



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

BETHESDA

State MD

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?
In the absence of a signature, your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.
Signature of Owner ☒ YES ☐ NO Date 7/3/03

VEHICLE INFORMATION

Make

HONDA

Model

S2000

Model Year

2000

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

020000 SUSPENSION

Multiple Failure: 1

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s)

Failure Mileage

11000

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: DOTM19ABC036)

☐ Original Equipment

☐ Prior Repair

Failure Location:

WATER POOLING ON HIGHWAY

Tire Component Code

Tire Failure Type HYDROPLANE

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

Fire

Number of Persons Injured

Number of Deaths

Reported to Police

☐ Yes ☒ No

☐ Yes ☒ No

☐ Yes ☒ No

☐ Yes ☒ No

☐ Yes ☒ No

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).

WHEN DRIVING AT HIGH SPEEDS IN THE RAIN IT FEELS LIKE YOUR DRIVING ON ICE. IF THERE IS ANY DIP IN THE ROAD VEHICLE HYDROPLANES. CONSUMER CAN NOT STEER. THIS IS VERY DANGEROUS. CONSUMER HAS TO DRIVE VERY SLOWLY DEALER HAS BEEN CONTACTED, DEALER BLAMES TIRES. TIRE MANUFACTURER BLAMES CAR MANUFACTURER. POZENAS-02 ONLY 11000 MILES ON THE TIRES.

*AK High SPEED MEANING 60MPH. ANY POOLING OF WATER IS A DEATH TRAP AT THAT SPEED. CAR ALSO SHOWS NO SIGNS OF MISALIGNMENT OR TIRE WEAR. OFFERED TO LET CAR MANT. AND TIRE MANT. DRIVE IT IN THE RAIN - NO INTEREST SHOWN BY THEM. IT WILL BE A KILLER

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 a 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.

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WIFE WAS IN TEARS AT LOSS CONTROL
SO BADLY LOCATION RICE IS BETWEEN
FREDERICKSBURG AND WASHINGTON
LOSS OF CONTROL IS SUDDEN AND TOO OFTEN
UNDERSTOOD. ABOUT 20 OCCURRENCES ALL
AT SPEED LIMIT - NO CAR TO DRIVE IN THE RAIN
IT IS REALLY DANGEROUS - APPROX KILL
SOME OWNER

PLEASE INVESTIGATE - TRAVE ME
WRONG - NO ONE SO FAR SEEMS
TO CARE - TOLD NO OTHER
THINGS WORK ON THE S-2000

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