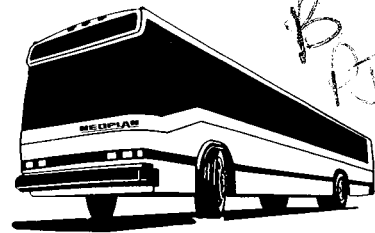


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Dear Sir:

NEOPLAN USA CORPORATION is currently preparing to install a new engine configuration. The engine will use a mixture of diesel fuel and liquid natural gas as it's fuel source. On the attached list please refer to Item 7, number 8. It will now read, "6V Diesel/LNG, In-Line Installation".

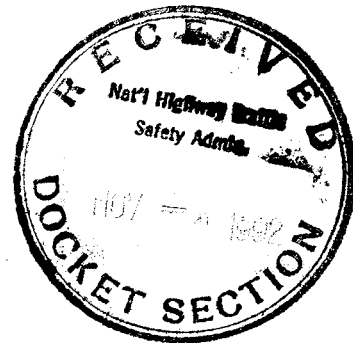
This information is for your concurrence and approval.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

NEOPLAN USA CORPORATION

John Munez
Contract Administrator



cc: Annemarie Chenoweth
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VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER DESIGNATION CHART

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<u>VIN DIGIT POSITION</u>	<u>NUMBER OR LETTER ASSIGNED</u>	<u>EXPLANATION</u>
1	1	RE: S4.5.1 First Section Manufacturer Identification
2	N	RE: S4.5.1 Manufacturer Identification
3	9	RE: S4.5.1 Manufacturer Produces Less Than 500 Buses Per Year. Must Be 9.
4 <u>Model</u>	T (Transit) H (Highway) S (Shell)	RE: S4.5.2 Second Section Specify Attributes of Vehicle. Character - Alphabetic.
5 <u>Series</u>	N (New Look) A (Advanced Design) J (Jetliner) K (Skyliner) P (Spaceliner) C (Cityliner) M (Chassis) S (Shuttle)	RE: S4.5.2 Character-Alphabet
6 <u>Body Type</u>	1 (Single Deck) 2 (Double Deck) 3 (Articulated)	RE: S4.5.2 Character-Numeric
7 <u>Engine</u>	1 (6V Diesel, Transverse Installation) 2 (6V Diesel, In-Line Installation) 3 (8V Diesel, In-Line Installation) 4 (6V Diesel/CNG, Transverse Installation) 5 (6 Cylinder In-Line 8.2 Diesel, Transverse Installation) 6 (8V/8.2 Diesel, In-Line Installation) 7 (6 Cylinder Diesel In-Line, Transverse Installation) 8 (6V Diesel/LNG, In-Line Installation) 9 (6 Cylinder Diesel In-Line, In-Line Installation)	RE: S4.52 Character-Numeric
8 <u>Brakes</u>	A (Air Brakes) H (Air/Hydraulic)	RE: S4.5.2 Character-Alphabet or Numeric

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9	<u>Check Digit</u>	
10	<u>Year</u>	
11	<u>Plant</u>	B (Berlin, W. Germany Mfg. Facility) H (Honey Brook, PA Mfg. Facility) L (Lamar, CO Mfg. Facility)
		RE: S4.5.3.1 Third Section Table II
12	0	RE: Manufacturer produces less than 500 buses per year, therefore, characters 1 & 2 identify the manufac- turer, make, and type of vehicle.
13	1	
14	3	
15		RE: S4.5.3.3 Characters 15, 16, and 17 represent the sequential number assign- ed by the manufacturer.
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