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]

Address 8565 NORTH PINEWOOD DRIVE

City PARKER | State CO | Zip Code [redacted]

Daytime Telephone Number [redacted]

Evening Telephone Number [redacted]

E-mail Address [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 X [redacted] X Date 11/7/05

VEHICLE INFORMATION

17 digit Vehicle Identification Number Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side	Make	Model	Model Year
4S3BK6756[redacted]	SUBARU	LEGACY	1996

Date Purchased	Dealer's Name and Telephone Number	Engine:	Fuel Type:
15-OCT-96	BERT SUBARU	No. Cylinders 4	Gas

Original Owner	Dealer's City	State	Zip Code
☒	ENGLEWOOD	CO	

Transmission Type: AUTOMATIC

☒ Antilock Brakes
☒ Cruise Control

Powertrain: ALL WHEEL DRIVE

Vehicle Component Code: 160000 VEHICLE SPEED CONTROL

Multiple Failure: 1

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s)	Failure Mileage	Failure Speed
09-OCT-2005	133030	virtually stopped

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), Crash(es), and Injury(ies))

Crash	Fire	Number of Persons Injured	Number of Deaths	Reported to Police
☒ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☒ No	0	0	No

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: CONTACT STATED THAT WHILE PULLING INTO THE GARAGE VEHICLE ACCELERATED WITHOUT WARNING AND HIT THE REAR OF THE GARAGE AND DID DAMAGE TO THE BUILDING. THE VEHICLE WAS TOTALED. DEALER SAID THEY NEVER HEARD OF THIS PROBLEM. MANUFACTURER HAS NOT BEEN CONTACTED YET. *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)

[redacted] Owner was driving. She opened the door to garage with garage door opener in car & pulled in slowly a few feet to let husband [redacted], in passenger seat, out of the rain. Suddenly the car accelerated full power through the end of the detached garage, destroying the end on that side & everything in it's path, work bench—personal property in it's way. Margaret screamed that she couldn't stop. The car ended up on the patio entirely through the garage, knocked down a vertical piller supporting an I-beam for the house, knocking it into the house, with further damage. The car ended up stopped about 3 feet from the house. Fortunately [redacted] was still in his seat belted. If he had started to get out, he would have been seriously or fatally injured. No police report as no injuries—except traumatic, of no other vehicle involved. Oct. 10, 2005 reported to State Farm Ins. - Car totaled.

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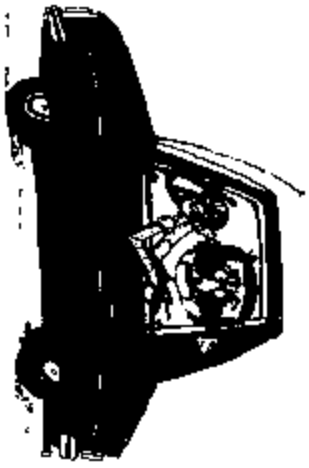

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