



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
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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name
Address
City WESTMINSTER State CA Zip Code

Daytime Telephone Number

E-mail Address

Evening Telephone Number

Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of this report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? ☐ YES ☒ NO
In the absence of an authorized representative, NHTSA will not provide your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.
Signature of Owner Date 5/2/06

VEHICLE INFORMATION

17 digit Vehicle Identification Number Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side
YV3SW61R
Make VOLVO Model V70 Model Year 2001
Date Purchased 23-DEC-04 Dealer's Name and Telephone Number VOLVO IRVINE
Engine: No: Cylinders 5 Fuel Type: Gas
Original Owner ☐ Dealer's City IRVINE State CA Zip Code
Transmission Type AUTOMATIC ☒ Antilock Brakes ☒ Cruise Control Powertrain FRONT WHEEL DRIVE
Vehicle Component Code 125000 EXTERIOR LIGHTING: BRAKE LIGHTS
Multiple Failure: 1 Multiple

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s) 14-APR-2006 Failure Mileage 87700 Failure Speed All slowing speeds

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: DOTN15ABC036) ☐ 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 ☐ Yes ☒ No Fire ☐ Yes ☒ No Number of Persons Injured Number of Deaths Reported to Police N

Narrative Description of Accident(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*: THE CONTACT STATED AT VARIOUS SPEEDS, THE CHECK BRAKE WARNING LIGHTS ILLUMINATES. THERE IS A NHTSA RECALL, # 04V051000, REGARDING THE BRAKE LIGHTS. THE VEHICLE HAS THE SAME PROBLEMS AS INDICATED IN THE RECALL; HOWEVER, IT IS NOT INCLUDED IN THE RECALL DUE TO THE VIN.

Include, if available: Police/Fire Department Report, Photos, and Repair Invoice.

ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY

The Privacy Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-579) This information is requested pursuant to authority vested in the National Highway Traffic Safety Act and subsequent amendments. You are under no obligation to respond to this questionnaire. Your responses may be used to assist the NHTSA in determining whether a Manufacturer should take appropriate action to correct a safety defect. If the 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.

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

Every time I pressed on the brake pedal my dashboard gave me a message to check brake lights, Lamp Failure. The right and left brake lights did not come on when I was braking, only the center light. This was extremely unsafe as no one behind knew I was slowing if they didn't see the center brake light. The attached repair report shows it was the same problem as the 2002 VTD, brake relay failures it was recalled on the 2002, and I should get my money back. ^{TUMBLE}

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