



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

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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name [REDACTED]
Address [REDACTED]
City BOISE State ID Zip Code [REDACTED]

Daytime Telephone Number [REDACTED] 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 signature, please print your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.
Signature of Owner [REDACTED] Date 9/10/07

VEHICLE INFORMATION

17 digit Vehicle Identification Number Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side: JA4MW31R42J [REDACTED]
Make MITSUBISHI Model MONTERO Model Year 2002
Date Purchased 20-JAN-07 Dealer's Name and Telephone Number PETERSON AUTO PLEX Engine: No: Cylinders 6 Fuel Type: Gas
Original Owner Dealer's City BOISE State ID Zip Code
Transmission Type AUTOMATIC Antilock Brakes Cruise Control Powertrain ALL WHEEL DRIVE
Vehicle Component Code 033210 SERVICE BRAKES, HYDRAULIC:POWER ASSIST:HYDRAULIC:
Multiple Failure: 2

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s) 05-AUG-2007 Failure Mileage 70000 Failure Speed

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 Yes No Fire Yes No Number of Persons Injured 0 Number of Deaths 0 Reported to Police 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).

TL*THE CONTACT OWNS A 2002 MITSUBISHI MONTERO. THE CONTACT STATED THAT HIS VEHICLE HAS A 20 SECOND DELAY IN STOPPING DISTANCE AND MAKES A LOUD NOISE. HE ALSO NOTICED BUBBLES IN THE BRAKE FLUID COMPARTMENT AND A LEAK IN THE ACCUMULATOR BOOSTER. THE VEHICLE WAS NOT INCLUDED IN NHTSA RECALL NUMBER 01V254001 (SERVICE BRAKES, HYDRAULIC:POWER ASSIST:VACUUM). THE SPEED WAS UNKNOWN. THE CURRENT AND FAILURE MILEAGES WERE 70,000.

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 this questionnaire. Your response 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.