



U.S. Department
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National Highway
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Administration

DOT Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire
To Report Vehicle Safety Defects

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DASH-2-DOT
(1-888-327-4236)

INTERNET: www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline

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10246509

OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name

Address

City

HIBBING

State MN

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 10/28/08

VEHICLE INFORMATION

17 digit Vehicle Identification Number Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side

1FDXE45S61H

Make

WINNEBAGO

Model

WINNEBAGO

Model Year

2002

Date Purchased

6/3/02

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number

LIGHTS INN MOTORS

1-800-343-6455

Engine:

No. Cylinders

V10

Fuel Type:

GAS

Original Owner

☒

Dealer's City

FOREST CITY, I.A.

State

IA

Zip Code

50436

Transmission Type

AUTO OFF

☒ Antilock Brakes

☒ Cruise Control

Powertrain

10 CYL - AUTO

Multiple Failure:

Incident Date(s)

03-OCT-2008

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Vehicle Component Codes: 980000 UNKNOWN OR OTHER, 160000 STRUCTURE

Failure Mileage
23710

Failure Speed
0

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: DOTM19ABC036)

☐ 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

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 WINNEBAGO SUNDANCER (NA). WHILE THE VEHICLE WAS PARKED, THE GENERATOR WAS ACTIVATED. THE CONTACT OBSERVED A FAULTY DESIGN OF THE LOWER SEAL ON THE BEDROOM SLIDE OUT, WHICH ALLOWED GASOLINE FUMES TO ENTER THE INTERIOR OF THE VEHICLE. THE CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTOR ALARM SOUNDED AND ALERTED THE DANGER. THE VEHICLE HAS NOT BEEN REPAIRED. THE CONTACT WAS CONCERNED OF THE SAFETY RISK INVOLVED. THE FAILURE AND CURRENT MILEAGES WERE 23,710.

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.

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

DEAR SIR'S, I did REPORT THIS TO
THE DEALER & CALLED WINNIPEG 2 TIMES
TO REPORT IT AND THEY SAID TO REPORT IT TO
YOU, PEOPLE

THE EXASHT FUMES FOUND THE WAY PAST
THE LOWER BED SLIDE OUT. SEAL THE HARD ON
CAMERON I TURNED THE GEN OFF AN AIR OUT THE
RV.

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has a safety defect?**



If so:

**Use the enclosed
form to file a report.**

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or call:

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