

# **Freightliner Action Bulletin**

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## **Foam Upper-Bunk Truck Mattresses**

Freightliner Trucks is pleased to announce a new upper-bunk foam mattress designed to increase the comfort level of the user. This new mattress is considered “state-of-the-art,” and has many advantages over conventional upper-bunk truck mattresses.

An innovative comfort control valve allows the firmness of the mattress to be adjusted to the needs of the user. Never before has there been a mattress available to the trucking industry that would cater to the comfort requirements of the individual. With this new design, the user simply lies on the mattress, opens the comfort control valve, allowing the user to sink into the foam, and when the desired firmness is achieved, simply closes the valve.

This new mattress contains polyurethane foam that is durable and doesn't crumble or sweat. The construction process virtually eliminates seam wear caused when the user climbs in and out of the bed area. There are no sewn seams to wear or break open.

The new nylon loop-knit laminated fabric also has many benefits. This new fabric will last 2 to 3 times longer than traditional gray striped fabric, it eliminates absorption of moisture and odors and is easily cleaned. This fabric will not crack, peel or stretch.



### **Selling Points**

- Provides maximum comfort for the user in the upper bunk
- Innovative comfort control valve allows the firmness of the mattress to be adjusted
- Fabric is easy to clean with mild soap, making it more sanitary for drivers
- This foam upper-bunk mattress is virtually moisture, stain, odor & tear resistant
- New construction technology eliminates sewn edges, reducing seam wear
- Bunk mattress color better matches the interior of the truck cab & sleeper
- No more need to “flip” the mattress to obtain a clean, non-worn side
- Meets mandatory MVSS-302 Federal safety standards & strict ISO-9001 quality guidelines
- Made in the USA

### **Availability**

Standard on Freightliner Trucks models with foam upper mattress specified in SleeperCabs

### **Data Codes**

Depends on vehicle model and SleeperCab size (effective 4/18/03)

### **Further Information**

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