



December 30, 2014

Administrator
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
1200 New Jersey Avenue, S.E.
Washington, D.C. 20590
ATTN: VIN Coordinator

RE: Tesla Motors' 2015 Model Year VIN Decoder

To Whom It May Concern:

On behalf of Tesla Motors, Inc. and pursuant to the provisions of 49 C.F.R. § 565, I have attached to this letter the Vehicle Identification Number ("VIN") Decoder for Tesla's 2015 Model Year Model S vehicles. Should you have any questions regarding this submission, please feel free to contact my colleague, Suraj Nagaraj, at (650) 681-5697 or snagaraj@teslamotors.com, or me at (267) 808-8976 or callen@teslamotors.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Charity Allen". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Charity Allen, Chief Regulatory Counsel

Digits 1 - 3: World Manufacturing Identifier

5YJ = Manufacturer: Tesla Motors Inc.

Digit 4: Make/Line/Series

S = Tesla Model S

Digit 5: Body Type

A = Hatchback/5-DR LHD

Digit 6: Restraint System

1 = Type 2 Manual Seatbelts (FR, SR*3) With Front Airbags, Side Inflatable Restraints.

4 = Type 2 Manual Seatbelts (FR, SR*2) With Front Airbags, Side Inflatable Restraints.

Digit 7: Battery type

H = Lithium - Ion Battery - High Capacity

S = Lithium - Ion Battery - Standard Capacity

Digit 8: Motor/Drive Unit

1 = Single Motor - Three Phase A/C Induction

2 = Dual Motors - Three Phase A/C Induction

Digit 9: Check Digit

To be assigned by manufacturer pursuant to 49 CFR Part 565.6(c)

Digit 10: Model Year

F = 2015

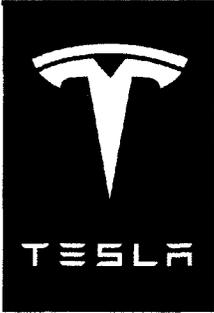
Digit 11: Plant of Manufacture

F = Fremont, CA

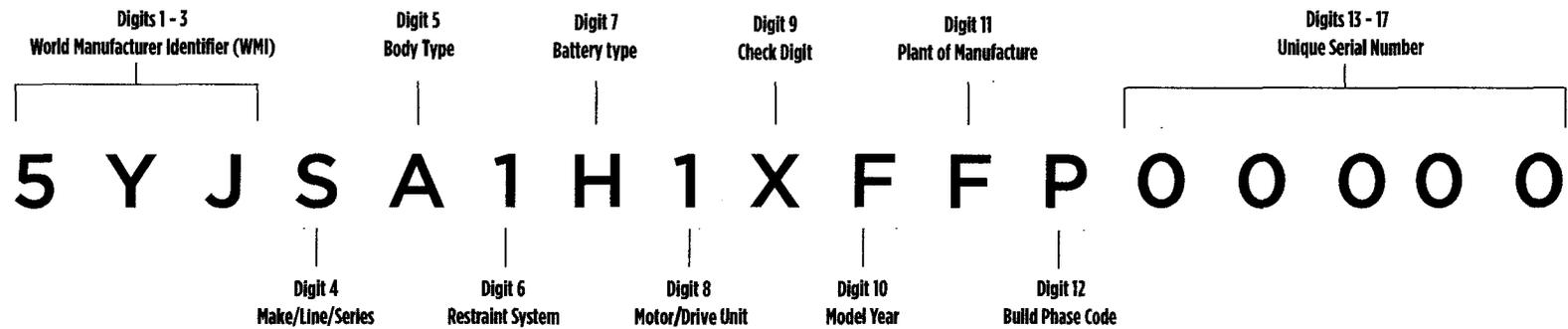
Digit 12: Build Phase Code

P = Production

Digits 13-17: Unique Serial Number



2015 MODEL S VIN DECODER



The bottom corner of the driver's side of the windshield



On the front crossmember, beneath the rear center underhood apron



On the driver's side door jamb

