

To Whom It May Concern

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Notice of a legal claim filed in New Zealand against Hino

HINO MOTORS, LTD. (Hino) hereby announces that a legal claim (Claim) has been filed naming Hino as a defendant in the High Court of New Zealand on March 3, 2025 (local time). The Statement of Claim was served on Hino on March 28, 2025.

1. Cause and background of the Claim

The Plaintiffs have filed the Claim naming Hino as one of defendants in representative proceedings on behalf of customers who at any time during the period from and including March 4, 2010 until and including March 3, 2025 acquired, purchased, exchanged or leased certain Hino vehicles fitted with a diesel engine manufactured by Hino with a build date from and including January 1, 2003 to and including August 22, 2022. The Plaintiffs allege that they suffered loss resulting from misleading or deceptive conduct.

2. Plaintiffs

- (1) Sillsco Limited (Auckland, New Zealand)
- (2) EPG Davis Holding Company Limited (Hawkes Bay, New Zealand)
- (3) Ian Wildman Carriers Limited (Auckland, New Zealand)

3.Outline of the Claim

The Plaintiffs are claiming damages and other remedies against Hino. The Statement of Claim does not state the amount that the Plaintiffs seek to recover.

4.Future Outlook

Hino will take appropriate measures to defend itself after reviewing the Plaintiffs' claims. Hino cannot rule out that other similar types of proceedings may be filed against Hino in the future.

At the present time, it is difficult to reasonably calculate the impact of the Claim on our business performance. We will promptly announce any matters that should be disclosed as and when they arise in the future.