



July 10, 2018

Administrator  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration  
1200 New Jersey Avenue SEW43-488  
Washington, DC 20590  
Attention: VIN Coordinator

RE: Vehicle Identification Number Deciphering Information

In accordance with 49 CFR Part 565, Vehicle Identification Number Requirements, RailPod, Inc. is submitting information necessary to decipher the characters contained in its Vehicle Identification Numbers. Please see the attachment.

RailPod, Inc. is a low-volume trailer manufacturer assigned WMI: 1R9/871. If you have any questions, please contact me at (617) 826-9536.

Sincerely,

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## Vehicle Identification Number Deciphering Scheme

WMI Code			Trailer Make	Trailer Connection Type	Trailer Body Type	Total Length in Feet	Number of Axles	Check Digit	Model Year	Mfg. Location	WMI Extension			Sequential Production Number		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17

VIN Position #4 Trailer Make	
Make	Code
RailPod, Inc.	R

VIN Position #5 Trailer Connection Type	
Connection Type	Code
Pintle Hook	A
Ball Hook	B

VIN Position #6 Trailer Body Type	
Body Type	Code
Specialty	1

VIN Position #7 Trailer Length in Feet	
Length	Code
10 Feet	J
11 Feet	K
12 Feet	L
13 Feet	M
14 Feet	N

VIN Position #8 Number of Axles	
Axles	Code
Single Axle	P

VIN Position #10 Model Year	
Model Year	Code
2017	H
2018	J
2019	K
2020	L
2021	M
2022	N

VIN Position #11 Manufacturing Location	
Manufacturing Location	Code
Boston, Massachusetts, USA	D

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Dyan LeBourdais  
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Dear Dyan LeBourdais,

As the agent of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration for the assignment of manufacturer identifiers pursuant to CFR 49 Part 565 Vehicle Identification Number Requirements (VIN), the following World Manufacturer Identifier (WMI) Code has been reserved:

WMI Code	<b>1R9</b>	Positions 1, 2 & 3 of VIN
WMI Extension	<b>871</b>	Positions 12th, 13th & 14th of VIN
Manufacturer	RailPod Inc. 371 Dorchester Ave Boston MA 02127-2430	
Country	United States	
Vehicle Type	Trailers	
Make/Model	<hr/>	

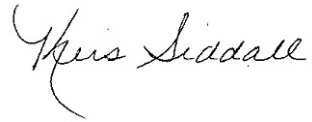
If changes occur, such as company name, ownership, address and/or phone number, please be sure to notify us as soon as possible.

If you have questions concerning the construction of your Vehicle Identification Number, please contact the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) Crash Data and Manufacturer Hotline at:

Email: [manufacturerinfo@dot.gov](mailto:manufacturerinfo@dot.gov)  
Phone: 1-888-399-3277  
Fax: 1-202-366-1024

Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kris Siddall". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping initial "K".

Kris Siddall  
CSR / WMI Coordinator