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U.S. Department of Transportation
NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION
400 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20590

ATTN: VIN Coordinator

Dear Sir or Madame:

This letter is in reference to FMVSS 115, S 6.3 and Part 565.

Enclosed please find a submission of information necessary to decipher the characters contained in the vehicle identification number for the additional 1988 U.S. BMW model K100 RS Special and K75 motorcycles.

Very truly yours,

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DECIPHERMENT OF BMW VIN'S ACCORDING TO FMVSS 115

Table for K 100 RS Special, MY 1988

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>CODE</u>	<u>DATA ENCODED</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
1	W	MANUFACTURER:	BMW-AG, Munich/West Germany
2	B	MAKE:	BMW
3	1	TYPE:	Motorcycle
4	0	TYPE OF MOTORCYCLE:	Two-Wheel
5	5	LINE:	K 589
6	1	ENGINE TYPE:	4-Cyl. Gasoline Engine, 60.2 cu.in., 4-Stroke
7	3	NET BRAKE HORSEPOWER:	82 BHP
8	0		
9		CHECK DIGIT	To be assigned by manufacturer
10	J	MODEL YEAR	1988
11	0	PLANT OF MANUFACTURE	West-Berlin
12		SEQUENTIAL	To be assigned by manufacturer
13		PRODUCTION	
14		NUMBER	
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Table for K 75, MY 1988

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>CODE</u>	<u>DATA ENCODED</u>	<u>MEANING</u>
1	W	MANUFACTURER:	BMW-AG, Munich/West Germany
2	B	MAKE:	BMW
3	1	TYPE:	Motorcycle
4	0	TYPE OF MOTORCYCLE:	Two-Wheel
5	5	LINE:	K 569
6	7	ENGINE TYPE:	3-Cyl. Gasoline Engine, 45.2 cu.in., 4-Stroke
7	4	NET BRAKE HORSEPOWER:	70 BHP
8	0		
9		CHECK DIGIT	To be assigned by manufacturer
10	J	MODEL YEAR	1988
11	0	PLANT OF MANUFACTURE	West-Berlin
12		SEQUENTIAL	To be
13		PRODUCTION	assigned
14		NUMBER	by manufacturer
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