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OEM Shipments Exclusive-'06 2nd Quarter Production of Outdoor Power Equipment, Others Seen Marginally Declining  
Freightliner to Dump Supplier Caterpillar, Shift Engine Sourcing to Cummins in 2007  
Cummins Says Pre-Buy to be 'Less Dramatic' in '06  
Hayes Lemmerz to Create Auto Components Group  
February Crude Steel, Iron Production Falls  
Cummins Discloses Market Outlook for 2006  
GM Snubs Delphi Bid to Redo Terms of Some Pacts  
EUROPE-ASIA- Scania Ends Talks with MAN for Truck Axles  
Goodyear to Shutter U.K. Auto Tire Plant  
Wecast to Establish Foundry, Machining Site in China  
Modine S.Korea Workers Take Voluntary Retirement  
DENSO to Build Auto Air Conditioner Plant in Turkey  
Alcoa Launches Venture with Shanxi Yuncheng  
Meridian to Gain \$18.3 Mln from Fowlerville Plant Sale  
Tower to Pay \$35 Mln to Cover Retiree Worker Benefits  
J.L. French Files Reorganization Plant with Court  
Continental Buys Motorola's Auto Electronics Unit  
Lear Sees Record Worldwide Sales in 2006  
American Axle Sees '06 Production Volumes Down 5%  
Worthington to Sell 50% Interest in Acerex to Ternium  
CTS EMS Business Establishing Mexico Operations  
AGCO Gets U.S. SEC Subpoena for Investigation  
Behr to Launch Production Plant in Saltillo, Mexico  
Takata Mexico Plant Continues Following Blasts  
Notes: Eaton, Hayes Name New Execs  
March 2006 Gasoline & Diesel Engine Assembly, On-Highway & Off-Highway Transmission Assembly  
March 2006 North American Car Production by Maker, by Plant

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GM Woes Mount with U.S. SEC Subpoenas, Potential Strike by Unions at Supplier Delphi  
Caterpillar '07 Diesel Engines Use ACERT, CGI  
MAN, Navistar Engine Prototypes Enter Testing  
Navistar Launching New MaxxForce Diesel Engines  
Detroit Diesel Sees '06 Engine Output at 80,000 Units  
Detroit Diesel, Mercedes '07 Engines Hike Truck Prices  
U.S. Steel Imports Expand by 20% in January  
Hayes Lemmerz to Close Indiana Aluminum Wheel Plant  
Cummins Mulls SCR for 2010 Engines on Same Platforms  
DURA to Close 5-10 Plants, Cut Costs Amid Restructure  
Lear Divests European Interior Products to IAC  
EUROPE, ASIA-Volvo Acquires 40 Million Shares in Nissan Diesel  
Subaru Targest Diesel Engines as Priority  
BorgWarner Launches New Operations in China  
American Axle Building New China Facility  
NSK-Warner Launches New Shanghai Parts Plant  
PARTS SUPPLY PACTS-BorgWarner to Provide High-Flow Air Pumps to Porsche  
Eaton to Supply Hybrid Power Systems to Beiqi Foton  
Hella to Source Sensors from OmniVision  
J.L. French Gets Ford, DaimlerChrysler Agreements  
VW, Audi to Source SIRIUS for 2007-2012 Vehicles  
Delphi Details New Steel-Hybrid Cross-Car Beams  
WASHINGTON- National Research Council Backs California Air Rules  
NOTES: INTERMET, PPG Names New Execs

U.S. Urging China to Get Flexible Exchange Rate  
FormTech Buys Metaldyne's NA Forging Operations  
GM Withdraws Appeal of Steel Dynamics Case  
Caterpillar to Acquire O.E.M. Remanufacturing  
ASV to Expand Marine Machine Production Plant in Minnesota  
LORD Agrees to Acquire Certain Assets of Henkel  
Continental Tire, Union Labor Talks Hit a Snag  
DaimlerChrysler Jeep Diesels Gain Momentum  
February 2006 On-Highway, Off-Highway Axle, Brake Assembly  
February 2006 North American Truck & Bus Production by Maker, by Plant