



U.S. Department
of Transportation

National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire

TO REPORT VEHICLE SAFETY DEFECTS

888-327-4236

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2-13-06

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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name

Street No.

Apt. No.

City

Morristown

State

NJ

Zip

Daytime Telephone Number

Evening Telephone Number

E-mail

Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of this report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? YES NO

In the absence of authorization, NHTSA will provide the vehicle manufacturer only during a defect investigation or when you make a complaint about recall performance on your vehicle.

Signature of Owner

Date

2/8/06

VEHICLE INFORMATION

17 digit Vehicle Identification number located at bottom of windshield on driver's side

1GNFK16Z42J

Make

Chevrolet

Model

Suburban 1500

Year

02

Current Mileage

99,000

Date Purchased

10/02

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number

Warnock Chevrolet 973 644-4700

Engine:

8

Fuel Type:

Diesel Hybrid
 Gas Other

Original Owner

Dealer's City

Morristown

State

NJ

Zip Code

07960

No. Cylinders

8

Transmission Type

Manual

Automatic

Antilock Brakes

Cruise Control

Powertrain

All-Wheel Drive

Front-Wheel Drive

Rear-Wheel Drive

Four-Wheel Drive

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component Name

Rear Emergency brake + rear brake backing plates

Incident Date(s)

10/2006

Failure Mileage

92,000

Failure Speed

N/A

Failure Location

Driver Passenger
 Front Rear

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Make/Brand

Tire Model/Line

Tire Name

Tire Size (Example: P215/65R1105)

Failed Structure

Tread Sidewall Bead

DOT No. (Example: DOT MAL9ABC036 on sidewall)

Original Equipment
 Prior Repair

Failure Type:

Blowout Blister Crack Torn Tread Separation Road Hazard Out of Round

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A CHILD SEAT FAILURE

Make

Date Manufactured

Model Number and Name

Seat Type

Infant Booster Integrated Convertible Other

Installed in Vehicle using the:

Vehicle safety belt
 LATCH system*

Failed Part. Describe Failure Below

Base Harness/Buckle LATCH Connector Shell Handle Other

*Vehicle info required

APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION

(Please describe in detail the Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies).)

Crash

Yes No

Fire

Yes No

Number of Persons Injured

Number of Deaths

Police Report No.

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

The truck failed NJ state inspection because the rear emergency brake did not work. The mechanic showed me that the rear brake plates and emergency brake were rusted beyond use. This is not mileage related. These parts should not rust out in 4 years! The mechanic said this was a common problem he has seen with late model Suburbans.

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The Privacy Act of 1974 - Public Law 93-579 This information is requested pursuant to a49 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.

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