



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

Address

City

CYCLONE

State WV

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 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

(VIN) JHMC M56307

Make  
HONDA

Model  
ACCORD

Model Year  
2007

Date Purchased

4/9/07

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number

Hester Rames Honda

Engine:  
No: Cylinders 4

Fuel Type:  
Reg

Original Owner ☒

Dealer's City

Charleston

State WV

Zip Code

Transmission Type

Auto.

☒ Antilock Brakes

☒ Cruise Control

Powertrain

Vehicle Component Code

030000 SERVICE BRAKES, HYDRAULIC

Multiple Failure:

**FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION**

Incident Date(s)  
12-AUG-2008

Failure Mileage  
13000

Failure Speed  
40

**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: DOTM9ABC036)

☐ 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 2007 HONDA ACCORD. WHILE DRIVING 40 MPH, THE CONTACT REAR ENDED ANOTHER VEHICLE. THE VEHICLE WAS DRIVEN TO THE DEALER. THE CONTACT STATED THAT WHEN HE DEPRESSED THE BRAKE PEDAL, IT HELD FOR A MOMENT AND THEN BEGAN TO VIBRATE. HE APPLIED MORE PRESSURE TO THE PEDAL, BUT IT WOULD NOT HOLD. THE VIN WAS UNKNOWN. THE FAILURE MILEAGE WAS 13,000.

Falling in line of traffic Car Ahead Stopped I  
Applied Brake Seemed to hold good tightly pressure, Getting  
closer Applied Hard Pressure the Car did not seem to slow  
Crashed Rear of car ahead

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 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.