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Wednesday, July 13, 2011

Administrator
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
1200 New Jersey Avenue,
Washington, DC 20590
Attention: VIN Coordinator

Re: Smith Electric Vehicles – US Corp. VIN Deciphering Information

Dear Sir or Madam:

In accordance with 49 C.F.R. Part 565, *Vehicle Identification Number Requirements*, Smith Electric Vehicles – US Corp. is submitting the information necessary to decipher the characters contained in its Vehicle Identification Numbers.

Smith Electric Vehicles – US Corp. is a low-volume manufacturer of all-electric, battery powered, commercial delivery trucks. Its assigned WMI is 4S9/197.

If you need any additional information from me, please let me know.

Sincerely,

jacques schira
General Counsel
Executive Vice President



VIN DECIPHERING INFORMATION

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1st Section		
Position 1	WMI	4 – Assigned by SAE
Position 2	WMI	S – Assigned by SAE
Position 3	WMI	9 – Assigned by SAE
2nd Section		
Position 4	Make; Model/Series; Line; and Cab Type	A = Smith Newton D75 single cab B = Smith Newton D100 single cab C = Smith Newton D120 single cab
Position 5	Chassis by wheelbase (cm)	K = 295 N = 340 L = 390 E = 450 S = 510 G = 560
Position 6	G.V.W.R.	5 = 16001-19500# 6 = 19501-26000# 7 = 26001-33,000#
Position 7	Brakes	A = Air H = Hydraulic
Position 8	Engine	2 = 40 KW 3 = 80 KW 4 = 120 KW
3rd Section		
Position 9	Check Digit Calculated pursuant to 49 C.F.R. 565.15(c)	
4th Section		
Position 10	Model Year	9 = 2009 A = 2010 B = 2011 C = 2012 D = 2013 E = 2014
Position 11	Plant	K = Kansas City, Missouri
Position 12	WMI	1 – Assigned by SAE
Position 13	WMI	9 – Assigned by SAE
Position 14	WMI	7 – Assigned by SAE
Position 15	Sequentially Assigned	
Position 16	Sequentially Assigned	
Position 17	Sequentially Assigned	