



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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Date Received

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Reference No.

10048163

OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name

Street

Apt. No.

City

State

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 10/14/03

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Vehicle Identification No. (VIN)
(17 Digits)

(Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side)

Make

Model

Year

1FTSX31F7YEC27508

Ford

F350

2000

Purchased Date

Dealer's Name

Engine Size

(Cil/CCil)

Turbo

Diesel

Gas

Fuel Injection

3/4/00

Thornton Ford

7.3

8

New ☒ Used ☐

Dealer's City

State

Zip Code

No. Cylinders

8

Manufacture Date
(on driver's door or pillar)

Transmission Type

Restraint System

Cruise Control

Drivetrain

Vehicle Type

Body Style

01/00

☐ Manual☒ Automatic☒ Driverside Air Bag☐ Passengerside Air Bag☒ 3-Point Belt☐ Motorbelt☐ 2-Point Belt☒ Yes☐ No☐ Front☐ Rear☒ 4-wheel☐ Car☐ Van☐ Minivan☐ Other☐ Sport Utility☐ Truck☐ Motorcycle☐ 2-Door☐ Stationwagon☐ Pick Up Truck☐ Other

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Part Name(s)

Location

☒ Left☐ Front☐ Right☒ Rear

Failed Part(s)

☒ Original☐ Replacement

Handicap Adaptive Equip

☐ Yes☒ No

TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Brand

Tire Name

Complete Tire Size

Firestone

Steel/Tex

265/75 R16

No. of Failures

Date(s) of Failure(s)

Mileage at Failure(s)

Vehicle Speed at Failure(s)

Failed Part(s)

Available?

☒ Yes ☐ No

NHTSA Previously

Contacted?

☒ Yes ☐ No

APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION

(Please describe in detail the incident(s), failure(s), crash(es), and injury(ies). Attach photos if available.)

Crash

Fire

Number of Persons Injured

Number of Fatalities

Reported to Manufacturer

☐ Yes ☒ No☐ Yes ☒ No

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☐ Yes ☒ No

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

Driving on interstate towing 16 ft cargo trailer. Had driven continuously for 7 hours at 70 mph in rural area. Started feeling & hearing vibration that was increasing. Tapped brake & started to slow. Heard very loud noises & saw rubber flying to left behind vehicle. Stopped. Tire was still fully inflated, but with no tread. Drove to next exit & changed tire. No crash or injuries.

Continue on back.

The Privacy Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-579) This information is requested pursuant to 49 U.S.C. Chapter 301. You are under no obligation to respond to this questionnaire. Your response may be used to assist NHTSA in determining whether a manufacturer should take appropriate action to correct a safety defect. If NHTSA proceeds with administration 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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