



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 FAIRVIEW

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 12/4/08

**VEHICLE INFORMATION**

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

1GBJG31GX1

Make

GULF STREAM

Model

CONQUEST

Model Year

2001

Date Purchased

AUG. 2001

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number

Roy's SuperCenter

1-800-447-7697

Engine:

No: Cylinders

Fuel Type:

Original Owner

Dealer's City

ELKINS

State

WV

Zip Code

Transmission Type

Antilock Brakes

Powertrain

Cruise Control

Multiple Failure:

Incident Date(s)

20-APR-2008

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

Vehicle Component Codes: 350000 EQUIPMENT, 351000 EQUIPMENT: RECREATIONAL VEHICLE

Failure Mileage

16000

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: 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 2001 GULF STREAM CONQUEST SPORT. THE VEHICLE HAS A DOMETIC REFRIGERATOR, MODEL RM2652. THE CONTACT NOTICED A YELLOWISH-BROWN SUBSTANCE SPILLING ALONGSIDE HER REFRIGERATOR IN EARLY SPRING. SHE INTENDED TO TAKE THE VEHICLE TO A DEALER TO HAVE THE ISSUE REPAIRED. SHE RECEIVED A RECALL NOTICE FOR NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID NUMBER 06E076000 (EQUIPMENT:RECREATIONAL VEHICLE) FOR THE REFRIGERATOR, BUT DID NOT FEEL THAT THE REMEDY (SECONDARY BURNER HOUSING) WAS SUFFICIENT. THE MANUFACTURER KNEW THAT POTENTIAL FAILURES COULD OCCUR AND ONLY OFFERED TO INSTALL THE HOUSING. THE PART NUMBER AND PURCHASE DATES WERE UNKNOWN. THE CURRENT MILEAGE WAS APPROXIMATELY 17,000 AND FAILURE MILEAGE WAS APPROXIMATELY 16,000.

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 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)**

We have a brown or yellow residue running from the back of our refrigerator. Since the domestic co. has put out a recall on them. I fell that they are responsible for repairing our refrigerator. If they had not have had a recall on them it would be different. When they put the recall on them they knew that the boiler tube could get a crack in them. I would never feel safe sleeping in the RV knowing that there could be a fire. I also do not feel that we should have to spend out all that money having it repaired, when they know this could happen. Thank you

Fairview, WV.

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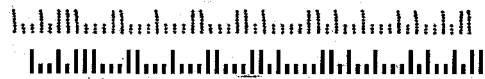
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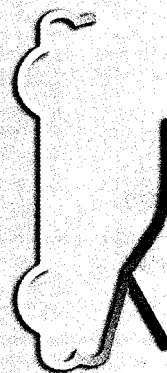
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**Think your vehicle  
has a safety defect?**



**If so:  
Use the enclosed  
form to file a report.**

**or visit:  
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