U.S. Department of Transportation

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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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name [redacted]			Daytime Telephone Number [redacted]	E-mail Address [redacted]
Address [redacted]			Evening Telephone Number	
City PALM SPRINGS	State CA	Zip Code [redacted]		

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 ___/___/___

VEHICLE INFORMATION

17 digit Vehicle Identification Number: Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side	Make	Model	Model Year
JH4DC54892C[redacted]	ACURA	RSX	2002

Date Purchased	Dealer's Name and Telephone Number			Engine:	Fuel Type:
	JESSUP AUTO PLAZA			No: Cylinders 4	Gas
Original Owner ☐	Dealer's City CATHEDRAL CITY	State CA	Zip Code		

Transmission Type		Powertrain	Vehicle Component Code
AUTOMATIC	☒ Antilock Brakes ☒ Cruise Control	REAR WHEEL DRIVE	176100 LATCHES/LOCKS/LINKAGES:HOOD:LATCH Multiple Failure: 1

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s)	Failure Mileage	Failure Speed	
13-JUN-2005			

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Make	Tire Model (Name or Number)	Tire Size (Example P215/65R15)
DOT No. (Example: DOTMAL9ABC036)	☐ Original Equipment ☐ Prior Repair	Failure Location:
Tire Component Code		Tire Failure Type

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A CHILD SEAT FAILURE

Make:	Date Manufactured:	Model No./Name:
Seat Type:	Installation System:	
Child Seat Component Code:	Failed Part:	

APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION

(Please describe in detail the incident(s), Failure(s), Cause(es), and injury(ies).)

Crash	Fire	Number of Persons Injured	Number of Deaths	Reported to Police
☐ Yes ☒ No	☐ Yes ☒ No			N

Narrative Description of Incident(S), Crash(es), and Injury(ies).
Please describe (1) events leading up to the failure, (2) failure and its consequences, and (3) what was done to correct the failure; i.e, parts repaired or replaced (and if old part is available).

DT: PROBLEM WAS NOTICED ABOUT A WEEK AGO. THE HOOD LATCH IS BOLTED TO A PIECE OF METAL, AND THERE IS A BROKEN PLACE IN THE METAL. THE METAL PIECE BROKE AWAY FROM THE BODY ON THE RIGHT SIDE, AND THEN ON THE LEFT SIDE OF THE HOOD, THE METAL SHOWS FATIGUE, AND IS ALMOST BROKEN, AND IS READY TO BREAK AWAY SOON. METAL FATIGUE IS EVIDENT ON BOTH SIDES. CONSUMER CONTACTED THE DEALER, AND THE CAR WILL BE TAKEN TO DEALER TODAY. THE CASE NUMBER WITH ACURA IS 120050617300086. *AK

Include, if available: Police/Fire Department Report, Photos, and Repair Invoice. ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY

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

Repairs Were Completed 06/24/05
Acura Has Broken Frame Info
Regarding This Incident!
Thank You [redacted]

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Washington, D.C. 20590

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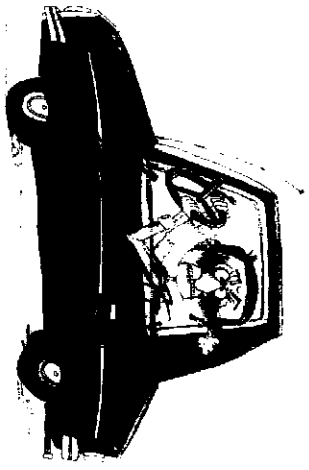

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