

**BTM**1515 Canal Street  
Lockport, IL 60441-2888  
v 877-733-1200  
f 815-834-1990**BLACK TIE MANUFACTURING****PART 565, VIN SUBMISSION****BLACK TIE MANUFACTURING, INC.  
71913 COUNTY ROAD 23  
NEW PARIS, IN. 46553-9770**

September 20, 2005

Administrator  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NSA-32)  
400 Seventh Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20590  
Attn: Vin Coordinator

Subject: Vin Decoding Information for Black Tie Manufacturing, Inc.

In accordance with § 565.7(c) of 49 CFR Part 565, Vehicle Identification Number, Black Tie Manufacturing, Inc. hereby submits Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) decoding information.

VIN POSITION:	DESCRIPTION	CODES
1,2 & 3	WMI	1B9
4	Trailer Type	B=Ball Type Pull
5	Body Type	A = Optima E = Eltia P = Prelu T = Top Hat B = Black Tie
6 & 7	Length of Trailer	26 = 26 Feet Long 12 = 12 Feet Long
8	Number of Axles	3 = 3 4 = 4
9	Check Digit	Calculate – SEE 49 CFR 565.4



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10	Model Year	5 = 2005 6 = 2006
11	Plant Location	G = Goshen
12, 13 & 14	WMI	8,1,5
15, 16, & 17	Sequential Production Number	001 002



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**PART 566, MANUFACTURER IDENTIFICATION SUBMISSION**

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

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**574-831-3140**  
**fax: 574-831-3146**

Owner of Company: William McEnery

City of Incorporation: Black Tie Manufacturing, Inc. is incorporated in  
Lockport, Illinois, USA

Product Manufactured: Black Tie Manufacturing builds trailers from steel and material purchases at local supply companies. The trailers are built as mobile restrooms and trailers.

GVWR: The gross vehicle weight ratings (GVWR) of our products range from 1,500 lb tag a long trailers to 15,000 lb equipment trailers.

Signed: 

Date 9-21-05

PHILLIP K. MEEGAN  
Typed Name

PRESIDENT  
Capacity of Signatory (President, owner)