



U.S. Department
of Transportation

National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration

DOT Auto Safety Hotline
Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire
To Report Vehicle Safety Defects
1-888-DASH-2-DOT
(1-888-327-4236)
INTERNET www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline

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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name
Address
City State CO Zip Code

Daytime Telephone Number

E-mail Address

Evening Telephone Number

Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of this report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? ☒ YES ☐ NO
In the absence of an authorized signature, provide your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.
Signature of Owner Date

VEHICLE INFORMATION

17 dot Vehicle Identification Number Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side
G4WA52KHY
Make **BUICK** Model **REGAL** Model Year **2000**
Date Purchased **9-25-2000** Dealer's Name and Telephone Number
Engine: No. Cylinders Fuel Type: **Gas**
Original Owner ☐ Dealer's City **Cortez** State **CO** Zip Code **81321**
Transmission Type ☒ Antilock Brakes Powertrain
☒ Cruise Control Vehicle Component Code **141000 AIR BAGS:FRONTAL**
Multiple Failure: **1**

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s) **10-17-00** Failure Mileage Failure Speed

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Make Tire Model (Name or Number) Tire Size (Example P215/65R15)
DOT No. (Example: 60THAL9ABC036) ☐ Original Equipment ☐ Prior Repair Failure Location:
Tire Component Code Tire Failure Type

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A CHILD SEAT FAILURE

Make: Date Manufactured: Model No./Name:
Seat Type: Installation System:
Child Seat Component Code: Failed Part:

APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION

(Please describe in detail the incident(s), failure(s), crash(es), and injury(es).)

Crash ☒ Yes ☐ No Fire ☐ Yes ☒ No Number of Persons Injured **0 N.C.** Number of Deaths Reported to Police **YES**

Narrative Description of Incident(s), Crash(es), and Injury(es).
Please describe (1) events leading up to the failure, (2) failure and its consequences, and (3) what was done to correct the failure;
i.e. parts repaired or replaced (and if old part is available).

THE VEHICLE WAS INVOLVED IN A FRONTAL COLLISION, AND THE AIR BAGS FAILED TO DEPLOY. *JB

Include, if available: Police/Fire Department Report, Photos, and Repair Invoice. ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY.

The Privacy Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-579) This information is requested pursuant to authority vested in the National Highway Traffic Safety Act and subsequent amendments. You are under no obligation to respond to this questionnaire. Your response may be used to assist the NHTSA in determining whether a Manufacturer should take appropriate action to correct a safety defect. If the NHTSA proceeds with administrative enforcement or litigation against a manufacturer, your response, or a statistical summary thereof, may be used in support of the agency's action.

DESCRIBE ACCIDENT

Vehicle #1 was westbound on CR L. Vehicle #2 was westbound on CR L. Vehicle #1 drove on top of a pile of road tar in the westbound lane and stopped when it became high centered. Vehicle #2 drove on top of the same pile of road tar and collided its front with vehicle #1's rear when it became high centered and could not stop. Both vehicles came to rest at the point of impact. No airbags deployed as a result of the collision.

ACCIDENT DRAWING

