

**Jimenez, Alberto**

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**From:** Jimenez, Alberto  
**Sent:** Friday, January 28, 2005 3:46 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** saab 900 replacement gas tanks

Dear [REDACTED]

Please provide more details with regard to the problem you experienced with the gas tanks on your SAAB 900, e.g., model year, what was the problem (crack, rusted, etc), location of the problem on the gas tank, etc. This information can be provided to NHTSA by completing and submitting the Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire that is available on NHTSA web site at [www.nhtsa.dot.gov/ivoq](http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov/ivoq). The information you provide will be entered into our database and will be reviewed. It will be considered with other reports to identify any safety defect trends that may require our attention.

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From: [REDACTED]

Comments:

I have been through 5 replacement gas tanks through the saab dealership within the last 2 and a half years the dealership even admitted that there was a bad batch of tanks they keep replacing the tanks. I do not believe that it is safe to continue driving it and is currently back at the dealership with you guessed it another bad tank this will be the 6th gas tank within 3 years. My question- they obviously know and admitted to having bad gas tanks and did not recall these tanks therefor putting my life in danger. Please look into this I can send you copies of the receipts if you need them. I am very concerned that someone may be seriously injured if not worse as the tank is located above the exhaust system. I have also made contact with a person on the east coast that has been through 4 tanks in the last 2 years he has a 92 saab as well, something tells me we are not the only ones.

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