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Attention: VIN Coordinator, NRM-11, Rm. 5307

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Gentlemen:

With this letter, Onan Corporation submits the information necessary to decipher the characters in Onan's VIN assignment for electric generator trailers, and trailer kits.

VIN Assignment:

Digits	Explanation
1-3	These digits have been assigned to Onan by SAE, as Onan's manufacturers identity number; assigned to be 1 0 9.
4	The letter, E, shall be used to denote Electric Generator Trailer.
5	One of two letters will be used; A for assembled trailers, or K for trailer kits to be assembled by others.
6-7	The trailer length (in feet); 0 9 designates the 97.5" trailer, and 0 7 designates the 79.5" trailer.
8	The number of axles; always to be 1.
9	The check digit, calculated after all the other digits have been completed.
10	The model year, to be completed according to Table II in FMVSS 115.
11	The location of the manufacturing plant; shall be F for Fridley, MN.

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12-14	These digits have been assigned to Onan by SAE, and will remain the same until Onan produces more than 500 units/model year, at which time Onan will have to reapply for new numbers. Presently assigned to be 1 2 7.
15-17	The unit production sequence number. Begins at 0 0 1 and indexes one for each unit manufactured in a given model year.

Should there be any questions or problems with the above VIN assignment, I can be contacted at (612) 574-5959.

Sincerely,

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