



U.S. Department
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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. _____

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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name			
Street		Apt. No.	
City	State	Zip Code	Daytime Telephone Number
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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 1/5/05

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Vehicle Identification No. (VIN) (17 Digits) 1 G M D X 0 3 E 7 1 D	Make MONTANA 2001	Model PONTIAC	Year 2001
Purchased Date 10/23/03	Dealer's Name FOWLER BUICK	Engine Size (CID/CC/L) No. Cylinders	☐ Turbo ☐ Diesel ☐ Gas ☐ Fuel Injection
☐ New ☒ Used	Dealer's City PEARL	State MS	Zip Code
Manufacture Date (on driver's door or pillar) WAS REMOVED BY DEALER / NOT ON VIN	Transmission Type ☐ Manual ☒ Automatic	Restraint System ☒ Driver's Air Bag ☐ Motorbelt ☒ Passenger's Air Bag ☐ 2-Point Belt ☐ 3-Point Belt	Cruise Control ☒ Yes ☐ No
	Drivetrain ☒ Front ☐ Rear ☐ 4-Wheel	Vehicle Type ☐ Car ☐ Sport Utility ☐ Van ☐ Truck ☒ Minivan ☐ Motorcycle ☐ Other	Body Style ☐ 2-Door ☒ 4-Door ☐ Stationwagon ☐ Pick Up Truck ☐ Other

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Part Name(s) AIR BAG COMPUTER	Location ☐ Left ☐ Right ☒ Front ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☒ Original ☐ Replacement	Handicap Adaptive Equip ☐ Yes ☒ No
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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 ☐ 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 ☐ Yes ☒ No	Fire ☐ Yes ☒ No	Number of Persons Injured N/A.	Number of Fatalities N/A.	Reported to Manufacturer ☒ Yes ☐ No
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Narrative Description of Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies).

THE AIR BAG COMPUTER FAILED. THE AIR BAG LIGHT WOULD
COME ON INTERMITTENTLY WHEN THIS VEHICLE WAS PURCHASED
AT AROUND \$4,000. THE AIR BAG COMPUTER WAS
REPLACED BY DEALER (FOWLER BUICK) AT APPROXIMATELY
\$570.00. THE SAFETY DEFECT WAS REPORTED TO PONTIAC
DIVISION OF GENERAL MOTORS. THIS DEFECTIVE PART WAS
REPLACED BY OWNER AT HIS EXPENSE. THIS IS A SAFETY.

Continued 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.

Mail no charge free or fax to 202-366-7882

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DEFECT THAT PONTIAC D. DASTARD^{NOT} TO BE CONCERNED
ABOUT. HAD AIR BAG DEPLOY IN 1996 OLDSMOBILE.
IN CAR PONT. IN DAUGHTER-IN-LAW'S CAR.

THIS CAR HAS NOT BEEN WRECKED AND HAS ONLY BEEN
SERVICED BY FOWLER BUICK SINCE BOUGHT/PURCHASED
IN 2003.

ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY

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Washington, D.C. 20590

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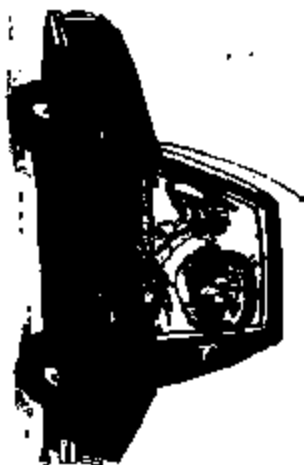
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