



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](http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline)

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**OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)**

Name

Address

City BALLSTON SPA

State NY

Zip Code

Daytime Telephone Number

E-mail Address

Evening Telephone Number

Do you authorize NHTSA  
in the absence of an  
Signature of Owner

the manufacturer of your vehicle?  
to your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.

☐ YES ☒ NO

Date 6/1/2003

**VEHICLE INFORMATION**

Make  
HARLEY DAVIDSON

Model  
FXDL

Model Year  
2003

Date Purchased

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number

Engine:  
No. Cylinders

Fuel Type:

Original Owner  
☒

Dealer's City

State

Zip Code

Transmission Type

☐ Antilock Brakes

Powertrain

☐ Cruise Control

Vehicle Component Code  
350000 EQUIPMENT

Multiple Failure: 1

**FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION**

Incident Date(s)

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: DOTM4LSABC036)

☐ 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(ies).)

Crash

☐ Yes ☒ No

Fire

☐ Yes ☒ No

Number of Persons Injured

Number of Deaths

Reported to Police

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Narrative Description of Incident(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies).

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).

THERE WAS A PROBLEM WITH THE KICK STAND, AND THE MOTORCYCLE COLLAPSED. \*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 responses 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 responses, or a statistical summary thereof, may be used in support of the agency's action.

Narrative Description of Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies)

I PARKED THE BIKE ON FLAT LEVEL GROUND AND PUT DOWN THE KICKSTAND. I TURNED THE WHEEL TO THE LEFT AND STARTED OFF THE BIKE TO THE LEFT. I NOTED THE BIKE'S SEAT PASSING MY LEFT KNEE AS IT WENT DOWN. I WAS ABLE TO HOLD THE BIKE AND IT HIT THE PARKING LOT SOFTLY. AS I PUT IT UP I INJURED MY RIGHT LEG. I THINK THE BIKE HAS A POOR KICKSTAND DESIGN AND THIS NEEDS TO BE CORRECTED. WENDY

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