



U.S. Department
of Transportation
National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration

DOT Auto Safety Hotline
Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire
To Report Vehicle Safety Defects
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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name

Address

City MIDDLETOWN

State PA

Zip Code

Daytime Telephone Number

E-mail Address

Evening Telephone Number

N/A

Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of this report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? ☒ YES ☐ NO
In the absence of an owner's signature, please print the name or address of the vehicle manufacturer.
Signature of Owner Date 6/12/03

VEHICLE INFORMATION

Make
FORD

Model HIGH TOP
FORD TRUCK
VAN E-150

Model Year
1999

Date Purchased
2000

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number
PRIVATE PARTY

Engine:
No. Cylinders
8

Fuel Type:
unleaded

Original Owner
☐ N/A

Dealer's City
N/A

State
PA

Zip Code
17057

Transmission Type

☒ Antilock Brakes

Powertrain

☒ Cruise Control

Vehicle Component Code

191000 TIRES/TREAD/BELT

Multiple Failure: 1

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s)
18-JUN-2003

Failure Mileage
61000

Failure Speed
60-65 MPH

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Make
Goodrich

Tire Model (Name or Number)
unlabeled

Tire Size (Example P215/65R15)
235-15 R20

DOT No. (Example: D0THAL9ABC036)

☐ Original Equipment
☐ Prior Repair

Failure Location

PA TURNPIKE AFTER EXIT 19

Tire Component Code

Tire Failure Type Run flat P. Lled

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 injuries.)

Crash

Fire

Number of Persons Injured

Number of Deaths

Reported to Police

☐ Yes ☒ No

☐ Yes ☒ No

N/A

N/A

N/A

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).

WHILE DRIVING TIRE TREAD CAME APART AND DAMAGED FRONT FENDER. DEALER NOTIFIED. *AK

I WAS VERY LUCKY THAT I WAS ABLE TO CONTROL THE VAN AND THE DAMAGE WAS MINOR. I COULD HAVE BEEN SERIOUS. I DID NOT FEEL CONFORTABLE WITH THE OTHER TIRES ON THE VAN AND I REPLACED ALL FOUR (4) OF THEM WITH NEW TIRES. A COPY OF BILL IS ENCLOSED.

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 Administration 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 a substantive 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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