

U.S. Department
of TransportationNational 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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Priority No.

10075951

Daytime Telephone Number

OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name

Street No.

Apt. No.

City

State

Zip Code

JOHN DAY

OR

 Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of this report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? YES NO
 In the absence of a signature, the manufacturer provides your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.

Signature of Owner

Date 05/11/04

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Vehicle Identification No. (VIN.)
(17 Digits)(Located at bottom of
windshield on driver's side)

Make

Model

Year

1 8 C C S 1 9 4 X X 8

Chevy

S-10

1999

Purchased Date

Dealer's Name

Engine Size
(CID/CCL)

2.2

 Turbo Diesel Gas Fuel Injection New Used

Dealer's City

State

Zip Code

No. Cylinders

4

Manufacture Date
(on driver's door or pillar)

Transmission Type

Restraint System

Cruise Control

Drivetrain

Vehicle Type

Body Style

04-99

 Manual Automatic Driver's Side Air Bag Motorized Passenger Side Air Bag 2-Point Belt 3-Point Belt Yes No Front Rear 4-Wheel Car Van Minivan Other Sport Utility Truck Motorcycle Other 2-Door 4-Door Gladionwagon Pick Up Truck Other

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Part Name(s) *Seat Reclining
mechanism*

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

DOT No.

No. of Failures

Date(s) of Failure(s)

Mileage at Failure(s)

Vehicle Speed at Failure(s):

Failed Part(s)
Available? Yes NoNHTSA 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

 Yes No

Fire

 Yes No

Number of Persons Injured

Number of Fatalities

Reported to Manufacturer

 Yes No

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

The handle/mechanism that reclines the seats works very poorly. I have to let go of the steering wheel with both hands, put one on the lever and the other on the seat back to jiggle it while pulling on the lever to get it to ~~lock~~ release. Otherwise the handle shaft breaks from pulling on it too hard.

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 administrative enforcement or litigation against a manufacturer, your response, or a statistical summary thereof, may be used in support of the agency's action.