

 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				FOR AGENCY USE ONLY 100148		
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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)						
Name		Address		Daytime Telephone Number		E-mail Address
City		State		Evening Telephone Number		
BALTIMORE		MD				
The information you provide will be used to identify potential safety-related defects. We may share your information with the applicable vehicle manufacturer during an investigation or recall in accordance with the routine uses described in the agency's Privacy Act notice. See 49 FR 53971 (Sep. 3, 2004).						
VEHICLE INFORMATION						
17 digit Vehicle Identification Number Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side			Make BUICK		Model CENTURY	Model Year 2003
Date Purchased		Dealer's Name and Telephone Number			Engine: No: Cylinders	Fuel Type:
Original Owner ☐		Dealer's City		State	Zip Code	
Transmission Type	☐ Antilock Brakes	Powertrain	Multiple Failure:		Incident Date(s) 08-OCT-2010	
	☐ Cruise Control					
FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION						
Vehicle Component Code: 130000 VISIBILITY					Failure Mileage 50000	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: 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	Number of Deaths	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 2003 BUICK CENTURY. THE CONTACT STATED WHILE DRIVING AT ANY SPEED THE REAR PASSENGER AUTOMATIC WINDOW WOULD RELEASE DOWNWARD APPROXIMATELY FIVE INCHES WITHOUT ASSISTANCE. THE AUTOMATIC WINDOW MECHANISM FAILED TO OPERATE WHEN ENGAGED. THE VEHICLE WAS TAKEN TO AN INDEPENDENT MECHANIC FOR DIAGNOSIS AND REPAIR. RECENTLY, THE FRONT PASSENGER WINDOW EXHIBITED THE IDENTICAL FAILURE AS THE REAR PASSENGER WINDOW. THE VEHICLE WAS NOT REPAIRED. THE VIN WAS UNAVAILABLE. THE FAILURE MILEAGE WAS APPROXIMATELY 50,000.						
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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.						