

Following is the information necessary to decipher the characters contained in the proposed VIN numbers requested from SAE per 49CFR565.

Char 1 – 3	1MT	Manufacturer Identifier assigned by SAE
Char 4		Trailer Type
	1	Full Trailer
	2	Semi-Trailer
	3	Trailer Dolly
	4	Truck Body
	5	Gooseneck Trailer
Char 5		Body Platform
	L	Platform (Flatbed)
	N	Livestock
	P	Grain (Dump)
	S	Special
Char 6 – 7		Trailer Length (in feet – rounded up to next integer foot)
Char 8		Number of Axles
Char 9		Check Digit
Char 10		Model Year
Char 11		Manufacturing Location
	H	Henderson, CO
Char 12 – 17		The Merritt Equipment serial number

Additionally, Merritt Equipment Company uses its corporate name as the "Make" designator for sales purposes.

Sincerely,



Donald H. Bridge
Sr. Mfg Eng

October 30, 2008

Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
1200 New Jersey Avenue SE W43-488
Washington, DC 20590
Attention: VIN Coordinator

Dear Sir or Madam:

Following is the information necessary for the Manufacturer Identification Submission required per 49CFR566.

Merritt Equipment Co.
9339 Hwy 85
Henderson, CO 80640
(303) 289-2286
Fax: (303) 289-2568

Owner of Company: Merco Holding Inc.

City of Incorporation: Portland, OR

Product Manufactured: Merritt Equipment builds Livestock and Grain Semi-trailers, Gooseneck Utility trailers and such transportation equipment as may become economically viable and profitable.

GVWR: GVWR of trailers produced is in excess of 10,000 lb.

Signed: _____



Everett Merritt
President

Date: _____

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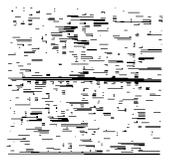
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