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## PATTERSON NISSAN HOHB STATEMENT

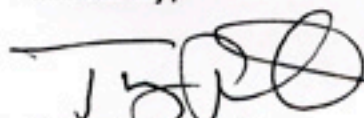
September 15, 2005

This has been a tragic event for Ricky Vega and his family, along with the other contestants and everyone at Patterson Nissan. Mr. Vega's family is in our thoughts and prayers.

Out of respect for Mr. Vega and his family, we did not feel that continuing the contest would be appropriate. We appreciate the contestants, the sponsors and the community at large for their support.

The future of the Hands on a Hardbody contest has not been determined at this time.

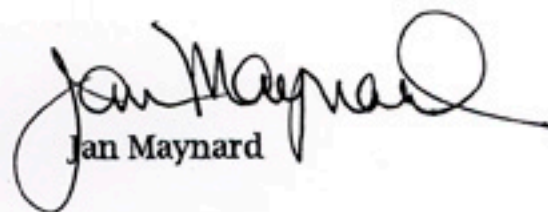
Sincerely,



Trey Patterson



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