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Dr. Ricardo Martinez
Administrator
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
400 Seventh Street, S.W.
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Attention: VIN Coordinator

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RE: VIN Coding System on 1996 Toyota and Lexus Vehicles

Dear Dr. Martinez:

On July 19, 1995, pursuant to 49 CFR Part 565, "Vehicle Identification Number Content Requirements," on behalf of Toyota Motor Corporation we submitted the information on the Toyota and Lexus Vehicle Identification Number Coding System applicable to the 1996 model year. On August 17, 1995, we submitted a revised version of the VIN Coding System for the Toyota Tacoma which corrected an error.

Subsequently, we have discovered an additional error in the information pertaining to Toyota Tacoma. In Section 2, information for the 8th Digit has been revised. Please replace the previously submitted pages with the enclosed corrected version.

We sincerely apologize for any inconvenience we have caused you.

Sincerely,

TOYOTA MOTOR CORPORATE SERVICES
OF NORTH AMERICA, INC.

for Jim Oroski
Saburo Inui
Vice President

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Enclosure

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TOYOTA TACOMA VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

CODING SYSTEM

APPLICABLE TO 1996 MODEL

[Manufactured by TABC]

September 1995

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Revised 09/18/95

TOYOTA TACOMA "Vehicle Identification Number" Coding System
(1996 Model)

Example

	Section 1			Section 2					Check Digit	Section 3							
Digit	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Example	4	T	A	N	L	4	2	N	X	T	Z	0	0	0	0	0	1

Section 1 : Manufacturer, Make and Type

1st - 3rd Digits	Code	Manufacturer	Make	Type
	4TA	TABC Inc.	Toyota	Truck

* Vehicles are assembled by TABC Inc., but marketed by Toyota.

Section 2 : Vehicle Description Section (VDS)

		Code	Description
4th Digit	Cab, Chassis, Drive Train & Brake System Type	N V P W	Standard Cab , Short Wheelbase , W/IFS 1/2 ton , 2WD , Hydraulic Extra Cab , Extra Long Wheelbase , W/IFS 1/2 ton , 2WD , Hydraulic Standard Cab , Short Wheelbase , W/IFS 1/2 ton , 4WD , Hydraulic Extra Cab , Extra Long Wheelbase , W/IFS 1/2 ton , 4WD , Hydraulic
5th Digit	Engine Type	L M N	2RZ-FE 3RZ-FE 5VZ-FE
6th Digit	Series	4 5 6 7	RZN140L RZN150L , VZN150L RZN161L , VZN160L RZN171L , VZN170L
7th Digit	Grade	2 4	DELUXE SR5
8th Digit	Line	## N	TOYOTA TACOMA

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GVWR (4th, 5th, 6th, 7th & 8th Digits)			
NL42N	4250 lb (Class C)	VN52N	4500 lb (Class C)
VL52N	4500 lb (Class C)	PN62N	5100 lb (Class D)
PM62N	5100 lb (Class D)	WN72N	5100 lb (Class D)
WM72N	5100 lb (Class D)	WN74N	5100 lb (Class D)

Section 3 : Vehicle Model Year, Plant of Manufacture and Serial Number

		Code	Description
10th Digit	Vehicle Model Year	T	1996 Model
11th Digit	Plant of Manufacture	Z	Fremont (CA)
12th-17th Digits	Serial Number	000001 Thru 999999	----