



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

WAIANAE

State HI

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 authorization, NHTSA WILL NOT provide your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.
Signature of Owner _____ Date 7/15/03

VEHICLE INFORMATION

Make PLYMOUTH		Model NEON		Model Year 2001	
Date Purchased	Dealer's Name and Telephone Number Budget Car Sales (808) 836-1707			Engine: No. Cylinders	Fuel Type:
Original Owner ☐	Dealer's City Honolulu		State HI	Zip Code 96819	
Transmission Type Automatic	☐ Anti-lock Brakes ☐ Cruise Control	Powertrain		Vehicle Component Code Air Bag	
Multiple Failure: 1					

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s) 06/05/03	Failure Mileage 60,000	Failure Speed 35MPH	
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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: D0THM9A9C036)	☐ 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), and injury(ies).)

Crash ☐ Yes ☒ No	Fire ☐ Yes ☒ No	Number of Persons Injured	Number of Deaths	Reported to Police N
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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).

~~VEHICLE INFORMATION REPORTED BY THE VEHICLE OWNER OR OTHER PERSONS WHO WERE PRESENT AT THE TIME OF THE FAILURE OR INJURY~~

While driving at around 35mph my daughter [redacted] reports that the vehicle in front of her made a quick stop and due to the road being wet (Rain) her [redacted] vehicle rear ended the other vehicle totaling the Plymouth Neon. On impact the Neons Air Bag failed to deploy causing [redacted] to hit her head on the steering wheel and she also banged both her knees.

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.

