

 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	
		Date Received MAR 1 1 2011 04-FEB-2011	Repository ☐ Reference No. 10380233
OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)			
Name		Daytime Telephone Number	
Address		Evening Telephone Number	
City	State	Zip Code	E-mail Address
EDGEWATER PARK	NJ		
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	Model
4JGBB86E06A		MERCEDES BENZ	ML350
Model Year		Engine:	Fuel Type:
2006		No: Cylinders	Reg.
Date Purchased	Dealer's Name and Telephone Number		
1-3-2006	Ed S Imports		
Original Owner	Dealer's City	State	Zip Code
☒	FT Washington	PA	
Transmission Type	☒ Antilock Brakes	Powertrain	Multiple Failure:
	☒ Cruise Control		Incident Date(s)
			13-SEP-2009
FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION			
Vehicle Component Codes: 103000 POWER TRAIN: AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION, 180000 VEHICLE SPEED CONTROL		Failure Mileage	Failure Speed
		53000	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: DOTMAL9ABC036)	☐ Original Equipment ☐ Prior Repair		Failure Location: n/a
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:	n/a	
Child Seat Component Code:	Failed Part:		
APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION			
(Please describe in detail the incident(s), failure(s), crash(es), and injury(ies).)			
Crash	Fire	Number of Persons Injured	Number of Deaths
☒ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☒ No	1	0
Reported to Police		Y	
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 2006 MERCEDES BENZ ML350. WHILE SHIFTING INTO REVERSE GEAR THE VEHICLE SURGED BACKWARDS, RESULTING IN A CRASH. UPON SHIFTING THE VEHICLE INTO DRIVE, IT THEN SURGED FORWARD, RESULTING IN ANOTHER CRASH. A POLICE REPORT WAS FILED. THE CONTACT SUSTAINED A SERIOUS INJURY AND WAS TAKEN BY AMBULANCE TO THE HOSPITAL. THE VEHICLE WAS DESTROYED AND TOWED TO A LOT WHERE THE FAILURE WAS NOT DIAGNOSED. THE VEHICLE WAS NOT REPAIRED. THE FAILURE AND CURRENT MILEAGE WAS 53,000.			
Vehicle is wrapped under safe keeping until a proper engineer investigates the data event recorder.			
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)

Please see attached sheets for
police report and injuries sustained.

ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY

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of Transportation

**National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration**

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Washington, D.C. 20077-9382

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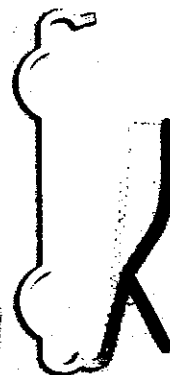
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Washington, D.C. 20077-9382**



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



If so:

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

or visit:

www.safercar.gov

or call:

**Vehicle Safety Hotline
888-327-4236**



NHTSA's Office of Defects Investigation (ODI)
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Page 1 of 1 Fatal ☐ New Jersey Police Crash Investigation Report ☒ Reportable ☐ Non-Reportable ☐ Change Report

10 Crash Occurred On: 11 Speed Limit 12 Route No. 13 Suffix 14 Milepost 15 Speed Limit

16 At Intersection with 17 Cross Road Name 18 NB EB SB WB

19 Ramp 20 From 21 Latitude 22 Longitude

23 Veh No 24 Policy No 25 Ins Code 26 Sex 27 Number and Street 28 City 29 State 30 Zip

31 State 32 Date of Crash 33 DOB 34 Expires 35 Owner's First Name 36 Owner's Last Name 37 Make 38 Model 39 Color 40 Year 41 Plate No 42 State 43 VIN 44 Expires 45 VIN 46 Vehicle Removed To 47 Authority 48 Alcohol/Drug Test 49 Hazardous Material 50 Carrier No 51 Commercial Vehicle Weight 52 Carrier name

53 Veh No 54 Policy No 55 Ins Code 56 Driver's First Name 57 Driver's Last Name 58 City 59 State 60 Zip 61 State 62 Drivers License No 63 DOB 64 Expires 65 Owner's First Name 66 Owner's Last Name 67 Make 68 Model 69 Color 70 Year 71 Plate No 72 State 73 VIN 74 Expires 75 VIN 76 Vehicle Removed To 77 Authority 78 Alcohol/Drug Test 79 Hazardous Material 80 Carrier No 81 Commercial Vehicle Weight 82 Carrier name

135 Crash Description VI WAS BACKING HIT UTILITY POLE, PUT CAR INTO GEAR, HIT V2 HEAD ON - PUSHED THRU V2 HIT PARKING SIGN PROCEEDED THRU FENCE - HIT BUILDING and CAME TO REST

136 Damage To Other Property PARKING SIGN(S) BURNING COSM (BEVERLY COMMONS)

137 Charge 138 Summons No 139 Charge 140 Summons No

141 Officer's Signature 142 Badge No 143 Reviewed By 144 Case Status

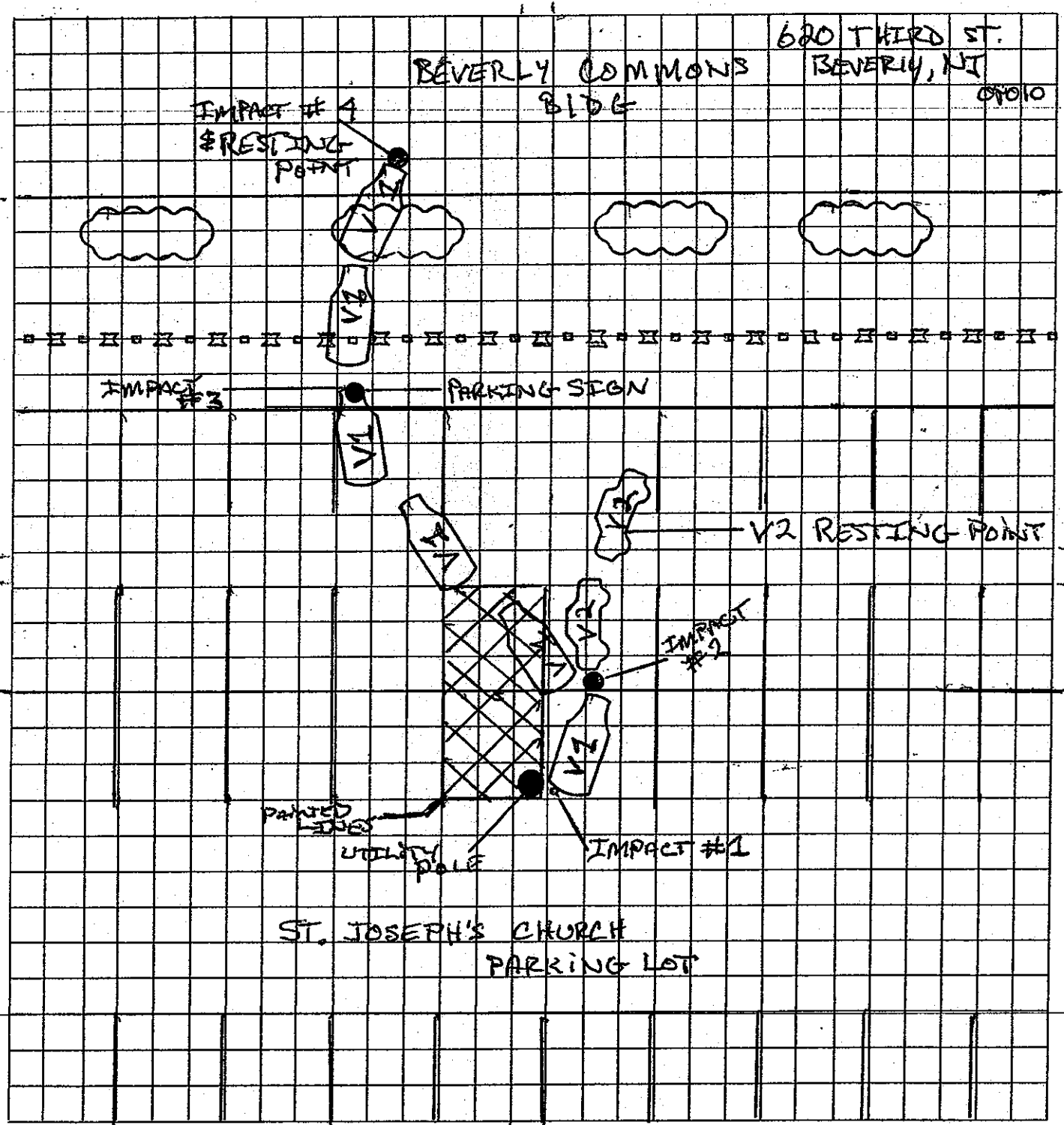
	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	Names & Addresses of Occupants - If Deceased, Date & Time of Death
A	1	1	01	0	53	F	11	08	2	09	01	5303		
B	0			0										
C														
D														
E														

New Jersey Police Crash Investigation Report

Motor Vehicle Crash Diagram

Police Dept: BEVERLY CITY Code: 0302
Station: 120 P09-22 Case No: P09-3451

134-Crash Diagram (NOT TO SCALE)



Officer's Signature

1205

Ref # 10380233

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT DESCRIPTION

Police Agency BEVERLY CITY 0302
Station 120 P09-22 Case No. P09-3451

103 Accident Description
(Refer to vehicle by number)

ALL INVOLVED

	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	NAMES-ADDRESSES OF OCCUPANTS IF DECEASED ALSO INCLUDE DATE & TIME OF DEATH
A												
B												
C												
D												
E												

ON 9-13-09, Sunday @ 15:25 pm V1 was attempting to BACK OUT OF PARKING SPOT. V1 BACKED INTO A UTILITY POLE - MOVE FORWARD, OFF POLE & STRUCK V2 HEAD ON WHICH WAS PARKED (NO PASSENGERS IN V2) V2 PROCEEDED ACROSS PARKING LOT, THRU PARKING SIGN, THRU A CHAIN LINK FENCE, THEN STRUCK BUILDING KNOWN AS BEVERLY COMMONS - 620 THIRD ST, BEVERLY, NJ 08010

- DRIVER OF V1 WAS TRANSPORTED TO LOUDE MEDICAL CENTER WILLINGBORO, NJ # 5303 TO BE EVAL. FOR HER INJURIES

[Signature]

Officer's Signature

1205

Badge Number

To protect the privacy of individuals, NHTSA does not make medical records available to the public without authorization. For this reason, documents falling into this category have not been included in this complaint record.