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Mr. David Strickland, Administrator
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Room W42-300
Washington, DC 20590

Attention: VIN Coordinator

RE: VIN Coding System for Certain 2012MY Lexus Vehicles

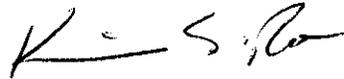
Dear Mr. Strickland:

Pursuant to 49 CFR Part 565, "Vehicle Identification Number Content Requirements", on behalf of Toyota Motor Corporation, we hereby submit information on the Vehicle Identification Number Coding System applicable to the 2012 model year Lexus IS 250C/350C, GX460/460 Premium, ES350, CT200h, RX350/350 AWD, and RX450h/450h AWD.

We trust this information will be satisfactory.

Sincerely,

TOYOTA MOTOR NORTH AMERICA, INC.



Kevin S. Ro
National Manager
Technical and Regulatory Affairs, Safety

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Enclosures

ES11-003472

LEXUS CT 200h
VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER CODING SYSTEM

Constitution

*: Described in each section below

Section	1			2					3	4								
	*			*					Check Digit	Model Year	*	Serial Number						
Digit	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	

Section 1: Geographic Area & Country, Manufacturer, and Type of Vehicle

1st - 3rd Digits	Code	Geographic Area & Country	Manufacturer	Type
	JTH	Asia, Japan	Toyota Motor Corporation	Passenger Car

Section 2: Vehicle Description Section

		Code	Description	
4th Digit	Body Type	K	5Door Liftback Two-Wheel Drive	
5th Digit	Engine Type	D	2ZR-FXE+3JM	GASOLINE(Hybrid), PORT, L4, 1.8L
6th Digit	Restraint Devices & their Locations	5	Seat Belt: All seats Frontal Air Bag: Driver & Passenger seats Side Air Bag: 1 st Row Curtain Shield Air Bag: All Rows Knee Air Bag: Driver & Passenger seats	
7th Digit	Series	B	ZWA10L	
8th Digit	Line & Make	H	Lexus CT 200h	

Section 4: Vehicle Plant of Manufacture

		Code	Description
11th Digit	Plant of Manufacture	2	Toyota Motor Kyushu, Inc.