October 1, 2009

Associate Administrator for Enforcement
NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION
Attn: Early Warning Division (NVW-217)
1200 New Jersey Ave., SE
Washington, DC 20590

Re: Foreign Recall Report

Dear Associate Administrator:

On September 24, 2009, Guangqi Honda Automobile Co., Ltd., decided to conduct a safety recall of certain 2009 Accord vehicles in China. The following information is submitted pursuant to the requirements of 49 CFR 579.12.

573.6(c)(1)
Name of Manufacturer: Guangqi Honda Automobile Co., Ltd.

Manufacturer's Agent: William R. Willen
American Honda Motor Co., Inc. (AHM)
1919 Torrance Blvd.
Torrance, CA 90501-2746

573.6(c)(2)
Identification of Potentially Affected Vehicles:

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<th>Make/Model</th>
<th>Description</th>
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<td>Honda Accord</td>
<td>Certain 2009 model year vehicles</td>
<td>April 8, 2009 – June 8, 2009</td>
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Description of the Basis for the Determination of the Recall Population:
The recall population was based on manufacturing records.

573.6(c)(3)
Total Number of Vehicles Potentially Affected: 9,464

*712 vehicles are included due to installation of affected service parts between March 24, 2009 – August 20, 2009
573.6(c)(5)
Defect Description:
In certain vehicles, the passenger airbag was not manufactured properly. The passenger airbag may tear at the seams during deployment reducing occupant protection in the event of a crash.

579.12(a)
Campaign Being Conducted in: China
Safety Recall or Other Safety Campaign: Safety Recall
Determination Made by: Honda
Date of Determination: September 24, 2009
Date Recall will Commence: September 29, 2009

Manufacturer's Program for Remediying the Noncompliance:
Dealers will replace the passenger airbag. All work will be performed free of charge.

U.S. Motor Vehicles Identical or Similar to Vehicles Covered by this Foreign Recall:
2009 Honda Accord

Reason U.S. Vehicles Not Affected
The U.S. version of the 2009 Honda Accord is manufactured at a different factory.

Sincerely,

AMERICAN HONDA MOTOR CO., INC.

[Signature]
ON BEHALF OF
William R. Wilen
Managing Counsel
Product Regulatory Office

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