



U.S. Department
of Transportation

National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration

DOT Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire

To Report Vehicle Safety Defects

2009 MAY 27 AM 11:58
1-888-DASH-2-DOT
(1-888-327-4236)

INTERNET: www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline

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Date Received

30-APR-2009

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Reference No.
10267314

OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name

Address

City

CHARLOTTESVILLE

State

VA

Zip Code

Daytime Telephone Number

Evening Telephone Number

E-mail Address

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: [Redacted] Date: 5/18/2009

VEHICLE INFORMATION

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

1FTEF14Y6LN [Redacted]

Make

FORD

Model

F150

Model Year

1990

Date Purchased

1991

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number

Auto Super Store

Engine:

No: Cylinders

6

Fuel Type:

gasoline

Original Owner

☐

Dealer's City

Charlottesville

State

Va.

Zip Code

Transmission Type

5 speed

☒ Antilock Brakes

Powertrain

☒ Cruise Control

Multiple Failure:

Incident Date(s)

11-NOV-2008

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Vehicle Component Code: 070000 FUEL SYSTEM, GASOLINE

Failure Mileage

118000

Failure Speed

30

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 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 1990 FORD F150. AFTER FILLING BOTH OF THE GAS TANKS IN THE VEHICLE, THE CONTACT NOTICED THE FUEL LEVEL DECREASING. THE FAILURE WAS NOTICED WHILE DRIVING 30 MPH. AFTER DRIVING FOR TEN MILES, HE PULLED THE VEHICLE OVER AND NOTICED FUEL LEAKING FROM THE REAR GAS TANK. THE CONTACT SWITCHED THE FUEL USAGE TO THE FRONT FUEL TANK. THE VEHICLE WAS TAKEN TO A LOCAL REPAIR SHOP, BUT THE TECHNICIAN COULD NOT DETERMINE THE CAUSE OF THE FAILURE. THE TECHNICIAN ADVISED THE CONTACT TO TAKE THE VEHICLE TO THE DEALER FOR FURTHER INSPECTION. HE DISCOVERED NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID NUMBERS 01I008000 (FUEL SYSTEM, GASOLINE) AND 93V125000 (FUEL SYSTEM, GASOLINE:STORAGE:TANK ASSEMBLY). THE DEALER STATED THAT THE BA AND AA CONNECTORS, GASKET, TWO RETAINERS, TWO FUEL FILTERS, VALVES, AND THE O RING ON THE TANK HAD ALL FAILED. THE VEHICLE WAS REPAIRED AT THE COST OF \$765.47. THE CONTACT IS IN THE PROCESS OF NOTIFYING THE MANUFACTURER. THE FAILURE MILEAGE WAS 118,000 AND CURRENT MILEAGE WAS 123,487.

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.

May 18, 2009

To: NHTSA

Re: recalls on Ford F150 – 1990, VIN#1FTEF14Y6LN [REDACTED]

Recently gas started transferring from one tank to another. Took to mechanic and they found recall from NHTSA. Contacted dealer for repairs under recall – service ticket attached – work done not covered under recall according to Battlefield Ford. This truck was serviced for same problem in a recall in year 1993 – service ticket for this also attached. Apparently original problem was not corrected then.

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1990 Ford Pickup F150

DUAL FUEL TANK DEFECTIVE CHECK VALVE CAN CAUSE FIRE NHTSA RECALL BULLETIN

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NHTSA RECALL BULLETIN

Reference Number(s): 93V125000

VEHICLE DESCRIPTION

Models: 1990 Ford F Pickup

1991 Ford F Pickup

1992 Ford F Pickup

1993 Ford F Pickup

Number of Affected Vehicles: 1131000

Beginning Date of Manufacture: 1989 JUL

Ending Date of Manufacture: 1992 DEC

Light trucks and chassis cabs with gasoline engines and dual fuel tanks.

SYSTEM

Fuel; fuel tank assembly.

FAULT

Fastener, Thread failure.

DESCRIPTION OF DEFECT

A malfunctioning check valve within the fuel pump assembly causes a portion of the unused fuel from one tank to be returned to the second tank. When this occurs, the capacity of the second tank can be exceeded, causing fuel spillage.

CONSEQUENCE OF DEFECT

PROGRAM CODE(S)		SERVICE ADVISOR NO.	YEAR	MODEL OR NAME	TIME FROM	PHONE #	19245
REPAIR 2	REPAIR 3	4178	90	F150	NT		
CODE OR NO.		ADDRESS		WORK #			
COMMITMENT CODE		CITY & STATE		ZIP CODE			
DATE		MILEAGE (NO TENTHS)		VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION (WARRANTY) NUMBER			
11493		45079		1FTEFIHY6LN			
DATE		MILEAGE (NO TENTHS)		COLOR		DSO	
				TRAM		PROD. DATE	
				AXLE		TRANS.	
				ESP INFO			
				DATE OF SALE		DATE INSTALLED	
				MO.		DAY	
				YR.		NO TENTHS	
				MO.		DAY	
				YR.		NO TENTHS	
				ACCURUED MILEAGE		ORIGINAL R.O. NUMBER	
				35		23258	

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JEEP - EAGLE

ROUTE 250 E. P.O. BOX 6097

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA 22906

(804) 977-7960

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LUBE	☒
CHANGE OIL	☒
CHG. OIL FILTER	☒
CK. BRAKES	☐
FRT. END ALIGN.	☐
BAL. WHEELS	☐
VA INSPECTION	☐

QTY.	NUMBER	PART NAME	PRICE	PROG. LOG CODE	OPERATION NO.	CUSTOMER DESCRIPTION OF CONCERN	REPAIR DESCRIPTION-TECHNICIAN COMMENTS
	Parts		8813			REPAIR \$9356 Fuel	(W)
						Service (Overall Check)	2700
						replace 2 brake pads	4500

CAREFULLY, CHECK ONE OF THE FOLLOW, AND SIGN: I UNDERSTAND STATE LAW, I AM ENTITLED TO A MATE, IF MY FINAL BILL WILL

QUEST A WRITTEN ESTIMATE. NOT REQUEST A WRITTEN ESTIMATE AS LONG AS THE REPAIR COSTS NOT EXCEED \$ SHOP MAY NOT EXCEED THIS OUT MY WRITTEN OR ORAL AP- NOT REQUEST A WRITTEN ESTI-

BRADY-BUSHEY FORD, Inc.

JEEP/EAGLE

Route 250 East On Pantops Mountain

P.O. Box 6097

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VIRGINIA 22906

Telephone 977-7960



Thank you for this opportunity to serve you. Our aim is to perform all the repairs requested on this repair order to your complete satisfaction.

If our service was satisfactory, tell your friends, if not, please tell us immediately.

Thank You

DESCRIPTION	SALE
LABOR REPAIR SHOP	7200
LABOR BODY SHOP	
PARTS REPAIR SHOP	8813
PARTS BODY SHOP	
SUBLET REPAIRS	
DEDUCTIBLE	
MISC.	360
TAX	396
CHARGE SALES	
CASH SALES	
TOTAL	16769

Not Responsible for Loss or Damage To Car or Articles left in case in case of fire, theft or any other cause beyond our control. I hereby authorize the above repair work to be done along with the necessary material, and hereby grant you and/or your employee permission to operate the vehicle herein described on streets, highways or elsewhere for the purpose of testing and/or inspection. An express mechanic

CUSTOMER COPY

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CUSTOMER #: 9776753

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HOME: [REDACTED] CONT:N/A
BUS: [REDACTED] CELL:

SERVICE ADVISOR: 9158 RICK MORRIS

COLOR	YEAR	MAKE/MODEL	VIN	UNIT NO	MILEAGE IN/OUT	TAG	
	90	FORD F150	1FTEF14Y6LN [REDACTED]	XUZ6344	123487/123487	T624	
DEL DATE	PROD. DATE	WARR. EXP	PROMISED	PO NO.	RATE	PAYMENT	INV. DATE
01JAN90 DD			17:00 29APR09		0.00	NONE	29APR09

R.O. OPENED	READY	OPTIONS:
07:26 29APR09	16:40 29APR09	

LINE	OPCODE	TECH	TYPE	HOURS	LIST	NET	TOTAL
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A CK FUEL OVERFLOWING FROM REAR TANK TO FRONT TANK

CHK CK AND FOUND BOTH ONE WAY VALVES LEAKING -

REPLACED BOTH VALVES

9673 SORRELL, TODD LIC#: 9673

CP

247.50 247.50

1 1L3Z*9J274*BA CONNECTOR

95.43 95.43 95.43

1 1L3Z*9J274*AA CONNECTOR

119.28 119.28 119.28

1 E1VZ*9417*B GASKET

1.74 1.74 1.74

2 *N806190*S1901 RETAINER

2.50 2.50 5.00

CHK ADDITIONAL TIME TO REMOVE BED AND CUT OFF OLD

RUSTED VALVES AND REPLACE O-RING ON TANK

9673 SORRELL, TODD LIC#: 9673

CP

165.00 165.00

132P REPLACE FUEL FILTER

9673 SORRELL, TODD LIC#: 9673

CP

41.25 41.25

1 E7DZ*9155*A FILTER ASY - FUEL

24.00 24.00 24.00

B PERFORM MULTI-POINT INSPECTION

99P 9673

9673 SORRELL, TODD LIC#: 9673

CP

0.00 0.00

GBATT BATTERY TEST GOOD

9673 SORRELL, TODD LIC#: 9673

CP

0.00 0.00

GBK DISC BRAKES MEASURE OVER 5MM OR 7/32"-DRUM

BRAKES MEASURE OVER 2MM OR 3/32"

9673 SORRELL, TODD LIC#: 9673

CP

0.00 0.00

GTIRE TREAD DEPTH OK-MEASURED 7/32" OR GREATER

9673 SORRELL, TODD LIC#: 9673

CP

0.00 0.00

CUSTOMER PAY SHOP SUPPLIES FOR REPAIR ORDER

54.00

DEALER LIMITED WARRANTY TO CUSTOMER PURCHASING PARTS AND ACCESSORIES
The Dealer warrants to the purchaser that the Dealer will repair or replace including related labor, any part of any new Ford part or accessory that is sold by the Dealer to the Purchaser that is found to be defective in material or workmanship within a period of 12 months from the date of installation at the Dealership or 12,000 miles of service, whichever comes first, or 12 months or 12,000 miles parts (1). LABOR FOR REMOVAL AND REINSTALLATION OF A PART SOLD OVER-THE-COUNTER IS NOT COVERED BY THIS WARRANTY.

The only requirement of the Purchaser is that the defective parts or accessories must be returned to the Dealer's place of business during regular business hours for warranty repair or replacement. The Dealer must be furnished with the Purchaser's copy of the original sales slip on counter sales, or Purchaser's copy of the repair order on dealer installations, to validate the date of purchase and vehicle mileage, as applicable.

If the Purchaser is traveling or has moved to a different locality any authorized dealer of Ford will fulfill this warranty.
THIS WARRANTY DOES NOT COVER PARTS OR ACCESSORIES THAT FAIL DUE TO ABUSE, MISUSE, NEGLIGENCE, ALTERATION OR ACCIDENT, OR WHICH HAVE BEEN IMPROPERLY LUBRICATED OR REPAIRED, OR USED IN APPLICATIONS FOR WHICH THEY WERE EITHER NOT DESIGNED OR NOT APPROVED BY THE COMPANY, OR ARE CLEANED, ADJUSTED OR REPLACED AS A PART OF NORMAL MAINTENANCE, OR SPARK PLUGS THAT ARE OIL FOULED, LEAD SOILED OR WHICH FAIL DUE TO THE USE OF LOW-GRADE FUEL, IMPROPER SELECTION OF HEAT RANGE OR MISAPPLICATION, OR FAILURES CAUSED BY BAD PARTS, LOSS OF TIME, INCONVENIENCE, LOSS OF USE OF THE VEHICLE, COMMERCIAL LOSS, OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES ARE NOT TREATED. THERE IS NO OTHER EXPRESS WARRANTY ON NEW FORD PARTS. ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS IS LIMITED TO THE 90-DAY/4,000 MILE DURATION OF THIS WRITTEN WARRANTY.

(1) With the following EXCEPTIONS:

- * Ford Air Conditioners and Thermostatic Fans - 12 months/unlimited mileage.
- * MOTORCRAFT Shock Absorbers - Auto-flex (AB), Super-Flex (AA), Auto-Flex Extra-Duty (AX) - Lifetime of original purchaser's ownership of private passenger car or truck.
- * Air Shock Absorbers (AJ) - 12 months/12,000 miles. Labor to Remove and install Shock Absorbers for 90 days/4000 miles only.
- * Motorcraft "G" Series Premium Battery - 12 months/unlimited mileage.

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DESCRIPTION	TOTALS
LABOR AMOUNT	
PARTS AMOUNT	
GAS, OIL, LUBE	
SUBLET AMOUNT	
MISC. CHARGES	
TOTAL CHARGES	
LESS INSURANCE	
SALES TAX	
PLEASE PAY THIS AMOUNT	

CUSTOMER SIGNATURE

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DESCRIPTION	TOTALS
LABOR AMOUNT	453.75
PARTS AMOUNT	245.45
GAS, OIL, LUBE	0.00
SUBLET AMOUNT	0.00
MISC. CHARGES	54.00
TOTAL CHARGES	753.20
LESS INSURANCE	0.00
SALES TAX	12.27
PLEASE PAY THIS AMOUNT	765.47
CUSTOMER SIGNATURE	X

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