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## Re: Update Regarding Selection of NMVTIS Data Consolidator by AAMVA

Dear Auto Recycler:

The purpose of this letter is to provide you with an update on the designation of the next National Motor Vehicle Title Information System (NMVTIS) data consolidator by the American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrators (AAMVA), the operator of NMVTIS. As you know, ARA Services Corporation submitted a proposal in response to AAMVA's request for proposals to be designated as the next NMVTIS data consolidator. AAMVA recently informed ARA Services Corporation that it had completed its review of the submitted proposals and had made a decision regarding the next NMVTIS data consolidator. Unfortunately, AAMVA informed ARA Services Corporation that it had selected another party to be the next NMVTIS data consolidator. AAMVA indicated that ARA Services Corporation's proposal was among the top proposals received and that ARA Services Corporation would be given priority consideration in the event that AAMVA finds it necessary to appoint an additional NMVTIS data consolidator within the next year. AAMVA also indicated that the decision as to whether to designate additional NMVTIS data consolidators will be based upon how well the existing reporting mechanisms work for NMVTIS reporting entities. It is our understanding that there is no timeframe for AAMVA to make the decision as to whether to designate additional NMVTIS data consolidators but AAMVA is unlikely to consider this until the existing reporting mechanisms have been in place for some time.

AAMVA did not reveal the identity of the party that was selected as the next NMVTIS data consolidator but indicated that there would be a public announcement of the selection of such party in the near future. We will provide updates regarding the identity of the next NMVTIS data consolidator on the ARASC-VINs tab on the <a href="http://products.car-part.com/">http://products.car-part.com/</a> website as soon as the information becomes available.

We have been informed that Car-Part.com intends to provide reporting capabilities to all Checkmate and Fast Parts customers which will allow them to create files containing the required NMVTIS inventory data in the formats designated by the various data consolidators. This will allow such Checkmate and Fast Parts customers to select the NMVTIS reporting option that works best for them. Checkmate and Fast Parts customers will need to contact one of the designated NMVTIS data consolidators for instructions on how to obtain an NMVTIS reporting entity identification number and how to make the required NMVTIS reporting.

ARA Services Corporation and Car-Part.com intend to continue exploring opportunities that will allow auto recyclers and other reporting entities to meet their NMVTIS reporting obligations in an integrated and automated fashion. We thank all of you that supported ARA Services Corporation's efforts to be designated as the next NMVTIS data consolidator and we will keep you informed of any updates. If you have any questions regarding the foregoing, please contact us at <a href="mailto:nMVTISReporting@car-part.com">NMVTISReporting@car-part.com</a>.

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