



U.S. Department  
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**National Highway  
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NVS-215kjs  
09E-002

**SUBJECT: AFTERMARKET WHEEL RIMS/CRACKING/BREAKING**

**DEAR MR. HUECK:**

This letter serves to acknowledge Euro Trenz, Inc.'s (Euro Trenz) notification to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) of a defect for the product listed below for which a safety recall campaign shall be conducted pursuant to 49 U.S.C. § 30119.

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:**  
SEVAS/S-10/9999

**NHTSA Campaign Number:** 09E-002      **Mfg's Report Date:** January 27, 2009

**Components:** WHEELS:RIM

**Potential Number of Units Affected:** 1,539

**Summary:**

EURO TRENZ IS RECALLING 1,539 SEVAS S-10 WHEEL RIMS, P/NOS. 22X9 SIZE 22X9.5X115 AND 22X10.5 SIZE 22X10.5X120, SOLD AS AFTERMARKET EQUIPMENT BETWEEN JANUARY 2006 AND JULY 2007 FOR USE ON PASSENGER VEHICLES. THE CAST ALUMINUM ALLOY USED IN PRODUCTION WAS BELOW SPECIFICATIONS RESULTING IN AN INFERIOR QUALITY.

**Consequence:**

THE WHEEL RIMS COULD CRACK AND BREAK DURING USAGE POSSIBLY RESULTING IN A LOSS OF VEHICLE CONTROL.

**Remedy:**

EURO TRENZ WILL REPLACE THE RIMS FREE OF CHARGE OR OFFER A FULL REFUND. THE RECALL IS EXPECTED TO BEGIN ON OR ABOUT FEBRUARY 20, 2009. OWNERS MAY CONTACT EURO TREND AT 1-305-804-0052.

**Notes:**

CUSTOMERS MAY 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).

This recall was the subject of an Engineering Analysis, EA08-003, conducted by the Office of Defects Investigation.

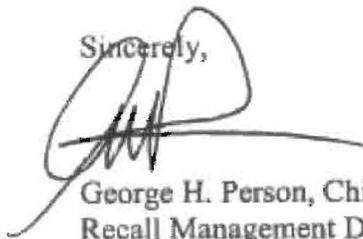
It is our understanding that Euro Trenz does not have records of the names and addresses of the final purchasers of the subject wheel rims. Accordingly, Euro Trenz will not submit a draft owner notification letter at this time. However, should Euro Trenz become aware of any owners, you are required to submit a draft owner notification letter to this office no less than five days prior to mailing it.

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).

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](mailto:Kelly.Schuler@dot.gov), or through the office email at [RMD.ODI@dot.gov](mailto:RMD.ODI@dot.gov). We look forward to working with you for successful completion of this recall campaign.

Sincerely,



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Recall Management Division  
Office of Defects Investigation  
Enforcement

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