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Interim Recall Notice
NHTSA # 11V-160

Subject: Freightliner Business Class M2 Headlight Height

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

Daimler Trucks North America LLC, on behalf of its Freightliner Trucks Division, has decided that a non-compliance with Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) 108 may exist on specific Freightliner Business Class M2 vehicles manufactured July 12, 2010, through July 16, 2010, with certain suspension and tire combinations.

Certain Business Class M2 vehicles may have headlights that measure greater than 54 inches above the road surface. FMVSS 108 requires headlights to be not less than 22 inches nor more than 54 inches above the road surface. Improper headlight height may not fully illuminate the road surface or may inhibit the ability of motorists to see vehicles.

There is no action to take at this time, the recall has not yet started. This is the first of two letters you will receive regarding this subject. This letter is to inform you of an upcoming Recall to correct the issue noted above. At this time, the modification is being determined. Once the repair is defined, you will receive a second notice. When you receive it, please contact your authorized Daimler Trucks North America dealer to schedule the Recall for your vehicle. You may continue to operate your vehicle in the interim.

If you do not own the vehicle that corresponds to the identification number(s), which appears on the Recall Notification, please return the notification to the Warranty Campaigns Department with any information you can furnish that will assist us in locating the present owner.

If you have questions or need further information, please contact the Warranty Campaigns Department at (800) 547-0712, 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Pacific Time, Monday through Friday, e-mail address DTNA.War.Campaigns@Daimler.com, or the Customer Assistance Center at (800) 385-4357, after normal business hours. You may wish to submit a complaint to the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE., Washington, DC 20590; or call the Vehicle Safety Hotline at (888) 327-4236 (TTY: 800-424-9153); or to <http://www.safercar.gov>.

We regret any inconvenience this action may cause but feel certain you understand our interest in motor vehicle safety.

WARRANTY CAMPAIGNS DEPARTMENT
Enclosure