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Attn: VIN Coordinator

RE: REVISIONS TO VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER CODING FOR  
ROLLS-ROYCE AND BENTLEY CARS

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find correspondence from Rolls-Royce Motor  
Cars Limited in connection with the above-referenced matter.

If you should have any questions concerning the above, please  
do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Yours sincerely,

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Dear Sir

## REVISIONS TO VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER CODING FOR ROLLS-ROYCE AND BENTLEY CARS

Minor revisions to our vehicle identification number (VIN) coding are being introduced coincident with our 1988 models.

The changes are as follows:-

- i) additional letters will be used in position 5 of the VIN to enable unique identification of Limousine and "Bentley Eight L" models. The "Bentley Eight L" is a long wheelbase version of the "Bentley Eight". The letter 'X' will be used to identify Limousine models and 'F' to identify "Bentley Eight L" models.
- ii) additional letters will be used in position 8 of the VIN to provide unique identification of new restraint systems. New restraint systems will be progressively introduced, commencing with some 1988 models to meet the requirements of FMVSS 208.

The following letter codes will be used:-

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|---|---|--|
| A | - | Active safety belts - all seating positions              |
| B | - | Passive safety belts - front, active safety belts - rear |
| C | - | Air Bags - front, active safety belts - all              |
| D | - | Air bag - driver only, active safety belts - all.        |



