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Mr. Ron Aguirre
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Re: Aftermarket Tire Additives

Dear Mr. Aguirre:

This is in response to your request for Yokohama Tire Corporation's official position regarding use of tire additives in Yokohama and Mohawk brand tires.

Enclosed please find a Yokohama Technical Service Bulletin stating our position. You will note Yokohama neither recommends, endorses, nor prohibits the use of these products, and that warranty coverage remains in effect, except if an additive or its use are the cause of a warranty claim. Additives intended to replace air as an inflation medium void all terms of our warranty.

I trust this provides you with the requested clarification of policy. If you need further assistance, please contact at the above number, extension 583.

Very truly yours,

YOKOHAMA TIRE CORPORATION

Terry L. Powell
Special Services Administrator

Enclosure