

SAMPLE PART 565, VIN SUBMISSION

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Administrator  
 National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NSA-32)  
 400 Seventh Street, SW  
 Room 6111  
 Washington, D.C. 20590

Subject: VIN Decoding Information for FM Mfg., Inc.

In accordance with 565.7 of 49 CFR Part 565, *Vehicle Identification Number*, FM Mfg., Inc. hereby submits Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) decoding information.

VIN Position	Description	Codes:
1, 2 & 3	WMI	1 F 9 – assigned by SAE
4	Trailer Type	B = Boat P = Port-a-Jon S = Special U = Utility
5	Body Type	C = Cradle E = Enclosed Trailer L = Lift V = Van Trailer U = Utility Trailer
6 & 7	Length of Trailer (all lengths rounded to nearest foot)	26 = 26 feet long 09 = 9 feet long
8	Number of Axles	3 = 3 Axles 4 = 4 Axles
9	Check Digit (last position to be entered after calculations)	Calculate (see 49 CFR 565.4)
10	Model Year	4 = 2004 5 = 2005 6 = 2006 7 = 2007
11	Plant Location	1 = Archbold
12, 13 & 14	WMI extension	303 – assigned by SAE
15, 16 & 17	Sequential Production Number	001, 002, 003

SAMPLE PART 566, MANUFACTURER IDENTIFICATION SUBMISSION

49 CFR Part 566, *Manufacturer Identification to be sent to NHTSA*

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Owner of Company: Ron and Glenda Rupp

City of Incorporation: Archbold, OH

Product Manufactured: FM builds trailers from steels purchased at local supply  
Companies. Some trailers are built to specifications and sold to  
manufacturing company for their product and sold to consumers.

GVWR The gross vehicle weight ratings (GVWR) of our products  
From 500 lb tag-a-long trailers to 15,000 equipment trailers.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date 3/3/2005 \_\_\_\_\_

Ronald Rupp \_\_\_\_\_

President/Owner  
Capacity of Signatory (President, Owner)