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Administrator
National Highway Traffic
Safety Administration
400 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590

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Attention: VIN Coordinator

The following VIN system is proposed for use by the manufacturer designated below. Please contact our office as soon as possible should you discover a discrepancy in this system.

Manufacturer: Apache Sales Corporation
Corporate Address: 5585 North St.
City, State & Zip: Dryden, MI 48428

| <u>POSITION(S)</u> | <u>INFORMATION</u> | <u>CODE(S)</u> |
|--------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|
| 1 through 3 | SAE Assigned Identifier | 1 V 8 |
| 4 | Type of Trailer | Per attached list |
| 5 | Series | 1 = Apache |
| 6 | Body Style | 0 = Not applicable |
| 7 | Length | Per attached list |
| 8 | Axles | Number of axles |
| 9 | Check Digit | As required |
| 10 | Model Year | Per attached list |
| 11 | Plant Location | 1 = Dryden, MI |
| 12 through 17 | Sequential serial number | As required |

Do not hesitate to contact our office if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Very truly yours,

T. R. ARNOLD & ASSOCIATES, INC.

Theodore P. Huff
Codes Coordinator

TPH/bc

cc: Ken Kolenda

VIN CODES

TYPE

1. CAMPING TRAILER
2. TRAVEL TRAILER
3. 5TH WHEEL TRAILER
4. UTILITY TRAILER (EXCL. VAN BODY TYPE)
5. VAN BODY TYPE UTILITY TRAILER
6. BOAT TRAILER
7. TRUCK CAMPER
8. TRUCK CAP

LENGTH

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|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| A. LESS THAN 6 FT. | J. 20 TO LESS THAN 22 FT. |
| B. 6 TO LESS THAN 8 FT. | K. 22 TO LESS THAN 24 FT. |
| C. 8 TO LESS THAN 10 FT. | L. 24 TO LESS THAN 26 FT. |
| D. 10 TO LESS THAN 12 FT. | M. 26 TO LESS THAN 28 FT. |
| E. 12 TO LESS THAN 14 FT. | N. 28 TO LESS THAN 30 FT. |
| F. 14 TO LESS THAN 16 FT. | P. 30 TO LESS THAN 32 FT. |
| G. 16 TO LESS THAN 18 FT. | R. MORE THAN 32 FT. |
| H. 18 TO LESS THAN 20 FT. | |

MODEL YEAR

1980 = A, 1981 = B, 1982 = C, 1983 = D, 1984 = E, 1985 = F,
1986 = G, 1987 = H, 1988 = J, 1989 = K, 1990 = L, 1991 = M,
1992 = N, 1993 = P, 1994 = R, 1995 = S, 1996 = T, 1997 = V,
1998 = W, 1999 = X, 2000 = Y, 2001 = 1, 2002 = 2, 2003 = 3,
2004 = 4, 2005 = 5, 2006 = 6, 2007 = 7, 2008 = 8, 2009 = 9,
2010 = A, 2011 = B, 2012 = C