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Dear Mr. Person,

This correspondence is in regards to a letter received in November from your office in regards to a defect notification concerning axle wheel end studs supplied by ArvinMeritor. Your recall number 08E-038.

Emergency One, now known as E-One, is a manufacturer of Fire Fighting apparatus and chassis. Our World Manufacturer Identifier number is 4EN.

We received notification of the problem by e-mail on Thursday May 22, 2008 from Mr. Lew Puckett, ArvinMeritor QRCM Manager. (See attached information packet). They supplied E-One with a list of serial numbers for 28 axles. By May 28th E-One had located and quarantined all 28 axles. All axles were found to be in our inventory or work in process at our Ocala, FL facilities. No vehicles left our facility or were sold into the stream of commerce with this issue.

ArvinMeritor supplied the correct studs and work instructions and contracted with their local service representative, Raney's Truck Center, 1650 NW 38th Ave, Ocala, FL to inspect for, and remove and replace any studs with the suspected lot number markings.

A tracking sheet is attached indicating the inspection and repair date for each of the 28 axles and the number of studs found and replaced on each axle. All axles were inspected and repaired by June 5, 2008. This was within 10 working days from the receipt of the notification. All defective parts were returned to ArvinMeritor per their instructions.

As no vehicles left our facility with this issue and were never placed in customer possession no field recall notification is required. Nor are quarterly follow up reports needed.

Sincerely,

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