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Attn. VIN Coordinator

Ref. : Vehicle Identification Number deciphering information

In accordance with 49 CFR part 565 , *Vehicle Identification Number requirements*, Kansas Motorcycle Works dba Big Dog Motorcycles is submitting information necessary to decipher the characters contained in its Vehicle Identification Number. Please see attached VIN Breakdown.

K.M.W. dba Big Dog Motorcycles, is a low volume motorcycle manufacturer assigned WMI code 1K9 & WMI extension 353

If you have any questions, please contact us at 316-260-8039

Sincerely,

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GUIDE TO DECODING BIG DOG MOTORCYCLES VIN NUMBERS STARTING WITH 2015

EXAMPLE VIN = 1K91YCJB5AW353001

First Section :

. = The world identifier as assigned by SAE

Second Section :

1 = Type of motorcycle (the same for all models)
Y = Model (see below for list of models by code letters)
C = Carbureted - E = Electronic Fuel Injection (EFI)
J = Net brake Horsepower (all models have 100 Horsepower)
B = Frame manufactured by BDM , F = frame mfd. by Fat Baggers , R = Frame mfd
by Rolling Thunder

Third Section :

9 = This number will be different for each motorcycle and is determined using a
calculation based on other numbers and letters in the VIN

Fourth Section :

F = Model Year (see year codes listed below)
W = Plant Location (Wichita)
353 = WMI Extension
001 = Production sequence number

Model Code Letters

C = Coyote
G = Bulldog
H = Pitbull
M = Mastiff
N = Chopper
P = Wolf
R = Ridgeback
U = Underdog
Z = Custom (Use for R&D bikes, etc)

Year Code Letters

A = 2015
B = 2016
C = 2017
D = 2018
E = 2019
F = 2020