



U.S. Department
of Transportation
**National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration**

1200 New Jersey Avenue SE
Washington, DC 20590

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MR. ROGER MINOR
VISION WHEEL, INC.
3512 6TH AVENUE, SE
DECATUR, AL 35603

NVS-215kjs
12E-022

Subject: AFTERMARKET WHEELS

Dear MR. MINOR:

This letter serves to acknowledge Vision Wheel, Inc.'s (Vision Wheel) notification to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) of a safety recall campaign which will be conducted pursuant to Federal law for the equipment listed below.

Please review the following information to ensure that it conforms to your records as this information is being made available to the public. If the information does not agree with your records, please contact us immediately to discuss your concerns.

Makes/Models/Model Years:
VISION WHEEL/WARRIOR/9999

Mfr's Report Date: June 15, 2012

NHTSA Campaign Number: 12E-022

Components: EQUIPMENT

Potential Number of Units Affected: 4,000

Summary:

VISION WHEEL, INC. (VISION WHEEL) IS RECALLING CERTAIN AFTERMARKET WHEELS, SPECIFICALLY THE WARRIOR MODEL IN THE PHANTOM BLACK FINISH, SIZES 17" AND 18". INSUFFICIENT MACHINING OF THE HUB BORE MAY RESULT IN INCORRECT WHEEL MOUNTING WHEN THE WHEEL IS USED WITH A HUB CENTERING RING.

Consequence:

THE INSUFFICIENT MACHINING AND USE OF THE SUPPLIED HUB CENTERING RING FOR THESE WHEELS MAY CAUSE THE WHEEL AND TIRE ASSEMBLY TO BECOME LOOSE OR POTENTIALLY FALL OFF DURING VEHICLE OPERATION, INCREASING THE RISK OF A CRASH.

Remedy:

VISION WHEEL WILL NOTIFY THE PURCHASERS OF THESE AFTERMARKET WHEELS AND WILL REPLACE ANY WHEELS FOUND CONTAINING AN AFFECTED HUB BORE AT NO COST TO THE OWNER. THE SAFETY RECALL IS EXPECTED TO BEGIN DURING JUNE 2012. OWNERS MAY CONTACT VISION WHEEL AT 1-800-633-3936.

Notes:

OWNERS MAY ALSO CONTACT THE NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION'S VEHICLE SAFETY HOTLINE AT 1-888-327-4236 (TTY 1-800-424-9153), OR GO TO [HTTP://WWW.SAFERCAR.GOV](http://www.safercar.gov).

We have received Vision Wheel's proposed notification letter and it is currently under review. You will be notified of any changes or concerns once our review is complete.

Please be aware of the following information:

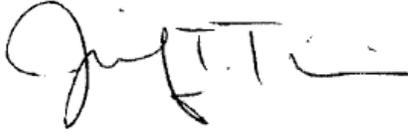
Copies of all notices, bulletins, dealer notifications, and other communications that relate to this recall, including a copy of the final owner notification letter and any subsequent owner follow-up notification letter(s), are required to be submitted to this office no later than 5 days after they are originally sent (if they are sent to more than one manufacturer, distributor, dealer, or purchaser/owner).

Vision Wheel must file a sample of the envelope which you intend to use to mail the recall notice to owners. The words "SAFETY", "RECALL", "NOTICE" in any order must be printed on the envelope in larger font than the customer's name and address.

As stated in Part 573.7, submission of the first of six consecutive quarterly status reports is required within one month after the close of the calendar quarter in which notification to purchasers occurs. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due on or before 30 days after the close of the calendar quarter.

Your contact for this recall will be Kelly Schuler, who may be reached by phone at 202-366-5227, by email at Kelly.Schuler@dot.gov, or through the office email at RMD.ODI@dot.gov. We look forward to working with you for successful completion of this recall campaign.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jennifer Timian". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Jennifer Timian
Chief, Recall Management Division
Office of Defects Investigation
Enforcement

cc: Ms. Erika Jones
Mayer Brown, LLC