



U.S. Department
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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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Date Received

Repository ☐

Reference No.

10042335

Daytime Telephone Number

E-mail Address

OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name

Address

City

WINTERS

State CA

Zip Code

Do you authorize NHTSA

In the absence of an authorized signature

Signature of Owner

of this report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? ☐ YES ☒ NO

WILL NOT provide your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.

Date 12/31/02

VEHICLE INFORMATION

17 digit Vehicle Identification Number Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side

SMT600FM31

Make

TRIUMPH

Model

SPEED TRIPLE

Model Year

2001

Date Purchased

6/5/01

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number

Performance Cycle 344-7911

Engine: ~~2000~~

No. Cylinders

3 cyl.

Fuel Type:

GAS

Original Owner

☒

Dealer's City

SACRAMENTO

State

CA

Zip Code

95841

Transmission Type

Manual

☐ Antilock Brakes

Powertrain

☐ Cruise Control

Vehicle Component Code

101100 POWER TRAIN-CLUTCH ASSEMBLY-PEDAL/LINKAGE

Multiple Failures: 2

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s)

05-OCT-2003

Failure Mileage

6470

Failure Speed

to 5 mph

15-DEC-02

at 5000

at stop

clutch cable failed 2 times

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: DOTM19A9C036)

☐ 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).

IN DECEMBER 2002 DEALER REPAIRED THE MOTORCYCLE UNDER RECALL# 01V339000 CONCERNING CLUTCH CABLE. ON 10/5/2003, 1500 MILES LATER, CLUTCH CABLE BROKE WHILE DRIVING. *AK

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.

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

I took the motorcycle to the local dealer for repair & inspection for damage ON 10/25/03 ON 12/30/03 the owner of performance cycle Mr Howard Beck called me back and stated that Triumph America has declined to correctly repair all of the problems with this unit (or) replace the unit with a new one, in their opinion this is not a serious issue and will take no further action! I believe that this is an life & death issue and should require a complete buy back of all motorcycles affected by this problem before someone is injured or killed, note that I have had this motorcycle in for repairs 15 times Thank You: [redacted] 12/31/03 ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY

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