**MI 040** (1984) **Bedford HORSE-BOX**

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| © year on base: 1977  scale: 1:92 (not cast on base)  length: 72mm  width: 27mm  height: 36mm  MATCHBOX lettering on base: bold italic  additional lettering on base: Superfast (script)  company on base: MATCHBOX INT'L LTD  number on base: 40  cast license plate: RSH 16S (front only) | metal grille & base  no interior  plastic wheels  plastic box  plastic side door with open handle opens  two or no plastic horses  tow guide |  |

| **#** | **cab** | **box** | **door** | **grille / base** | **windows** | **wheels** | **hubs** | **deco** | **horses** | **sub-var** | **note** | **cate** | **area** | **Mack #** | **Mack date** | **date** |
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| 0010 | orange | chocolate | white | gloss black M | green | dot dash 9.5x4mm | silver | none | small white | a | #40 |  | ROW | 34 | 1985-08 | 1984 |
| 0020 | blue | yellow | lime green | red **M** | green | lime dot dash 9.5x4mm | red | caricatures tampo | **none** | a |  | LL |  | 41 | 1990-12 | 1990 |
| 0030 | blue | yellow | lime green | red **C** (**UAC** logo) | green | lime dot dash 9.5x4mm | red | caricatures tampo | **none** |  |  | LL | CN |  |  | 1990 |
| 0040 | blue | yellow | lime green | red T | green | lime dot dash 9.5x4mm | **blue** | caricatures tampo | **none** | a |  | LL |  | 42 | 1990-12 | 1990 |
| 0050 | blue | yellow | lime green | red T | green | lime dot dash 9.5x4mm | **lime** | caricatures tampo | **none** | a |  | LL |  | 43 | 1992-01 | 1991 |
| 0060 | white | white | white | red T | blue | dot dash 9.5x4mm | silver | CIRCUS CIRCUS tampo | small white | a | MC-803 | MC | ROW | 46 | 1992-08 | 1992 |
| 0065 | white | white | white | red T | blue | dot dash 9.5x4mm | silver | CIRCUS CIRCUS tampo | small **black** | a | MC-803 | MC | ROW |  |  | 1993 |
| 0070 | yellow-orange | chocolate | white | gloss black T | amber | dot dash 9.5x4mm | silver | none | small **black** | a | FM-120 | FM | ROW | 48 | 1993-09 | 1993 |
| 0080 | met. turquoise | lt. gray | black | gloss black C | smoke | dot dash 9.5x4mm | silver | EXPRESS tampo | **large** white | a | #2 |  | ROW | 49 | 1999-03 | 1999 |
| 0090 | met. turquoise | lt. gray | black | gloss black C **#** | smoke | dot dash 9.5x4mm | silver | EXPRESS tampo | **large** white | aa | #2 |  | ROW | 50 | 1999-04 | 1999 |
| 0100 | met. turquoise | lt. gray | black | gloss black C **#** | smoke | dot dash 9.5x4mm | silver | KENTUCKY STABLES tampo | **large** white | aa | #87 |  | USA | 51 | 2000-01 | 1999 |
| 0110 | charcoal | mustard | lt. brown | pearly silver C **#** | smoke | dot dash 9.5x4mm | silver | EXPRESS tampo, **MB2000** at front of roof | **large** black | ab | #49 |  | USA | 52 | 2000-05 | 2000 |
| 0120 | charcoal | mustard | lt. brown | pearly silver C **#** | smoke | dot dash 9.5x4mm | silver | EXPRESS tampo | **large** black | aa, ab | #49 / 29 |  |  | 53 | 2000-05 | 2000 |

**CODE 2 ISSUES:**

| **#** | **cab** | **box** | **door** | **grille / base** | **windows** | **wheels** | **hubs** | **deco** | **horses** | **donor #** | **sub-var** | **note** | **cate** | **area** | **Mack #** | **Mack date** | **date** |
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| 2010 | charcoal | mustard | lt. brown | pearly silver C **#** | smoke | dot dash 9.5x4mm | silver | EXPRESS / TWIN PINES tampo | **large** black | 0120 | aa | Kiddie Kar | CCI | USA | 54 | 2005-06 | 2004 |

**USA codes:**

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| **MB 40-B** |  |  |  |

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| **ROW numbers:** | **40** (1984) | **2** (1999) | **29** (2000) |
| **USA numbers:** | **87** (1999) | **49** (2000) |  |
| **Other numbers:** | **J 18** (1984-1985) |  |  |

**NOTES:**

**Box with or without short groove between wheel arches and ramp frame.**

**Large horses are from MI 743.**

**SUB-VARIATIONS:**

| **code** | **box casting** | **batch number location** |
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| a | two equally long lines below side door | no batch number |
| b | shorter top line below side door | no batch number |
| aa | two equally long lines below side door | right of model name (EA) |
| ab | two equally long lines below side door | on rear axle cover (EA) |
| ba | shorter top line below side door | right of model name (EA) |
| bb | shorter top line below side door | on rear axle cover (EA) |

**Previous ref.: ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ LS 40-B Bedford HORSE-BOX**

**Later ref.: ⇒ ⇒ ⇒ BR 040 Bedford HORSE-BOX**