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INFORMATION REPORT SUBMITTED UNDER 49 CFR PART 573**

Assigned Recall No. **03V-126** by the
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Part 573 Report Date: **March 31, 2003**

Date Faxed & E-Mailed: **March 31, 2003**

MANUFACTURER: **PACCAR, Inc.**

MANUFACTURER CONTACT: **Mr. Kenneth R. Brownstein, Senior Counsel**

SUBJECT: 45 PACCAR 1991-2003 Kenworth T800 and C500 trucks equipped with Meritor P 18x7 brakes with 36" brake chambers, manufactured from January 21, 1991 through February 25, 2003, fail to comply with the requirements of Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard (FMVSS) No. 121, "Air Brake Systems." These trucks were manufactured with a combined air reservoir volume less than 12 times the combined volume of all service brake chambers. Kenworth Recall No. 03KW3.

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

Under 49 U.S.C. § 30112(a), it is illegal for anyone, including a manufacturer, distributor, dealer, or retailer to sell an item of equipment or vehicle that fails to comply with all applicable Federal motor vehicle safety standards.

Please provide us with a draft owner notification letter for our review before mailing to consumers.

As stated in Part 573.6, 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. As stated in your report, owner notification is expected to begin during April or May 2003. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due by July 30, 2003.

If you have any questions, please call:



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