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SEARAILS needs your help and opinions.

We plan to release the first Z scale "B" Class SHAY for the 2019 Christmas season.

Please go to <http://www.searails.com/shaystatus.html> and you will read the concept for the new approach to personalizing a SPECIFIC AND UNIQUE SHAY purchase.

We have completed two (Z & N) basic SHAY prototypes and will power them with our remaining PowerMAX! chassis. We will build at least 50 of each scale and offer the N scale option in both 6.5mm (Narrow Gauge) and 9mm.

We will offer the purchase of either of the bodies, and a personalized selection of the exterior details. These selections will provide the buyer an opportunity similar to a new car purchase in which you select the basic model and select options offered by the manufacturer for your specific delivery.

We will deliver the models in flat Black with a decal sheet of both Lumber and Mining Company names for the Tender, and engine numbers to mount on the cab sides.

Please reply to Harbormaster@Searails.com with your name, email address, with the subject **SHAY**. Be as critical as you wish. (Please make positive comments, as we already know the negative aspects of this development.)

All those who respond will receive the first issue of the SHAY Parts catalog.

We will respond to all emails with a rough draft of the catalog on November 1, 2019. Currently there are 37 different parts including fore and aft pilots, lights and lamps, and exhaust stacks, domes, bells, whistles, pressure relief pipes, cabs, cab overheads, tender connectors, fuel bunkers, hatches, tenders, ladders, grips, and boiler faces. More are being developed.

Thanks,



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