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Mr. David Friedman, Acting Administrator
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RE: VIN Coding System for 2015MY Toyota RAV4, 2015MY Toyota Tacoma,
2015MY Lexus GS 350, 2015MY Lexus GS 350 AWD and 2015MY Lexus GS 450h

Dear Mr. Friedman:

Pursuant to 49 CFR Part 565, "Vehicle Identification Number Content Requirements", on behalf of Toyota Motor Corporation, we hereby submit the Vehicle Identification Number Coding System applicable to the 2015MY Toyota RAV4, 2015MY Toyota Tacoma, 2015MY Lexus GS 350, 2015MY Lexus GS 350 AWD and 2015MY Lexus GS 450h. We trust this information will be satisfactory.

Sincerely,

TOYOTA MOTOR NORTH AMERICA, INC.



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Enclosure

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TOYOTA RAV4
VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER CODING SYSTEM

Constitution *: Described in each section below

Section	1			2				3	4								
	*	*			Check Digit	Model Year	*	Serial Number									
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17

Section 1: Geographic Area & Country, Manufacturer, and Type of Vehicle

1st - 3rd Digits	Code	Geographic Area & Country	Manufacturer	Type
	JTM	Asia, Japan	Toyota Motor Corporation	Multipurpose Passenger Vehicle
	2T3	North America, Canada	Toyota Motor Manufacturing, Canada, Inc.	Multipurpose Passenger Vehicle

Section 2: Vehicle Description Section

		Code	Description	
4th Digit	Body Type & Grade	D	5Door Wagon, G grade, Four-Wheel Drive	
		R	5Door Wagon, M grade, Four-Wheel Drive	
		B	5Door Wagon, X grade, Four-Wheel Drive	
		Y	5Door Wagon, G grade, Two-Wheel Drive	
		W	5Door Wagon, M grade, Two-Wheel Drive	
		Z	5Door Wagon, X grade, Two-Wheel Drive	
5th Digit	Engine Type	F	2AR-FE	GASOLINE, PORT, L4, 2.5L
6th Digit	Restraint Devices & their Locations	4	Seat Belt: all seats Frontal Airbag: Driver & Passenger seats Curtain Shield Airbag: All rows Side Airbag: 1st row	
		R	Seat Belt: all seats Frontal Airbag: Driver & Passenger seats Curtain Shield Airbag: All rows Side Airbag: 1st row Knee Airbag: Driver seat only Cushion Airbag: Passenger seat only	
7th Digit	Series	E	ASA44L ASA42L	
8th Digit	Line & Make	V	TOYOTA RAV4	

Section 4: Vehicle Plant of Manufacture

		Code	Description
11th Digit	Plant of Manufacture	D	Nagakusa Plant, Toyota Industries Corp.
		J	Takaoka Plant, Toyota Motor Corp.
		W	Woodstock Plant, Toyota Motor Manufacturing, Canada, Inc.

TOYOTA TACOMA
VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER CODING SYSTEM

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Section 1: Geographic Area & Country, Manufacturer, and Type of Vehicle

1st - 3rd Digits	Code	Geographic Area & Country	Manufacturer	Type
	5TF	North America, USA	Toyota Motor Manufacturing, Texas, Inc.	Truck
	3TM	North America, Mexico	Toyota Motor Manufacturing de Baja California S de RL de CV	Truck

Section 2: Vehicle Description Section

		Code	Description	
4th Digit	Body Type & Grade	T	Extra Cab, Delux grade, Long Wheel Base, Two-Wheel Drive	
		J	Double Cab, Delux grade, Long Wheel Base, Two-Wheel Drive	
		U	Extra Cab, Delux grade, Long Wheel Base, Four-Wheel Drive	
		L	Double Cab, Delux grade, Long Wheel Base, Four-Wheel Drive	
		M	Double Cab, Delux grade, Super Long Wheelbase, Four-Wheel Drive	
		K	Double Cab, Delux grade, Super Long Wheelbase, Two-Wheel Drive	
5th Digit	Engine Type	X	2TR-FE	GASOLINE, PORT, L4, 2.7L
		U	1GR-FE	GASOLINE, PORT, V6, 4.0L
6th Digit	Restraint Devices & their Locations	4	Seat Belt: All seats Frontal Airbags: Driver & Passenger seats Curtain Shield Airbags: All Rows Side Airbags: 1st Row	
7th Digit	Series	C	TRN225L GRN225L	
		E	TRN245L GRN245L	
		G	TRN265L GRN265L	
		F	GRN250L	
		H	GRN270L	
8th Digit	Line & Make	N	TOYOTA TACOMA	

Section 4: Vehicle Plant of Manufacture

		Code	Description
11th Digit	Plant of Manufacture	M	Toyota Motor Manufacturing de Baja California S de RL de CV
		X	Toyota Motor Manufacturing, Texas, Inc.

LEXUS GS 350 / GS 350 AWD / GS 450h
VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER CODING SYSTEM

Constitution

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Section 1: Geographic Area & Country, Manufacturer, and Type of Vehicle

1st - 3rd Digits	Code	Geographic Area & Country	Manufacturer	Type
	JTH	Asia, Japan	Toyota Motor Corporation	Passenger Car

Section 2: Vehicle Description Section

		Code	Description
4th Digit	Body Type	B	4Door Sedan, Two-Wheel Drive
		C	4Door Sedan, Four-Wheel Drive
5th Digit	Engine Type	S	2GR-FXE,1KM GASOLINE(HYBRID), PORT+DIRECT, V6, 3.5L
		E	2GR-FSE GASOLINE, PORT+DIRECT, V6, 3.5L
6th Digit	Restraint Devices & their Locations	1	Seat Belt: All seats Frontal Airbag: Driver & Passenger seats Curtain Shield Airbag: All rows Side Airbag: All rows Knee Airbag: Driver & Passenger seats
7th Digit	Series	B	GWL10L GRL10L GRL15L
8th Digit	Line & Make	L	LEXUS GS 350 / GS 350 AWD / GS 450h

Section 4: Vehicle Plant of Manufacture

		Code	Description
11th Digit	Plant of Manufacture	5	Tahara Plant, Toyota Motor Corp.
		A	Motomachi Plant, Toyota Motor Corp.