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

RE: VIN COORDINATOR

Dear Ms. Steed:

On behalf of Nissan Motor Co., Ltd., Nissan Research & Development, Inc. hereby submits the enclosed information regarding the "VIN" systems for the 1988 Nissan vehicles, which will be marketed in the fall of this year. The information being submitted is based on the S565.5 "Reporting Requirements."

We hope that this submission will be sufficient for your needs. Should any further information be required, please contact Mr. Tomoyo Hayashi, a member of my staff, at (202) 466-5284.

Respectfully submitted,

Tomoyo Hayashi

for Toshio Maeda
Chief Operating Officer

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Encl.

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NISSAN "VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER" CODING SYSTEM (Passenger Car)

Code	Manufacturer/Make	Type
JN1	NISSAN	Passenger car
JN6	NISSAN	Truck
JN8	NISSAN	Multipurpose Passenger Vehicle
1N4	* NISSAN	Passenger Car
1N6	* NISSAN	Truck
3N1	** NISSAN	Passenger Car

* manufactured by Nissan Motor Manufacturing Corporation U.S.A.
** manufactured by Nissan Mexicana, S.A. de C.V.

J N 1 H Z 0 4 S 7 J X 1 2 3 4 5 6

- JN1: Manufacturer/Make
- H: Engine Type
- Z: Vehicle Line
- 0: *1 Model Change
- 4: Body Type
- S: GVWR
- 7: Check Digit
- J: Model Year 1988
- X: Manufacture Plant
- 123456: Sequential Production Number (Numeric characters from 000001 to 999999 are assigned

Note : *1) The full model change for each vehicle line is described here starting from 0 to 9.

category	Engine Type	Code
P	1.6 L, Gasoline	P
	1.6 L, Gasoline	P
	1.8 L, Gasoline (DOHC)	C
	2.0 L, Gasoline	P
	3.0 L, Gasoline	V
	3.0 L, Gasoline	H
	2.0 L, Gasoline	H
	3.0 L, Gasoline	H
	3.0 L, Gasoline, with Turbo Charger	C
	2.0 L, Gasoline	H

Vehicle Line	Code
NISSAN SENTRA	B
NISSAN PULSAR NX	N
NISSAN 200SX	S
NISSAN MAXIMA	U
NISSAN STANZA	T
NISSAN 300ZX	Z
NISSAN STANZA WAGON	M

Body Type	Code
4-Dr. Sedan	1
2-Dr. Sedan	2
2-Dr. Coupe	4
4-Dr. Wagon	5
2-Dr. Hatchback	6
2-Dr. Coupe	4
2-Dr. Coupe	4
2-Dr. Hatchback	6
4-Dr. Sedan	1
4-Dr. Wagon	5
4-Dr. Sedan	1
4-Dr. Hatchback	3
2-Dr. Coupe (2 seater)	4
2-Dr. Coupe (4 seater)	6
4-Dr. Wagon	5

GVWR	Code	
	S	Standard
	1	Standard
	B	Air Cushion System
	P	Automatic Belt System

Manufacture Plant	Code
OPPAMA PLANT	T
ZAMA PLANT	U
MURAYAMA PLANT	5
KYUSYU PLANT	W
HIRATUKA PLANT	X
KYOTO PLANT	Z
GUNMA PLANT	9
TOCHIGI PLANT	M
U.S.A. PLANT	C
MEXICO PLANT	K
NAGOYA PLANT	4

NISSAN "VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER" CODING SYSTEM (Multipurpose Passenger Vehicle,Truck)

Code	Manufacturer/Make	Type
JN1	NISSAN	Passenger car
JN6	NISSAN	Truck
JN8	NISSAN	Multipurpose Passenger Vehicle
1N4	* NISSAN	Passenger Car
1N6	* NISSAN	Truck
3N1	** NISSAN	Passenger Car

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J N 1 H Z 0 4 s 7 J X 1 2 3 4 5 6

- JN1: Manufacturer/Make
- H: Engine Type
- Z: Vehicle Line
- 0: *1 Model Change
- 4: Body Type
- s: GVWR
- 7: Check Digit
- J: Model Year 1988
- X: Manufacture Plant
- 123456: Sequential Production Number (Numeric characters from 000001 to 999999 are assigned

Note : *1) The full model change for each vehicle line is described here starting from 0 to 9.

*2) Standard grade only.

category	Engine Type	Code
M.P	2.0 L, Gasoline	H
	2.4 L, Gasoline	S
	2.4 L, Gasoline	N
	3.0 L, Gasoline	H
T	2.4 L, Gasoline	N
	3.0 L, Gasoline	H
	2.4 L, Gasoline	S
	2.4 L, Gasoline	N
	3.0 L, Gasoline	H

Vehicle Line	Code
NISSAN STANZA WAGON 4WD	M
NISSAN VAN	C
NISSAN PATHFINDER	D
NISSAN TRUCK	D
NISSAN VAN	C
NISSAN PATHFINDER	D

Body Type	Code
4-Dr. Wagon	5
Van	6
Van	6
Standard Body	1
Long Body	2
Cab & Chassis	5
King Cab	6
Van	4
Van	4

GVWR	Code	
Class C	Y	4 Wheel Drive
	S	Standard
	Y	4 Wheel Drive
Class *2 B C	S	Standard
D	Y	4 Wheel Drive
C	S	Standard
Class D	H	Heavy Duty Version
D	H	Heavy Duty Version
C	S	Standard
D	Y	4 Wheel Drive
Class C	S	Standard
	Y	4 Wheel Drive

Manufacture Plant	Code
OPPAMA PLANT	T
ZAMA PLANT	U
MURAYAMA PLANT	5
KYUSYU PLANT	W
HIRATUKA PLANT	X
KYOTO PLANT	Z
GUNMA PLANT	9
TOCHIGI PLANT	M
U.S.A. PLANT	C
MEXICO PLANT	K
NAGOYA PLANT	4