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U.S. Department of Transportation
NHTSA
Office of Defects Investigation
400 7th Street, NW
Washington DC 20590

Re: 1999 VW Passat
VIN WVWNA63B1XE

Dear Sir or Madam:

I brought my 1999 Passat to the dealer (Congressional VW, Rockville, MD) in response to a lower control arms recall. No problem was found with the lower control arms; however, the upper control arms "have too much play" as do the tie rods. NHTSA ordered a recall for 1999 Passats for tie rod problems, but my car is outside the VIN range for that recall. The estimated work is \$1040.00. The mileage is 59,000. I would like to file a petition to reconsider the adequacy of this recall.

In addition, in April 2004, I had to have the output stage module replaced at a cost of \$1060.00 with mileage of 53,000. My car, again, was not within a recall for this problem and, as above, I would like this recall reconsidered.

I appreciate your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

Olney, MD

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