BEFORE YOU BID PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING ITEMS THAT ARE EXTREMELY IMPORTANT AND NEED TO BE UNDERSTOOD CLEARLY BEFORE BIDDING AND PARTICIPATING IN THIS AUCTION!

(*also note that if you have less than 10 feedback or less than a 100% positive feedback rating we may request communication from you after you bid, if you do not communicate back and forth in a timely manner your bid will be retracted!)

- 1. THIS IS A REAL AUCTION, A REAL CRANE AND WE ARE REAL PEOPLE, IF YOU BID PLEASE BE REAL ABOUT BUYING THIS CRANE!
- 2. THE WINNER OF THE AUCTION WILL BE SENT A MESSAGE IMMEDIATELY AFTER WINNING! THE MESSAGE SIMPLY ASK THE HIGH BIDDER TO REPLY ACKNOWLEDGING HIS/HER BID, THIS MUST BE DONE WITHIN 2 HOURS, JUST A SIMPLE REPLY THAT SAYS THAT "YOU UNDERSTAND YOU HAVE WON THE BID", THIS IS REQUIRED TO PROCEED, NO EXCEPTIONS, IF FOR ANY REASON YOU CAN'T SEND A MESSAGE THROUGH EBAY THEN PLEASE CALL, COMMUNICATE WITHIN 2 HOURS REGARDLESS!
- 3. YOU HAVE 3 BUSINESS DAYS TO PAY FOR THE CRANE, THIS CAN BE DONE BY PAYPAL, CASH IN PERSON, BANK WIRE TRANSFER OR OVERNIGHT-FAX-EMAIL-DIRECT DEPOSIT OF A CHECK, NO EXCEPTIONS AT ALL~ IF THIS IS A PROBLEM PLEASE DISCUSS BEFORE BIDDING!

IN THE EVENT YOU WIN THE AUCTION AND DO NOT FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS #2 & #3 ABOVE WE WILL NOT WAIT PAST THE DEADLINE LISTED, WILL SIMPLY RE-LIST THE CRANE, OPEN A CASE AGAINST YOU ON EBAY, DO EVERYTHING WE CAN TO INFORM EBAY HOW YOU ARE USING THE SYSTEM INAPPROPRIATELY!

IF YOU ARE WILLING TO FOLLOW THE STEPS ABOVE AND ARE SERIOUS ABOUT BUYING A RUBBER TIRED CRANE THEN PLEASE BID AND WE WILL GET ALONG GREAT! WE ARE REALLY EASY TO COMMUNICATE WITH ON EBAY, EASY TO DEAL WITH AND ARE VERY NICE/PLEASANT PEOPLE TO DEAL WITH AS LONG AS YOU COMMUNICATE, SIMPLY TIRED OF PEOPLE ABUSING THE SYSTEM OF BIDDING AND NOT BUYING ON EBAY~ (LOOK AT OUR FEEDBACK!)

THANKS FOR YOUR TIME, PLEASE READ BELOW IN ITS ENTIRETY, VIEW THE PHOTOS/VIDEOS AND GOOD LUCK BIDDING!

• Please understand that we sell items using auction format which is normally a 7 or 10 day listing with no reserve, that normally produces what would be considered a wholesale price, we are not a retail outlet with retail prices and we do not make the item we are selling perfect in any way, some items are better than others, some are rough, some are nice, we list them and explain exactly as they are at the time of the listing, since we are not asking retail you will have to do something, may not be anything but a simple service or extra cleaning, WE HAVE NOT SPENT DAYS INSPECTING, REPAIRING AND SERVICING THIS ITEM AS A FULL RETAIL OUTLET MAY DO!

You are <u>bidding</u> to <u>buy</u> one (1) 1977 American 8450 Rubber Tired Conventional Truck Crane in Mississippi, please review the following information word for word and visit the photo/video links toward the bottom of the listing, they include over 500 photos and 4 videos of the crane, if you are using eBay Mobile on your phone you may not be able to view the link photos/video without going to a computer. This item is being sold strictly on eBay with no reserve and a \$1.00 starting bid, not for sale locally and will sell to the highest bidder regardless of price!

Specifications:

(UNIT IS SITTING AT A PORT ON THE TENNESSEE RIVER AND CAN BE LOADED ON BARGE/WATER TRANSPORT IF NEEDED!)

1977 American 8450 Conventional Truck Crane, Model #8450, 6x6 Truck Carrier Mounted, Detroit 8V Diesel Lower Engine SN: 8VA346755, 4-Speed Manual Shift Transmission, Air Brakes, 2,117 Actual Miles, Enclosed Driver/Operators Cab, Lights, Windshield Wiper, (4) Hydraulic Telescoping Outriggers w/Dual Controls & Cylinder Lock, American 150 Ton Lift Capacity Crane, Detroit 8V Diesel Upper Engine, Enclosed Operators Cab, 60 Foot Tubular Steel Boom, Lister/Onan 4KW Diesel Light/Power Generator, Machine SN: GS19954.

Located in Mississippi, this unit belonged to a port authority and was used for many years by the port to load/unload cargo. A few years ago the port purchased a new crane and kept this one as backup, they then purchased an additional crane and quit using this one, it sat idle for a year or so not being used and then was sold to us, we purchased it directly from the port, not from a broker, dealer or auction. The crane cranks right up and both engines run great, it has been sitting for a few years and has quite a few things that are a result of it sitting, it has a few outrigger cylinder/hose leaks, we have repaired a few and the remainder are not bad, it will need a good servicing, lubing and a serious cleaning, the tires are holding air but a couple of them are showing serious dry rot cracks, the machine has some rust but is surface rust (look at photos – nothing major), nothing eating through any substantial metal anywhere, we have not cranked the generator but were told it was operating fine when last used, the truck carrier clutch has to be engaged/disengaged at the engine, clutch works but pedal inside cab does not, the crane engine hour meter is digital and is not lighting up, we went ahead and took photographs/video of the machine running and put together, in the meantime before it is sold and picked up we will go ahead and

remove the counterweight and boom section for transport, you will be responsible for arranging either transport/hauling by road or water but we will load crane, boom and counterweight for you. We are selling the crane to crank, run, operate and for us to load out at its current location. This crane is a good unit for someone to use as a yard crane, someone in the crane resale business to rebuild, refurbish or to purchase for parts, if you are needing a 100% refurbished, repaired, approved, inspected and ready to hit a job right now and do nothing this is not for you! Someone in the business of buying/selling, repairing/refurbishing, exporting or selling parts will know exactly how to handle it~

The photos and video were taken just a few days before the listing on February 4, 2016, and show the crane in its current condition, only difference will be the counterweight and boom will be removed in between now and the time it sells! Please take the time to look at complete description, view all the photos and the videos of the crane so you will know what you are getting.

NO RESERVE OVER STARTING BID PRICE! UNIT IS NOT FOR SALE LOCALLY, ONLY OFFERED ON EBAY WITH NO RESERVE, NO BUY IT NOW, NO PRICE AVAILABLE TO BUY IT NOW, STRICTLY ON EBAY WITH NO RESERVE, IF YOU WANT THE CRANE PLEASE BID. DO NOT CALL ASKING A PRICE OR TRYING TO BUY THIS AWAY FROM THE AUCTION, WE REPEAT YOU MUST BID TO BUY, NO EXCEPTIONS~

IF YOU PURCHASE THIS ITEM YOU MAY INSPECT IN PERSON BEFORE TAKING, IF YOU FIND ANYTHING THAT DOES NOT MATCH THE DESCRIPTION AND THE LISTING THEN YOU DON'T HAVE TO TAKE IT AND NO HARM WILL BE DONE! PLEASE DO NOT USE THIS STATEMENT AND AGREEMENT TO DECIDE YOU JUST DON'T REALLY WANT OR NEED A CRANE OR SOME SILLY REASON THAT IT WILL NOT WORK FOR YOU, IF YOU SEE SOMETHING THAT DOESN'T MATCH UP OR SEE A PROBLEM OR ISSUE NOT MENTIONED OR LISTED WE WILL DISCUSS WITH YOU AND YOU DON'T HAVE TO TAKE OTHERWISE YOU ARE EXPECTED TO BUY THE CRANE AND THE PRICE YOU ARE HIGH BIDDER FOR ON EBAY WILL NOT CHANGE REGARDLESS, OUR OFFER TO LET YOU INSPECT BEFORE PAYING AND TAKE OR NOT TAKE IS SIMPLY TO MAKE SURE YOU ARE HAPPY AND WE HAVE NOT MISREPRESENTED ANYTHING, THE OFFER IS NOT MENTIONED FOR YOU TO COME AND ATTEMPT TO NEGOTIATE THE PRICE OR FOR YOUR WIFE, BROTHER, COUSIN OR FRIEND TO DECIDE YOU JUST REALLY DON'T NEED A CRANE AFTER YOU WIN THE AUCTION!

IF YOU ARE THE WINNING BIDDER A MESSAGE WILL BE SENT TO YOU IMMEDIATELY REQUESTING YOU SEND A REPLY ACKNOWLEDGING THE FACT THAT YOU WON THE AUCTION, IF YOU DO NOT REPLY TO THIS MESSAGE WITHIN A 2 HOUR PERIOD YOU WILL CONSIDERED A NON-RESPONSIVE BIDDER. PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU DON'T SKIP THIS STEP, IF YOU CAN'T REPLY ON A COMPUTER OR THROUGH EBAY THEN CALL,

DOESN'T MATTER JUST COMMUNICATE ONE WAY OR THE OTHER IN REPLY TO THE MESSAGE!

FULL PAYMENT DUE WITHIN 3 BUSINESS DAYS AND BEFORE REMOVAL BY PAYPAL, CASH IN PERSON, CASHIER'S CHECK OR BANK WIRE TRANSFER! IF YOU CANNOT MAKE THIS HAPPEN IN 3 BUSINESS DAYS PLEASE GO AHEAD AND DISCUSS WITH US THROUGH EBAY MESSAGE BEFORE YOU BID. IF YOU WIN THE AUCTION THE CRANE MUST BE PAID WITHIN 3 BUSINESS DAYS FROM WINNING BID BUT IT CAN BE STORED AT CURRENT FACILITY FOR UP TO 30 DAYS IF NEEDED AT NO CHARGE OR FEE.

PLEASE UNDERSTAND BEFORE YOU BID THAT YOU MUST PAY WITHIN 3 BUSINESS DAYS OF WHEN YOU ARE AWARDED THE BID, WHETHER YOU COME INSPECT OR NOT, WHETHER YOU HAVE ANY IDEA HOW YOU ARE GOING TO PICKUP OR TRANSPORT AND WHETHER YOUR WIFE HAS ANY IDEA THAT YOU BOUGHT A CRANE OR NOT, YOU MUST PAY WITHIN 3 DAYS REGARDLESS, NO EXCEPTIONS AT ALL. We have found that a buyer on eBay that is not able to pay within the specified time period is most likely going to never pay, after the 3 day period we relist the item and report the buyer to eBay, again no exceptions!

SHIPPING OR TRANSPORTATION IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE BUYER, UNIT IS BEING SOLD AS "LOCAL PICKUP" AND IS LOCATED AT THE ZIP CODE BELOW WHICH IS IN NORTH MISSISSIPPI OFF THE TENNESSEE RIVER AT THE PORT. WE WILL LOAD THE UNIT, JUST LINE UP A WAY TO TRANSPORT AND GIVE US ADVANCE NOTICE, WE WILL LOAD AT NO CHARGE, WE DO PREFER ALL PLANS TO BE MADE AND DISCUSSED AT LEAST 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE~

ALL ITEMS WE LIST ARE SOLD "AS IS WHERE IS"!

601.606.8231 – if you call about this crane leave a detailed message with reason of your call, exact question(s), your name and call back number, I do not answer the phone every time it rings but will call back within 24 hours, if you don't leave a message you will not be called back because this number does not have caller identification!

AMERICAN 8450 CONVENTIONAL TRUCK CRANE LOCATION: Iuka, MS 38852

~ This is a true, no reserve, absolute auction without a minimum or any type price, for several years now we have done this with all our listings, sometimes they bring more than we expect and sometimes less, look at our feedback and view some of the items we have sold, just remember when the bidding ends it's over, high bidder is the high bidder and we move on~

- ~ We do not sell items before an auction ends and also do not offer items for sale locally or away from eBay, the only way to buy an item from us is auction style on eBay with no reserve!
- ~ We also do not offer or send 2nd chance offers, if you receive one from us then please ignore or report to eBay because it is a scam, we sell on eBay auction style with no reserve to the highest bidder, in the event the high bidder does not pay or does not take the item then we simply re-list and sell again to the highest bidder