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This relates to another form of duplication in the BMBHTITLE file.

Where there are duplicate VIN values (with different TITLE\_NO values), we have direction from SC DMV (this STR) to eliminate these duplicates from conversion. The request is to take the legacy record with the MOST CURRENT PROCESS DATE.

Now that we have already eliminated TITLE\_NO duplication from the BMBHTITLE file through previous agreements, it has become feasible to support this latest request. The resolution of this STR is not yet fully completed. The mechanism to detect the duplication is now in place but the final modification to the MBHTITLE conversion program and test of same is still required. It will be completed late Saturday, July 20 in order to be ready for the mini-conversion process beginning Sunday, July 21st.

#### **TWO IMPORTANT WARNINGS.**

1. We can not use the same strategy on the BVEHREG process. In other words, we can not remove internal duplication of VIN records from BVEHREG. There are known to be VIN duplicates in the BVEHREG file. They are but a handful. It is very important to appreciate that the conversion processing of the BVEHREG file *must* be in PLATE NUMBER SEQUENCE .... because we are using that sequence to eliminate some 570,000 records containing duplicate plate numbers.

2. The resolution of this STR DOES NOT yet address a subsequent issue .... which is that there are also subsequent duplicates of VINs between BMBHTITLE and BVEHREG. A recent memo (July 15, 2002) has identified some potential 2,773 "motor homes" which seem to accidentally be recorded in BVEHREG and in BMBHTITLE. Unless a very quick SC DMV decision is made to eliminate these records ... which may need individual investigation, these 2,773 duplicates will be converted twice.

Aside to Bronco. In order to support this STR, we now have another key pre-conversion process to set a required "bridging column julian date" in BMBHTITLE. It is a another key step in the conversion sequence.

Buddy