



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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Reference No.
10053589

OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name

Address

City PLAINFIELD

State CT

Zip Code

Daytime Telephone Number

E-mail Address

NONE

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 01/17/04

VEHICLE INFORMATION

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

VIN: 1B7FL36X22

Make

DODGE

Model

DAKOTA

Model Year

2003

Date Purchased

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number

Dish 860-564-4091

Engine:

No. Cylinders

6

Fuel Type:

87

Original Owner

Dealer's City

Dish Messup, CT.

State

CT

Zip Code

06874

Transmission Type

AUTO

☒ Antilock Brakes

☒ Cruise Control

Powertrain

Vehicle Component Code

103000 POWER TRAIN-AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION

Multiple Failure: 2

6+

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s)
26-DEC-2003

Failure Mileage
50000

Failure Speed
50 M.P.H.

NOT SURE WHAT THE PROBLEM IS
TRANSMISSION? OR WHAT

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: DOTM13ABC036)

☐ 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

0

Number of Deaths

0

Reported to Police

N

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 30 MPH VEHICLE VIBRATED. DEALERSHIP MECHANIC INFORMED THE CONSUMER THAT THE PROBLEM WAS DUE TO TRANSMISSION FAILURE. DEALERSHIP DID NOT RESOLVE THE PROBLEM. *AK 50 M.P.H.

dealer ship does NOT KNOW what causing the problem yet
ANOTHER APPT. made FOR 01/19/03 FACTORY REP WILL be
called in IF Problem is NOT Resolved. All repairs will
be done BY PARNAM CHRYSLER Dodge Jeep RT.40 PARNAM, CT.
PHONE # [REDACTED] No more Dish.

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.

P.S. LAST NAME NOT SPOILED RIGHT
Problem STARTS AT 50 M.P.H. NOT 16 M.P.H