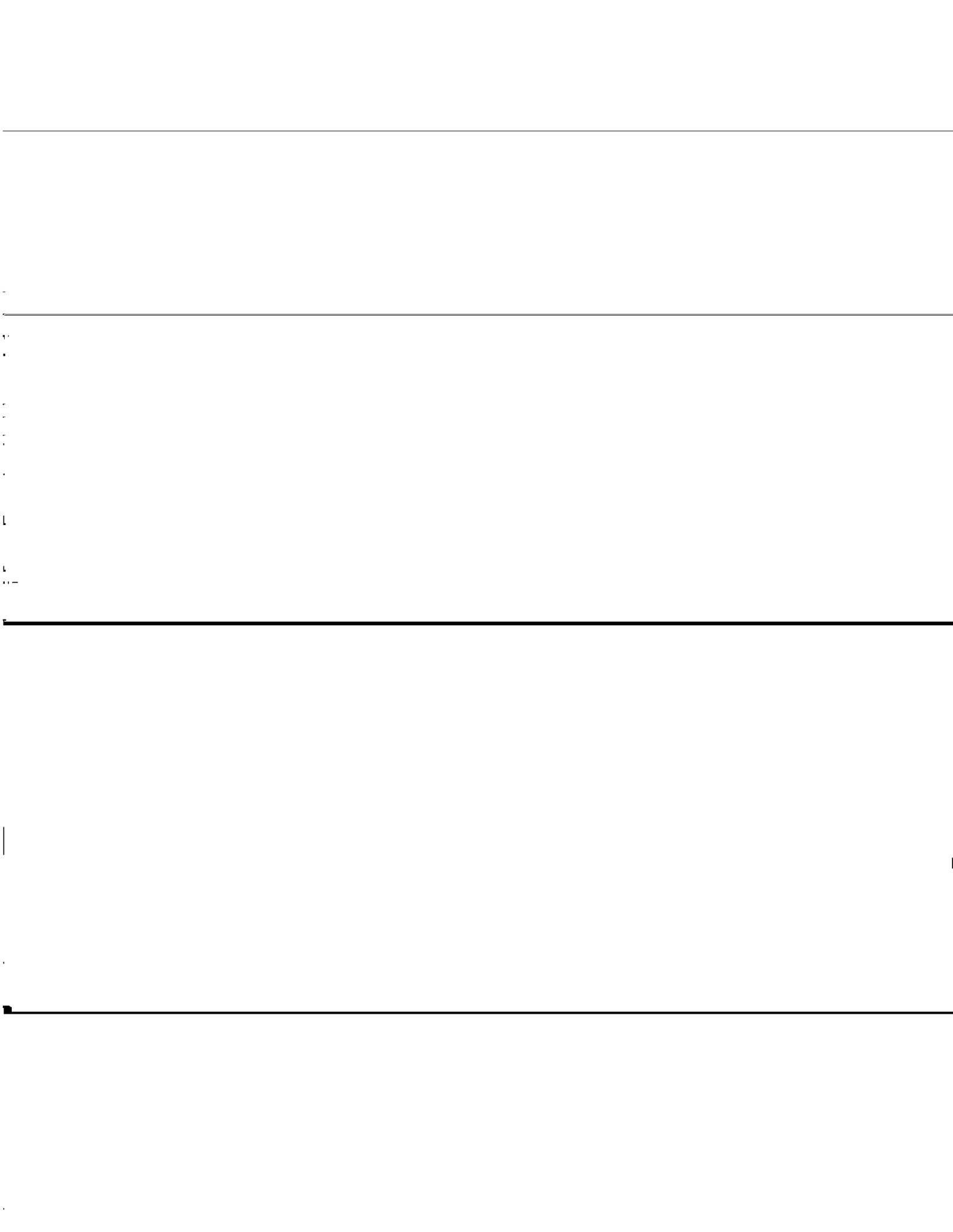


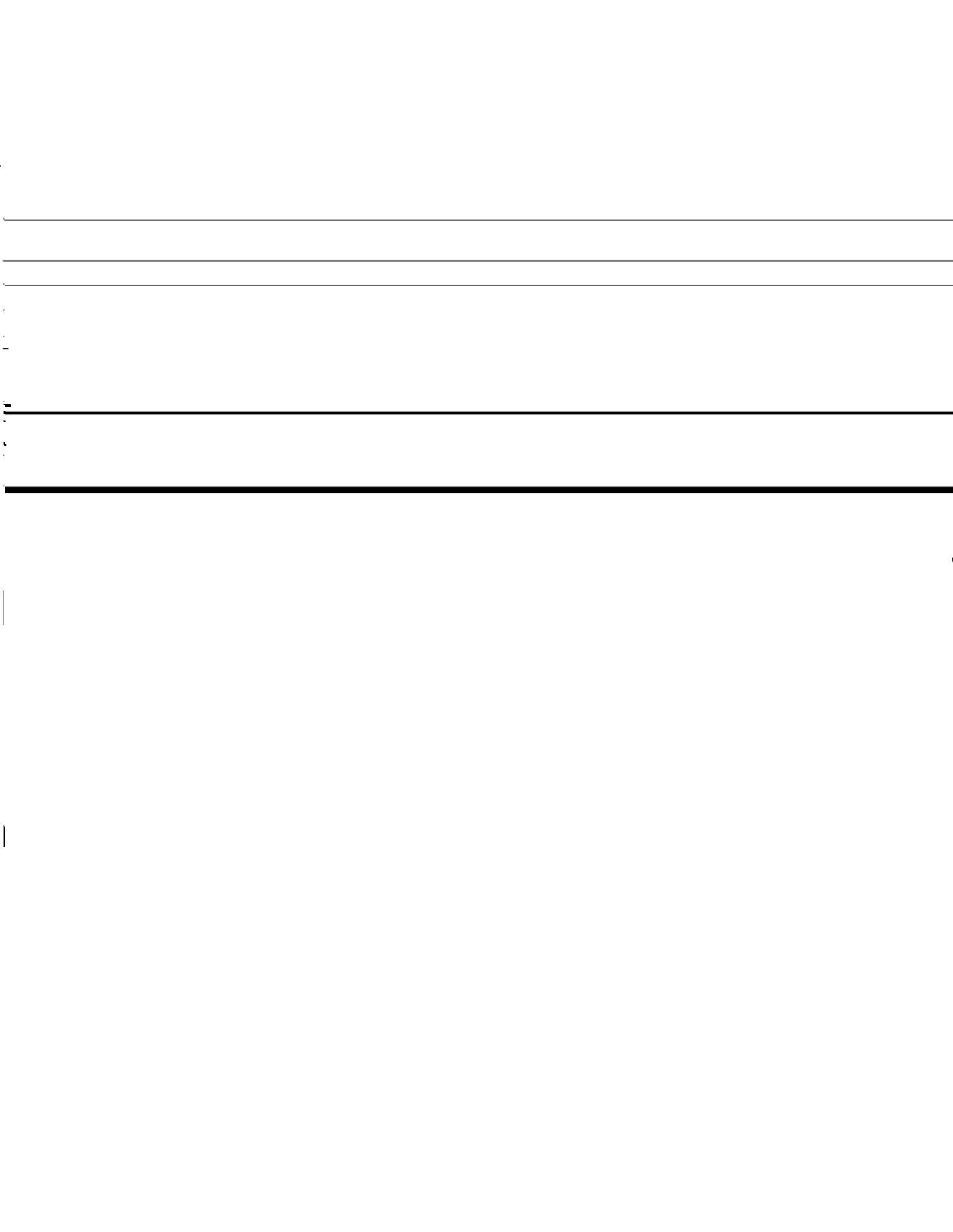


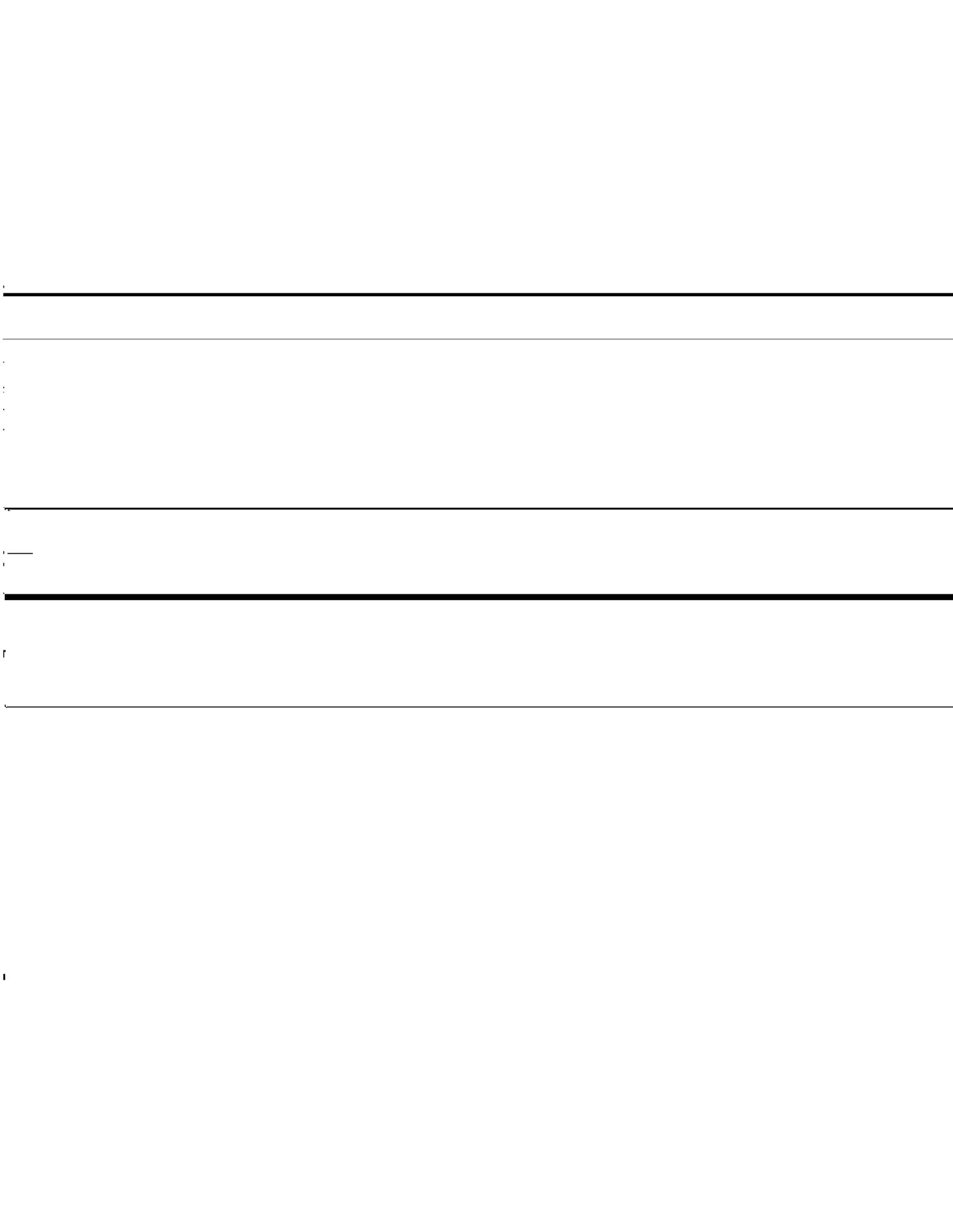




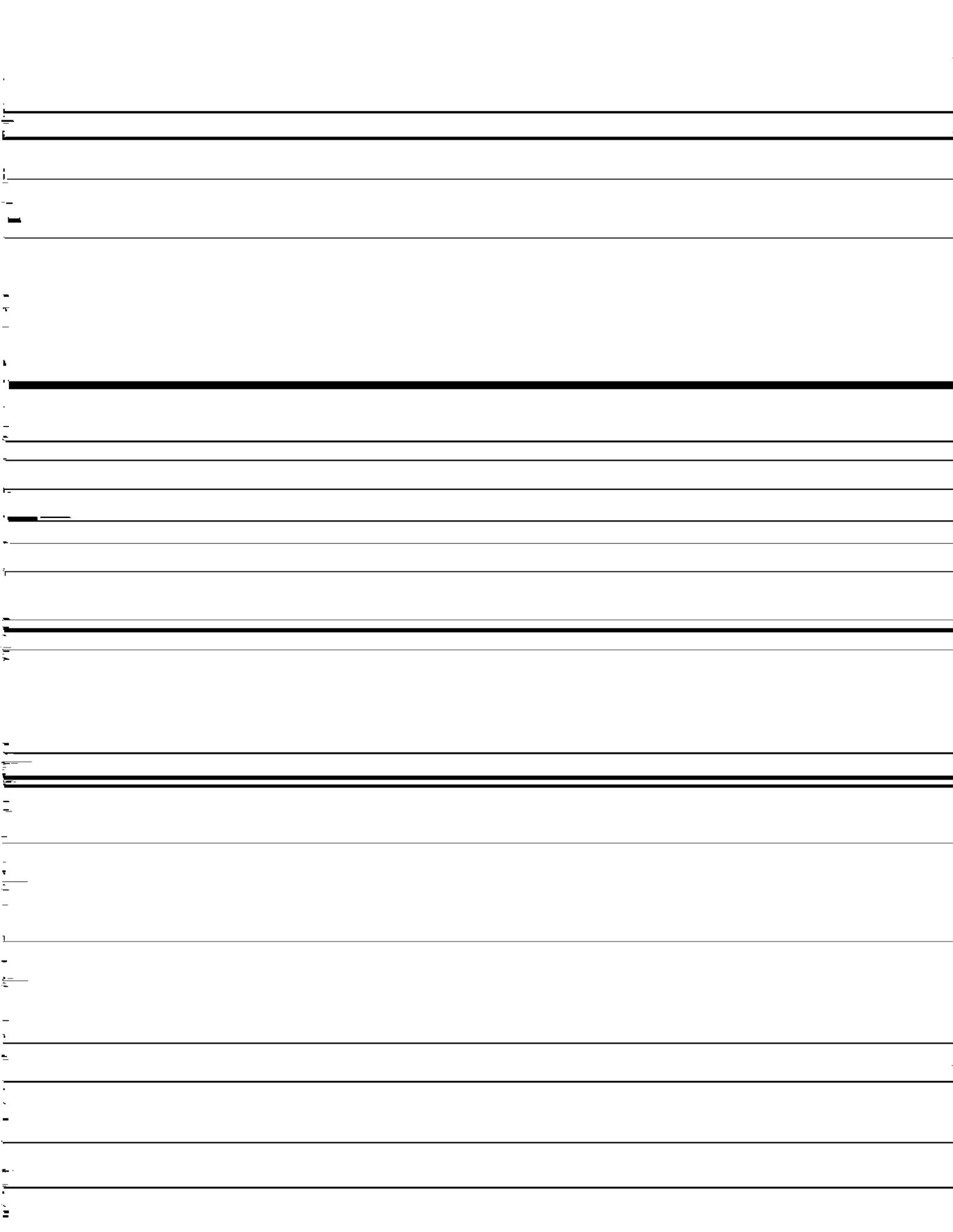




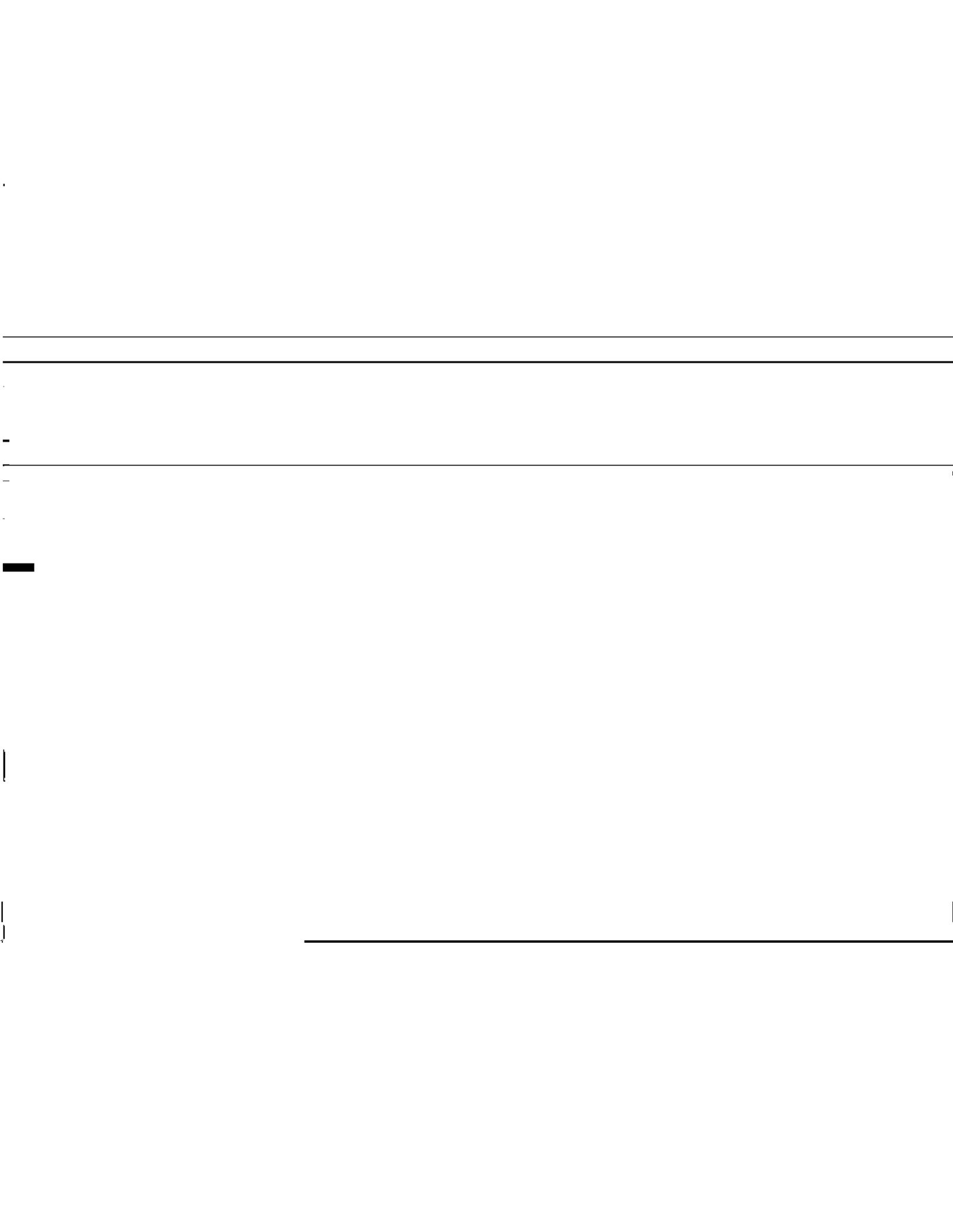


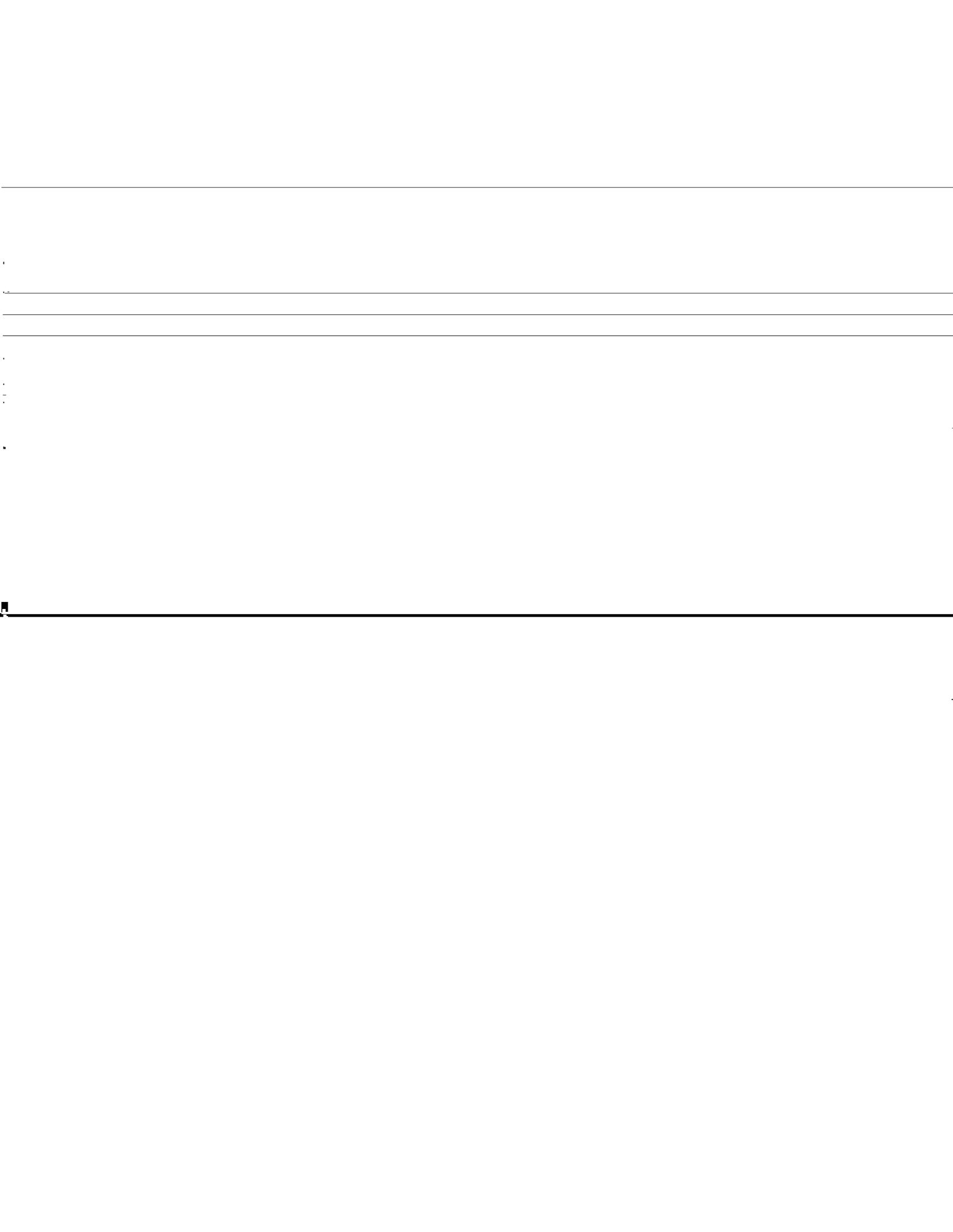


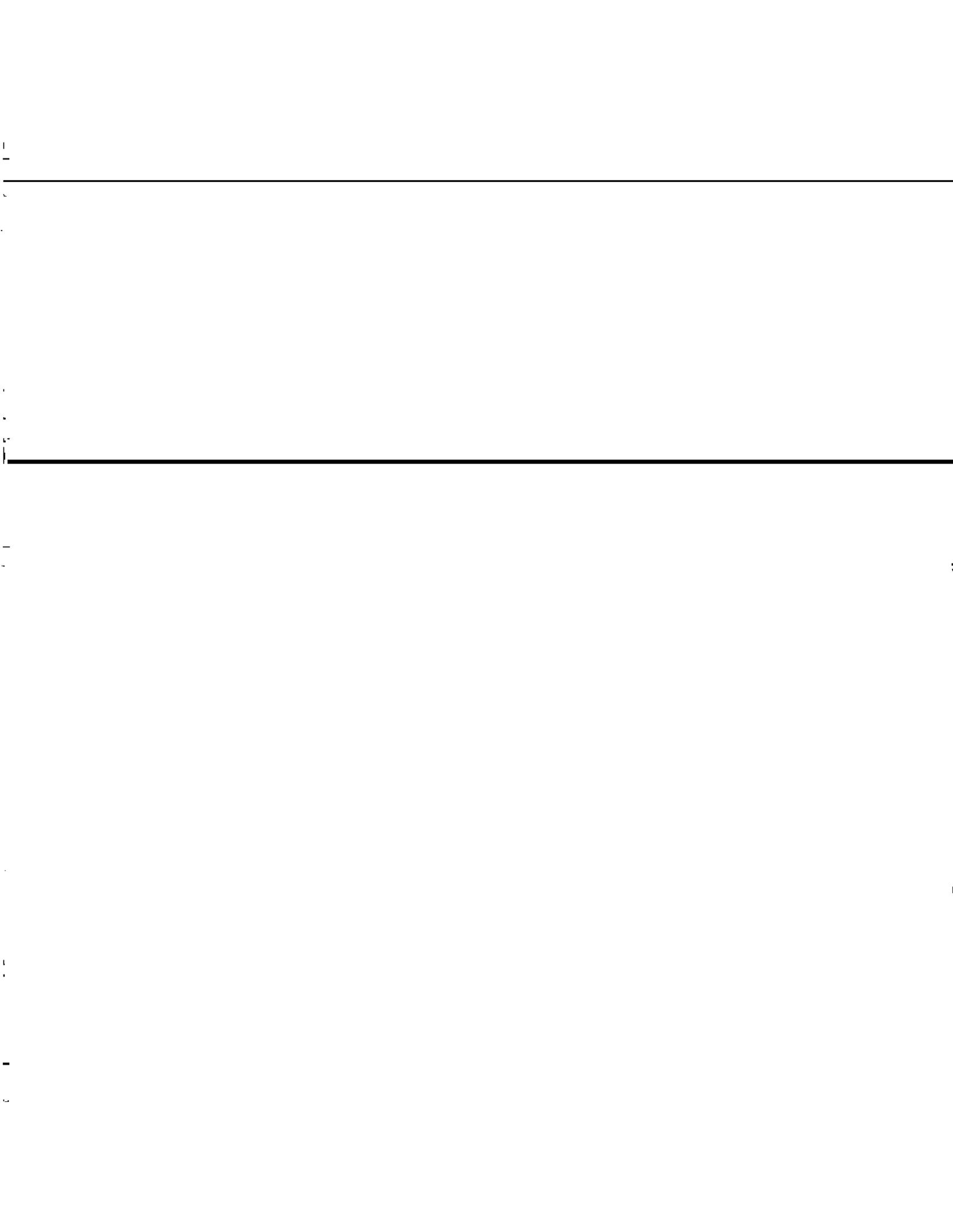














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1986 VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (VIN) ELEMENT CODING INFORMATION

(VIN Positions 4 through 17)

- . Line, Series, Chassis, Cab Type and Body Style (VIN Positions 4, 5, and 6):

<u>VIN CODE</u>	<u>Courier Pick-Up/Chassis Cab</u>
UA1	2760mm Wheelbase, 4x2 (Truck or IV)

- . GVWR Class and Brake System (VIN Position 7):

<u>VIN CODE</u>	<u>GVWR Class</u>	<u>Brake System</u>
2	Class C: 4,001 - 5,000 pounds	Hydraulic

- . Engine Type (VIN Position 8):

<u>VIN CODE</u>	<u>Displacement</u>	<u>CID</u>	<u>Cylinders</u>	<u>Fuel</u>	<u>Manufacturer</u>	<u>Memo:</u> <u>Net Brake Horsepower</u>
1	2.0	121	4	Gasoline	Mazda Motor Corp.	80 ± 8

- . VIN Check Digit (VIN Position 9):

See Section 4.3, FMVSS No. 115 and Paragraph 565.4(c) of Part 565. (The check digit must have a value of 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, or X.)

- . Vehicle Model Year (VIN Position 10):

<u>VIN CODE</u>	<u>Year</u>
G	1986

- . Plant of Manufacture (VIN Position 11):

<u>VIN CODE</u>	<u>Plant</u>
0 (Zero)	Hiroshima, Japan

- . Production Sequence Number (VIN Positions 12 through 17):

Number is assigned sequentially (800001-999999).

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