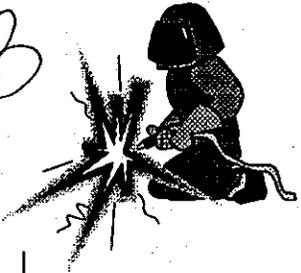


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STEVE'S WELDING SERVICE & MACHINE SHOP

01-22-N11B-5740

JULY 25, 1994

NHTSA
ATTN: VIN CORDINATOR
NRM-15, RM 5307A
400 7th STREET
S.W. WASHINGTON, D.C. 20590

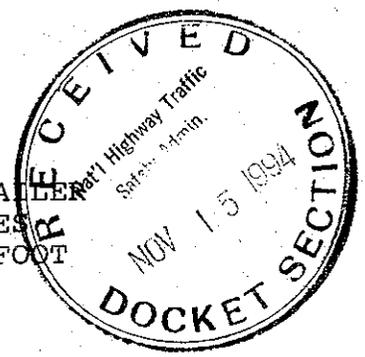
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DEAR VIN CORDINATOR:

I BEING OWNER OF STEVE'S WELDING HAVE DECIDED TO MANUFACTURER HURRICANE HORSE TRAILERS. WE ARE LOCATED AT 21179 CALISTOGA STREET, MIDDLETOWN, CA. I HAVE STARTED MY PROCEDURE BY CONSTRUCTING A VIN FOR OUR TRAILERS. IN CONSTRUCTING A VIN WE HAVE CHOSE THE FOLLOWING SEQUENCE TO DETERMIND OUR HORSE TRAILERS.

- CHARACTER 1= ASSIGNED # FROM SAE
- CHARACTER 2= ASSIGNED # FROM SAE
- CHARACTER 3= ASSIGNED # FROM SAE
- CHARACTER 4= BODYTYPE H FOR HORSE TRAILER
- CHARACTER 5= SERIES 1 FOR FIRST SERIES
- CHARACTER 6-7= LENGTH 1,6 FOR SIXTEEN FOOT
- CHARACTER 8= NUMBER OF AXLES 2
- CHARACTER 9= CHECK DIGIT 2
- CHARACTER 10= YEAR R FOR 1994
- CHARACTER 11= M FOR SINGLE LOCATION IN MIDDLETOWN
- CHARACTER 12= ASSIGNED # FROM SAE
- CHARACTER 13= ASSIGNED # FROM SAE
- CHARACTER 14= ASSIGNED # FROM SAE
- CHARACTER 15= PRODUCTION SEQUENCE 0
- CHARACTER 16= PRODUCTION SEQUENCE 0
- CHARACTER 17= PRODUCTION SEQUENCE 1



OUR ACTUAL VIN # IS: 1-S-9-H-1-1-6-2-R-M-4-7-5-0-0-1

ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL STEVEN GEORGE WO# 707-987-3848
HO# 707-987-0624

VIN construction

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17									
1	S	9	H	1	1	6	2	2	R	m	4	7	5	0	0	1									
1	2	9	8	1	1	6	2	0	9	4	4	7	5	0	0	1									
8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2									
8	1	4	5	4	0	4	3	2	0	0	8	1	3	2	8	4	2	2	5	0	0	2	3	6	5

Sum	Divided	whole#	+ Decimal
365	11	33	.1818
Check Digit = 2			

- Character 1 = Assigned #
- Character 2 = Assigned #
- Character 3 = Assigned #
- Character 4 = Body Type H for Heavy Duty
- Character 5 = Series 1 for 1st
- Character 6+7 = Length 16'
- Character 8 = Axles 2
- Character 9 = Check digit 2
- Character 10 = Year R for 1994
- Character 11 = m for single location vs middle town
- Character 12 = Assigned #
- Character 13 = Assigned #
- Character 14 = Assigned #
- Character 15-17 = Production Sequence 001