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Attn.: VIN Coordinator

Subject: Isuzu VIN Decoding Information Report –  
2000 and 2001 Model Years –  
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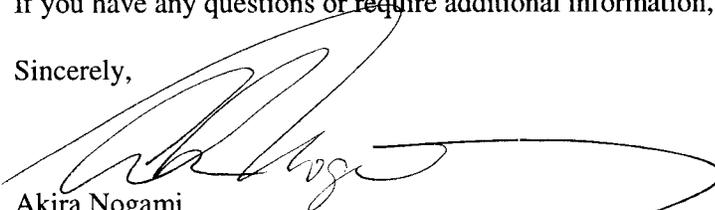
Dear Sir or Madam:

In accordance with §565.7 of 49 CFR Part 565, Vehicle Identification Number Requirements, on behalf of Isuzu Motors Limited, we submit the following:

An error was corrected in the series name for VIN position 5, code 5. The series name was corrected to WT5500 for both model years 2000 and 2001 on page 9 of both reports.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at 734-455-7557 ext. 264.

Sincerely,



Akira Nogami  
Chief Representative  
Emissions & Safety  
Isuzu Motors America, Inc

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cc: Mr. Suzuki, ISZ-J R109

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**ISUZU MOTORS LIMITED**

**VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER  
FOR 2000 MODEL YEAR VEHICLES**

**IN COMPLIANCE WITH  
49 CFR PART 565  
VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER REQUIREMENTS**

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## SECTION A - General Information

Table A1 World Manufacturer Identifier (VIN positions 1, 2, and 3)

<u>Code</u>	<u>Make</u>	<u>Type</u>
ISUZU MOTORS LIMITED, JAPAN		
JAC	ISUZU	Multipurpose Passenger Vehicle
JAL	ISUZU	Incomplete Vehicle - Medium & Heavy Duty
J8B	CHEVROLET	Incomplete Vehicle - Medium & Heavy Duty
J8D	GMC TRUCK	Incomplete Vehicle - Medium & Heavy Duty
SUBARU - ISUZU AUTOMOTIVE INC., U.S.A.		
4S2	ISUZU	Multipurpose Passenger Vehicle
4S6	HONDA	Multipurpose Passenger Vehicle
GENERAL MOTORS CORPORATION, JANESVILLE ASSEMBLY PLANT, U.S.A.		
4KL	ISUZU	Incomplete Vehicle - Medium & Heavy Duty
4KB	CHEVROLET	Incomplete Vehicle - Medium & Heavy Duty
4KD	GMC TRUCK	Incomplete Vehicle - Medium & Heavy Duty

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## SECTION A - General Information

Table A2 Model Year Code (VIN position 10)

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

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## SECTION A - General Information

Table A3	Plant Code (VIN position 11)		
<u>Code</u>	<u>Plant Name</u>		<u>Manufacturer</u>
3	Kawasaki	Japan	Isuzu Motors Ltd.
7	Fujisawa	Japan	Isuzu Motors Ltd.
4	Lafayette, Indiana	U.S.A.	Subaru-Isuzu Automotive Inc.
J	Janesville, Wisconsin	U.S.A.	General Motors Corporation

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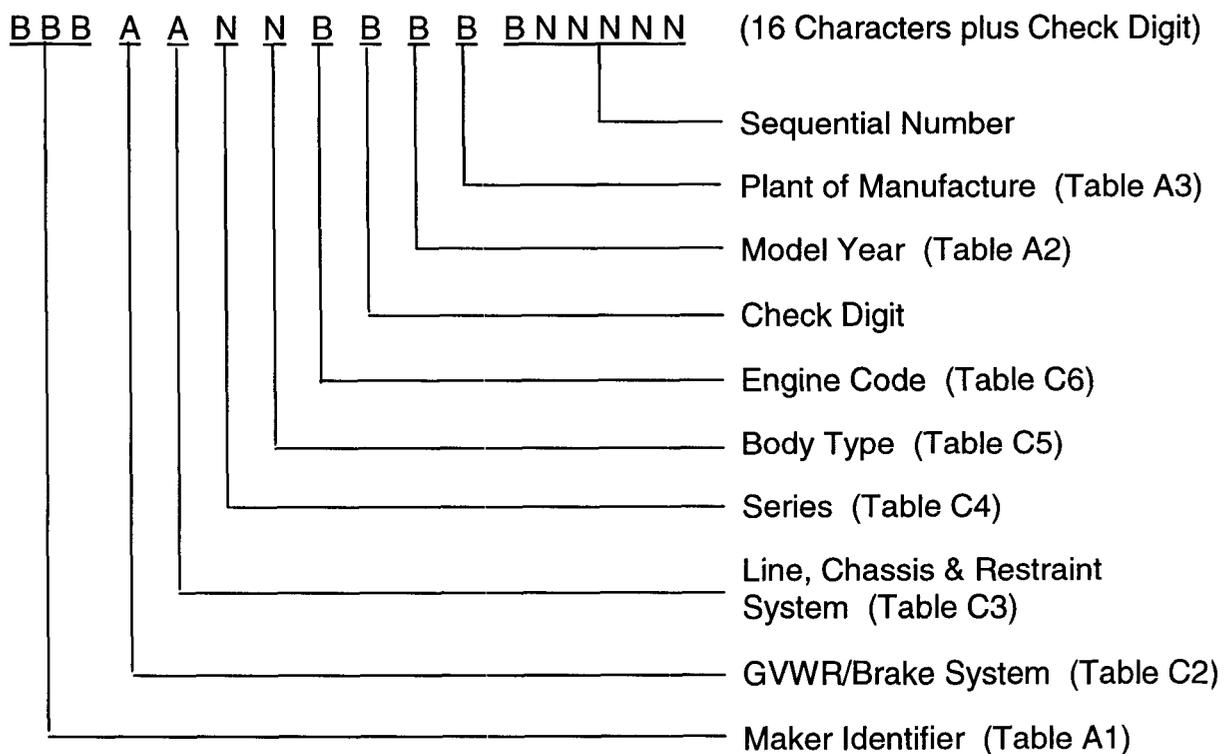
SECTION B - (Reserved)

Table B1	(Reserved)
Table B2	(Reserved)
Table B3	(Reserved)
Table B4	(Reserved)
Table B5	(Reserved)

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SECTION C - MPV's, Light Duty Trucks, and Incomplete Vehicles

Table C1 MPV, Light Duty Truck, and Incomplete Vehicle VIN Layout



A - Alpha Characters,  
 B - Alpha or Numeric,  
 N - Numeric Characters,

SECTION C - MPV's, Light Duty Trucks, and Incomplete Vehicles

Table C2 GVWR/Brake System (VIN position 4)  
(All vehicles of these types use Hydraulic Brakes)

<u>Code</u>	<u>GVWR Range (In Pound)</u>
C	4001 - 5000
D	5001 - 6000

Table C3 Line, Chassis, & Restraint System (VIN position 5)

<u>Code</u>	<u>Description</u>
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For Vehicles with World Manufacturer Identifier Code: JAC, 4S2

J	Trooper, 4X4, Active (Manual) Belts with Driver & Passenger Inflatable Restraint
K	Rodeo or Amigo, 4X2, Active (Manual) Belts with Driver & Passenger Inflatable Restraint
M	Rodeo or Amigo, 4X4, Active (Manual) Belts with Driver & Passenger Inflatable Restraint
N	VehiCross, 4X4, Active (Manual) Belts with Driver & Passenger Inflatable Restraint
S	Trooper, 4X2, Active (Manual) Belts with Driver & Passenger Inflatable Restraint

For Vehicles with World Manufacturer Identifier Code: 4S6

K	Passport, 4X2, Active (Manual) Belts with Driver & Passenger Inflatable Restraint
M	Passport, 4X4, Active (Manual) Belts with Driver & Passenger Inflatable Restraint

Table C4 Series (VIN position 6)

<u>Code</u>	<u>Description</u>
5	4- or 5-seater plus 1/4 ton (nominal)

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## SECTION C - MPV's, Light Duty Trucks, and Incomplete Vehicles

Table C5 Body Type (VIN position 7)

<u>Code</u>	<u>Description</u>
5	Utility, 2 door, long wheelbase
7	Utility, 2 door, short wheelbase
8	Utility, 4 door

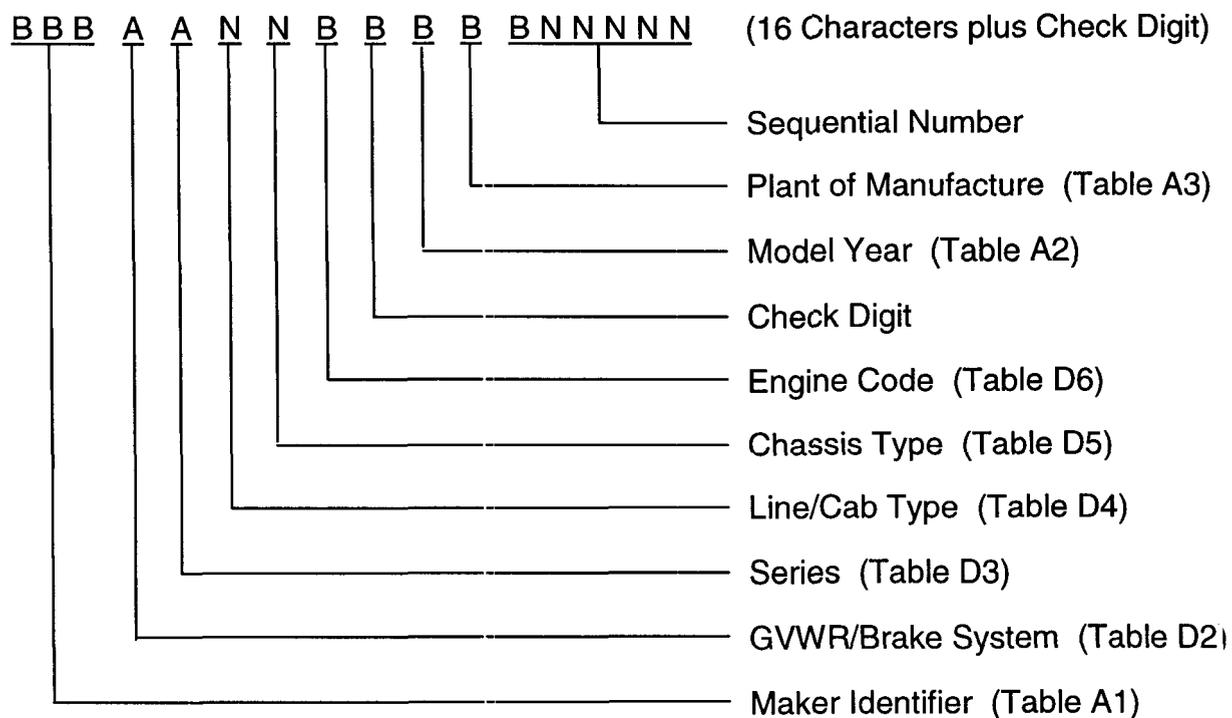
Table C6 Engine Code (VIN position 8)

<u>Code</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Make</u>
D	X22SE	2.2L, L4, Gasoline - DOHC	HOLDEN
W	6VD1	3.2L, V6, Gasoline - DOHC	ISUZU
X	6VE1	3.5L, V6, Gasoline - DOHC	ISUZU

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Table D1 Medium and Heavy Duty Truck, and Incomplete Vehicle VIN Layout



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SECTION D - Medium and Heavy Duty Trucks and Incomplete Vehicles

Table D2 GVWR/Brake System (VIN position 4)

<u>Code</u>	<u>GVWR Range (In Pounds)</u>	<u>Brake System</u>
B	10001 - 14000	Hydraulic Brake
C	14001 - 16000	Hydraulic Brake
E	16001 - 19500	Hydraulic Brake
F	16001 - 19500	Air Brake

Table D3 Series (VIN position 5)

<u>Code</u>	<u>Description</u>
4	W3500, W4500, NPR, or NPR-HD
5	W5500, WT5500, NQR, or FRR

Table D4 Line/Cab Type (VIN position 6)

<u>Code</u>	<u>Description</u>
B	Tilt Cab, BBC = 68 Inches
C	Tilt Cab, BBC = 86 Inches

BBC: Bumper to Back of Cab

Table D5 Chassis Type (VIN position 7)

<u>Code</u>	<u>Description</u>
1	4X2, 2 Axles, 1 Driving

Table D6 Engine Code (VIN position 8)

<u>Code</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Make</u>
4	4HE1-XS	4.75L, L4, Diesel, Turbo Intercooler, High Power	ISUZU
5	4HE1-XN	4.75L, L4, Diesel, Turbo Intercooler	ISUZU
R		5.7L, V8, Gasoline	GM
3	6HK1-TC	7.8L, L6, Diesel, Turbo Intercooler	ISUZU

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