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National Highway
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DOT Auto Safety Hotline Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire

TO REPORT VEHICLE SAFETY DEFECTS
1-888-DASH-2-DOT
(1-888-327-4238)
INTERNET: www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline

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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name

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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 05/03/05

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Vehicle Identification No. (VIN) (17 Digits) 1N4BU31D3SK		Make NISSAN	Model ALTIMA GXE AUTO	Year 95
Purchased Date 7/20/96	Dealer's Name KELLY NISSAN OF 95TH		Engine Size (CID/CC/L) 23.89	<input type="checkbox"/> Turbo <input type="checkbox"/> Diesel <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gas <input type="checkbox"/> Fuel Injection
<input type="checkbox"/> New <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Used	Dealer's City OAK LAWN	State IL.	Zip Code 60453	No. Cylinders 4
Manufacture Date (on driver's door or pillar) 3/95	Transmission Type <input type="checkbox"/> Manual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Automatic	Restraint System <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Driverside Air Bag <input type="checkbox"/> Motorbell <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Passengerside Air Bag <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2-Point Belt <input type="checkbox"/> 3-Point Belt	Cruise Control <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Drivetrain <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Front <input type="checkbox"/> Rear <input type="checkbox"/> 4-Wheel
		Vehicle Type <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Car <input type="checkbox"/> Sport Utility <input type="checkbox"/> Van <input type="checkbox"/> Truck <input type="checkbox"/> Minivan <input type="checkbox"/> Motorcycle <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Body Style <input type="checkbox"/> 2-Door <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 4-Door <input type="checkbox"/> Stationwagon <input type="checkbox"/> Pick Up Truck <input type="checkbox"/> Other	

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

AIR-BAGS	Part Name(s) N/A	Location <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Left <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Right <input type="checkbox"/> Front <input type="checkbox"/> Rear	Failed Part(s) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Replacement	Handicap Adaptive Equip <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	NHTSA Previously Contacted? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION

(Please describe in detail the incident(s), failure(s), crash(es), and injury(ies). Attach photos if available.)

Crash <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Fire <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Number of Persons Injured DNA	Number of Fatalities DNA	Reported to Manufacturer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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Narrative Description of Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies): (MILEAGE-54989) The Chicago Tribune paper Sunday 7-27-03 listed transportation recalls of which 248 1638 1994-1995 Nissan Altima Sedans, after Federal investigations, found 79 cases of face severe injury from air bags. My vehicle a 95 Nissan Altima has right + left front air bags and the warning light on the dash is flashing. I took my vehicle to Kelly Kren Nissan at 4300 W. 95th St Oak Lawn IL 60459 Phone No. 708-499-1000 on 4-07-05 to be repaired under recall, it was refused. Kelly Kren called the manufacturer they also refused to cooperate. I feel in danger while driving my car. ever

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.

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

Can you help me? I am a Senior Widower on a small
fixed income. Thank you kindly. — Jane Martin

(I am sending a copy of the Debate Article)

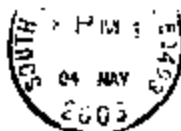
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Office of Defects Investigation, NSA-10.01
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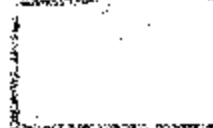
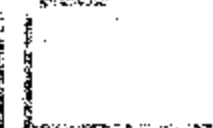
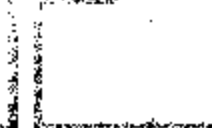
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RECALLS

These are current recall notices. The recalls will be listed in the order in which they were issued. Some recalls may affect the entire production run of a model, while others may affect only certain vehicles. (continued) For more information, visit the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration's website:

■ Honda will recall 100,000 2000-2002 Accord double-cab pickups to fix a part that could cause a fuel leak. (continued) For more information, visit the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration's website:

■ Ford is recalling 202,000 2000-2001 Ford Excursion SUVs to fix a part that could cause a fuel leak. (continued) For more information, visit the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration's website:

■ Saturn is recalling about 254,000 2000-01 L-Series cars with 2.2-liter engines to correct an engine problem that has led to fires.

■ Buick is recalling about 107,000 2002-03 Rendezvous sport-utility vehicles to recall the rear license, which could open to a severe crash.

■ Honda is recalling about 70,000 2000-01 Accord EX models, 24,000 1999-00 Civic minivans and 500 2002 Accord sedans to fix a fog light.

■ Ford will recall 105,000 1997 F-150 and F250 pickups and Excursion sport-utility vehicles to inspect a steering part that might have been improperly installed and could lead to a loss of control.

■ Ford is recalling 43,000 1999-00 Lincoln Continentals because the air bags may deploy inadvertently.

■ GM is recalling 44,000 2002 Chevrolet Trailblazer, GMC Envoy and Oldsmobile Bravada sport-utility vehicles to replace a faulty brake pedal.

■ General Motors is recalling some 1.7 million 1994-97 Chevrolet, GMC Sierra pickups and Chevy Tahoe and Suburban and GMC Yukon and Suburban SUVs; 1995-97 Chevy Astro and GMC Safari vans and Chevy/GMC Regency crew vans; 1994-97 Chevy Blazer and GMC Jimmy SUVs and Chevy S-10, GMC Sierra and Isuzu Hombre small pickups to repair a problem with the front windshield wipers.

■ Nissan is recalling 208,000 2002-2003 Altimas and Sentras with 2.5-liter 4-cylinder engines to fix a part that can cause a fire.

■ Ford will replace the windshields on 67,000 2002-2003 Ford Taurus and Mercury Sable sedans that don't meet federal standards.

■ Cadillac is recalling about 52,000 CTS sedans to fix a bolt on the steering shaft that could loosen, potentially costing the driver control.

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■ BMW will recall 5,100 Mini Cooper cars to fix a screw on the rear suspension struts that could break.

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NEW-CAR LOAN RATES

Here is a list of the rates institutions were charging July 22 on new-car loans, according to BankRate.com. Loans are for \$22,000 with a 4.10 percent down payment. Rates are for borrowers with good credit and may vary upon branch location or borrower's credit score. Check for local loan membership requirements.

Institution	Rate	APR	APR	APR	Notes
Ally Bank	10%	6.19%	6.19%	6.19%	Avg rate: 5.75-12.50%, \$75 fee
Bank One	10%	6.25	7.00	7.25	No fee
Bank One	10%	5.99	5.99	5.99	Range: 5.99-15.49%, \$75 fee
Bank One	10%	5.99	5.99	5.99	Range: 5.99-13.49%, \$75 fee
Bank One	10%	6.25	6.50	6.50	No fee
Bank One	10%	6.00	6.25	6.50	No fee, Qtr-pt discount with automatic debit
Capital City Bank	10%	6.00	6.00	6.00	Range: 3.90-8.00%, no fee
Capital City Bank	10%	6.25	6.50	6.25	\$115 fee
Capital City Bank	10%	6.24	6.24	6.24	Quarter-point discount with automatic debit
City State Bank	10%	5.99	5.99	5.99	Range: 3.99-4.99%, no fee, must be a member
First Third Bank	10%	5.98	5.98	5.98	Avg range: 4.20-7.20%, Quarter-point discount with automatic debit, \$180 fee
First American Bank	10%	6.74	6.74	6.74	No fee
First American Bank	10%	6.83	6.83	6.83	Avg range: 5.48-8.18%, \$100 fee
First American Bank	10%	7.00	7.25	7.50	Quarter-point discount with automatic debit, no fee
First American Bank	10%	5.65	6.25	6.25	Quarter-point discount with automatic debit, no fee
First American Bank	10%	5.00	5.80	5.00	Quarter-point discount with automatic debit, no fee
First American Bank	10%	7.00	7.25	7.25	No fee
First American Bank	10%	7.00	7.00	7.50	Qtr-pt discount with automatic debit, \$30 fee
First American Bank	10%	7.75	8.00	8.25	Range: 6.24-7.49%, Quarter-point discount with automatic debit, \$100 fee
First American Bank	10%	8.75	8.75	9.00	Avg range: 4.00-13.50% and 4.25-13.75%
First American Bank	10%	6.50	6.75	7.00	Half-point discount with automatic debit, no fee
First American Bank	10%	5.99	5.99	4.99	Must be a member
First American Bank	10%	7.00	7.00	7.25	No fee
First American Bank	10%	6.59	6.99	7.25	1-point discount with automatic debit, \$75 fee
First American Bank	10%	5.18	5.15	5.15	No fee

SOURCE: BankRate Monitor, N. Palm Beach, Fla., 33408