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Daimler Trucks North America

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Nancy Lewis
Associate Administrator of Vehicle Safety
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
1200 New Jersey Avenue S.E.
Washington, D.C. 20590

**RE: Defect Information Report – Supplemental Report No. 3
11V-330, FL-609, Starter Cable Isolator Bolts
Dealer Notice**

Ms. Lewis,

In accordance with Part 573 of Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Daimler Trucks North America LLC herewith submits supplemental defect information and copies of documents distributed to dealers.

- (c)(3) Total number of vehicles potentially affected: 47,975
- (c)(8)(ii) Dealer and distributor notification: Began and ended: December 10, 2011
- (c)(10) A copy of communications sent to dealers is attached.

Please contact me if you have any questions, or concerns.

Sincerely yours,



Nasser Zamani

Cc: Amy Martin, CAL-OSHA
Attachment

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IMPORTANT CAMPAIGN INFORMATION

ATTENTION: Dealer Principal, Warranty Manager, Service Manager, Parts Manager
Freightliner Dealers – U.S. and Canada
Western Star and Sterling Dealers – U.S. and Canada
FCCC Dealers – U.S. and Canada
Thomas Built Bus Dealers – U.S. and Canada
Export Distributors
Direct Warranty Customers – U.S. and Canada

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WARRANTY CAMPAIGNS DEPARTMENT

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REF #: ICI11-028

Effective: 12/16/11

Release: 12/10/11

If you have questions about
this Letter, please submit your
inquiry on the Web at:

**AccessFreightliner.com /
Support / My Tickets and
Submit an Inquiry**

SUBJECT: Interim FL609 Ending – Final Recall to Begin

This letter is to inform you that the interim phase of Recall FL609, Starter Cable Isolator Bolts, will be ending and the final Recall repair will begin at the end of next week. Please note the important dates listed below and schedule work under FL609 accordingly. The final Recall bulletin will be available to dealers on 12/16/11.

Last Repair Date for Interim Repairs/Claims: 12/15/11

First Repair Date for Final Recall Repairs/Claims: 12/16/11

If the repair date on your claim will be *after* 12/15/11, do not perform or try to claim for the interim repair. All FL609 Recall repairs that will have a repair date on the claim of 12/16/11 or later must be for the final repair.

If you have questions or need further information, contact the Warranty Campaigns Department by submitting an inquiry through www.AccessFreightliner.com / Support / My Tickets and Submit an Inquiry from 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Pacific Time, Monday through Friday.

The information contained in this letter supercedes and supplements any related policies and procedures in any previously released bulletins, the Warranty Manual, and/or previously released letters. Failure to read or distribute this letter will not exempt addressees from compliance with the information contained herein.