

INFORMATION ACT (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552(B)(6)				FOR AGENCY USE ONLY 100148	
 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		Date Received MAR 5 2012 14-DEC-2011	
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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)					
Name			Daytime Telephone Number		E-mail Address
Address					
City	State	Zip Code	Evening Telephone Number		
LAKEMOORE	IL				
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	Model Year
IN4BL1E2GC			NISSAN	ALTIMA	2006
Date Purchased	Dealer's Name and Telephone Number		Engine:	Fuel Type:	
3-06	LIBERTY AUTO PLAZA 847-8800		No: Cylinders 6	PREM.	
Original Owner	Dealer's City	State	Zip Code		
☒	LIBERTYVILLE	IL			
Transmission Type	☒ Antilock Brakes	Powertrain	Multiple Failure:	Incident Date(s)	
Auto	☒ Cruise Control			12-DEC-2011	
FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION					
Vehicle Component Code: 162000 STRUCTURE: BODY				Failure Mileage	Failure Speed
				99200	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	Failure Location:			
	☐ Prior Repair				
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	Fire	Number of Persons Injured	Number of Deaths	Reported to Police	
☐ Yes ☒ No	☐ Yes ☒ No			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 2006 NISSAN ALTIMA. THE CONTACT STATED THAT THE VEHICLE WAS BEING EXAMINED BY AN AUTHORIZED DEALER FOR ROUTINE MAINTENANCE AND HE WAS INFORMED THAT THE UNDERCARRIAGE WAS COMPLETELY RUSTED AND CORRODED. THE VEHICLE WAS NOT REPAIRED. THE MANUFACTURER WAS MADE AWARE OF THE FAILURE AND OFFERED NO ASSISTANCE. THE FAILURE MILEAGE WAS 99,200. THE VIN WAS UNAVAILABLE.					
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.					

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CAR WAS TAKEN TO DEALER, AND AUTO
REPAIR SHOPS. I WAS TOLD, CAR WAS
RUSTED BAD ON BOTTOM OF CAR.
BOLTS ON SEAT'S RUSTED, ON INSIDE
OF CAR. CAR WAS TO HIGH MILEAGE
DEALER MANY TIMES FOR SERVICE. THEY
OFFER FREE SAFETY INSPECT. WAS NEVER
TOLD OF PROBLEM...

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has a safety defect?



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Use the enclosed
form to file a report.

or visit:

www.safercar.gov

or call:

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