W4495 WHITE LINE FEVER (USA, 1975)
(Other titles: La route de la violence; Strasse der Gewalt; Violenza sull’autostrade)

Credits: director, Jonathan Kaplan; writers, Jonathan Kaplan, Ken Friedman.
Cast: Jan-Michael Vincent, Kay Lenz, Slim Pickens, L. Q. Jones, Don Porter.
Summary: Action/adventure film set in contemporary Arizona. Carrol Jo Hummer (Vincent) is a Vietnam vet who wants to make an honest living as a trucker. He goes to Tucson with his bride to work for his old friend, Duane, who manages a trucking company. When he realizes he will be carrying illegal cargo, he refuses the haul, and as a result, is beaten by an organized group of criminals headed by a man named Cutler (Porter). Because of Hummer’s continued defiance, Cutler’s gang murders Duane, sets fire to Hummer’s house and beats his wife, killing their expected baby. The enraged Hummer then takes his revenge on Cutler.

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“‘White line fever’ over $10 million, 2 months” *Boxoffice* 107 (Sep 15, 1975), p. 24.

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