



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

BAY CITY

State

MI

Zip Code

Daytime Telephone Number

Evening Telephone Number

E-mail Address

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 4/12/03

VEHICLE INFORMATION

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

1FTNX21P93

Make

FORD

Model

F250 SUPER DUTY

Model Year

2003

Date Purchased
02-MAY-03

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number

North Country Ford Sales (989) 386-0300

Engine

No. Cylinders 8

Fuel Type:--

Diesel

Original Owner

☒

Dealer's City

Clare

State

MI

Zip Code

48617

Transmission Type

Automatic

☒ Antilock Brakes

☒ Cruise Control

Powertrain

7.8 Diesel

Vehicle Component Code

190000 TIRES

Multiple Failure: 30

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s)
03-MAY-2003

Failure Mileage
200

Failure Speed

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Make
FIRESTONE

Tire Model (Name or Number)
STEELTEX A/T

Tire Size (Example P215/65R15)
LT265/75R16

DOT No. (Example: DOTM18ABC036)

☒ Original Equipment
☐ Prior Repair

Failure Location:

Tire Component Code
190000 TIRES

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 (e.g., parts repaired or replaced (and if old part is available)).

ALL 4 TIRES HAD VERY POOR TRACKING, WHICH RESULTED IN THE TRUCK SKIDDING IN ANY DIRECTION ON WET ROADS. A TIRE SHOP INDICATED THE PROBLEM OCCURRED BECAUSE THE OUTSIDE RIBS OF THE TIRES HAD NO GROOVES IN THEM, SO THE RAIN, ETC., CAN DRAIN. THE LIQUID WAS TRAPPED, WHICH CAUSED THE VEHICLE TO HYDRO-PLANE. THE DEALERSHIP IS AWARE OF THE ISSUE BUT IS NOT PROVIDING ANY ASSISTANCE. THESE ARE LOAD RANGE E TIRES. *JB

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 statement in summary thereof, may be used in support of the agency's action.