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**INITIAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT FAX SHEET OF RECEIPT OF  
DEFECT INFORMATION REPORT SUBMITTED UNDER 49 CFR PART 573**

Assigned Recall No. 03V-042 by the  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

**Part 573 Report Date:** February 10, 2003      **DATE FAXED:** February 12, 2003

**MANUFACTURER:** U.S. Bus Corporation

**MANUFACTURER CONTACT:** Mr. Michael Sykes  
National Sales Manager

**FAX:** (765) 939-4375

**SUBJECT:** 3 U.S. Bus Corporation SBC 2476, SBC 2477, and SBC 2478 school buses equipped with warning lamps. A static electricity discharge can occur during normal services or handling. This discharge can potentially initiate a chemical reaction of materials within the lamp that could cause the lens to fracture. If the lens fractures, it can cause injuries to persons directly in front of it.

This is an acknowledgment for this recall. A formal acknowledgment letter will be written **ONLY** if we have additional comments or concerns.

**Per our telephone conversation today it is our understanding that Sound Off will conduct the owner notification.**

Also, please provide us with the model years and dates of manufacture for the school buses involved. Please fax or email this information to me at (202) 366-9525 or [Judy.Taylor@nhtsa.dot.gov](mailto:Judy.Taylor@nhtsa.dot.gov).

If you have any questions, please call:

 Judith Taylor, Safety Recall Analyst on (202) 366-9525  
or George Person, Chief on (202) 366-5210  
or FAX at (202) 366-7882  
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