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Attention: VIN Coordinator

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Mar. 2, 1987
Our Ref. No. NH87/2

Re: VIN Coding

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the requirement of §565.5 in 49 CFR Paet 565, we, Mazda Motor Corporation, hereby submit the information necessary to decipher the characters contained in the Vehicle Identification Numbers which are assigned to '88 year model passenger cars and trucks manufactured by our company.

If you havr any question, please do not hesitate to let us know.

Very truly yours,

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Shintaro Nakatsuka
Regional Manager
Overseas Certification Group

Encl.

cc: Mazda (North America), Inc.
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Table I - Codes Common to All Vehicle

Vehicle Identification Number																	Decipherable Information
Sec.	1st			2nd						3rd							
Position	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
[A] World Manufacturer Identifier [VIN Position: 1 - 3]																		
	J	M	1															MAZDA MAKE - Passenger Car
	J	M	2															MAZDA MAKE - Truck
	1	Y	V															MAZDA (U. S. A.) MAKE - Passenger Car
	J	C	1															FORD MAKE - Paasenger Car
	J	C	2															FORD MAKE - Truck
[B] Check Digit [VIN Position: 9]																		
									*									Calculation according to §565.4 (c) in PART 565
[C] Model Year [VIN Position: 10]																		
										J								1988 Model Year
[D] Plant of Manufacturer [VIN Position: 11]																		
											0							Hiroshima, Japan
											1							Hofu, Yamaguchi, Japan
											5							Flat Rock, U. S. A.
[E] Sequence Number [VIN Position: 12 - 17]																		
												n	n	n	n	n	n	(100001 - 999999)
																		* = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, X

Table II - Codes to Passenger Car

Vehicle Identification Number																	Decipherable Information				
Sec.	1st			2nd						3rd							Line	Series	Body Type	Engine Type	Restraint System Type
Position	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17					
	J	M	1															MAZDA MAKE - Passenger Car				
				B	F	2	2	2										323	SEDAN	4-dr Sedan	B6 (82±8HP)	Manual Belt
				B	F	2	2	3										323	SEDAN	4-dr Sedan	B6 turbo (132±13HP)	Manual Belt
				B	F	2	3	2										323	HATCHBACK	3-dr Hatchback	B6 (82±8HP)	Manual Belt
				B	F	2	3	3										323	HATCHBACK	3-dr Hatchback	B6 turbo (132±13HP)	Manual Belt
				B	F	2	3	4										323 (4X4)	HATCHBACK	3-dr Hatchback	B6 turbo (132±13HP)	Manual Belt
				B	F	2	4	2										323	HATCHBACK	5-dr Hatchback	B6 (82±8HP)	Manual Belt
				B	W	6	2	2										323	STATION WAGON	4-dr Station Wagon	B6 (82±8HP)	Manual Belt
				G	D	2	2	1										626	SEDAN	4-dr Sedan	F2 (110±11HP)	Manual Belt
				G	D	2	2	2										626	SEDAN	4-dr Sedan	F2 (110±11HP)	Passive Belt
				G	D	2	2	3										626	SEDAN	4-dr Sedan	F2 turbo (145±14HP)	Manual Belt
				G	D	2	2	4										626	SEDAN	4-dr Sedan	F2 turbo (145±14HP)	Passive Belt
				G	D	2	4	1										626	HATCHBACK	5-dr Hatchback	F2 (110±11HP)	Manual Belt
				G	D	2	4	3										626	HATCHBACK	5-dr Hatchback	F2 turbo (145±14HP)	Manual Belt

4X4 : 4 Wheel Drive

Table II - Codes to Passenger Car [cont.]

Vehicle Identification Number																	Decipherable Information				
Sec.	1st			2nd						3rd											
Posi-tion	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	Line	Series	Body Type	Engine Type	Restraint System Type
	J	M	1															MAZDA MAKE - Passenger Car				
				G	D	3	1	1										MX-6	COUPE	2-dr Coupe	F2 (110±11HP)	Manual Belt
				G	D	3	1	2										MX-6	COUPE	2-dr Coupe	F2 (110±11HP)	Passive Belt
				G	D	3	1	3										MX-6	COUPE	2-dr Coupe	F2 turbo (145±14HP)	Manual Belt
				G	D	3	1	4										MX-6	COUPE	2-dr Coupe	F2 turbo (145±14HP)	Passive Belt
				H	C	2	2	1										929	SEDAN	4-dr Sedan	JE (158±15HP)	Manual Belt
				F	C	3	3	1										RX-7	COUPE	2-dr Coupe	N3 (146±14HP)	Manual Belt
				F	C	3	3	2										RX-7	COUPE	2-dr Coupe	N3 turbo (186±18HP)	Manual Belt
				F	C	3	5	1										RX-7	COUPE	2-dr Convertible	N3 (146±14HP)	Manual Belt
	1	Y	V															MAZDA (U. S. A.) MAKE - Passenger Car				
				G	D	3	1	A										MX-6	COUPE	2-dr Coupe	F2 (110±11HP)	Manual Belt
				G	D	3	1	B										MX-6	COUPE	2-dr Coupe	F2 (110±11HP)	Passive Belt
				G	D	3	1	C										MX-6	COUPE	2-dr Coupe	F2 turbo (145±14HP)	Manual Belt
				G	D	3	1	D										MX-6	COUPE	2-dr Coupe	F2 turbo (145±14HP)	Passive Belt
	J	C	1															FORD MAKE - Passenger Car				
				B	F	2	2	5										Laser	SEDAN	4-dr Sedan	B6 (82±8HP)	Manual Belt
				B	F	2	3	5										Laser	HATCHBACK	3-dr Hatchback	B6 (82±8HP))	Manual Belt

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Table III - Codes to Truck

Vehicle Identification Number																	Decipherable Information						
Sec.	1st			2nd						3rd							Model or Type	Series	Chassis	Cab Type	Engine Type	Brake System	GVWR
Position	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17							
	J	M	2															MAZDA MAKE - Truck						
				U	F	1	1	3										B2200	Pick-up	Short	Bonnet Type Single Cab.	F2 (85±8HP)	2-Circuit Hydraulic	Class C
				U	F	2	1	3										B2200	Pick-up	Long	Bonnet Type Single Cab.	F2 (85±8HP)	2-Circuit Hydraulic	Class C
				U	F	3	1	3										B2200	Pick-up	Long	Bonnet Type Stretch Cab.	F2 (85±8HP)	2-Circuit Hydraulic	Class C
				U	F	1	1	2										B2600	Pick-up	Short	Bonnet Type Single Cab.	AM (110±10HP)	2-Circuit Hydraulic	Class C
				U	F	2	1	2										B2600	Pick-up	Long	Bonnet Type Single Cab.	AM (110±10HP)	2-Circuit Hydraulic	Class C
				U	F	3	1	2										B2600	Pick-up	Long	Bonnet Type Stretch Cab.	AM (110±10HP)	2-Circuit Hydraulic	Class C
				U	F	4	1	2										B2600 (4X4)	Pick-up	Short	Bonnet Type Single Cab.	AM (110±10HP)	2-Circuit Hydraulic	Class C
				U	F	5	1	2										B2600 (4X4)	Pick-up	Long	Bonnet Type Single Cab.	AM (110±10HP)	2-Circuit Hydraulic	Class C
				U	F	6	1	2										B2600 (4X4)	Pick-up	Long	Bonnet Type Stretch Cab.	AM (110±10HP)	2-Circuit Hydraulic	Class C
	J	C	2															FORD MAKE - Truck						
				U	A	1	2	3										Courier	Pick-up	Short	Bonnet Type Single Cab.	F2 (85±8HP)	2-Circuit Hydraulic	Class C
				U	A	2	2	2										Courier (4X4)	Pick-up	Short	Bonnet Type Single Cab.	F2 (110±10HP)	2-Circuit Hydraulic	Class C

4X4: 4 Wheel Drive