

 U.S. Department of Transportation National Highway Traffic Safety Administration		INFORMATION ACT (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552(B)(6) 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	
OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print) Name: [REDACTED] Address: [REDACTED] City: ENFIELD State: CT Zip Code: [REDACTED]		Date Received: 17-DEC-2011 Daytime Telephone Number: [REDACTED] Evening Telephone Number: [REDACTED]		Repository: ☐ Reference No.: 10440279 E-mail Address: [REDACTED]	
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 3VWDB61E7XM [REDACTED]		Make: VOLKSWAGEN		Model: CABRIO CONVERTIBLE	
Model Year: 1999		Date Purchased:		Dealer's Name and Telephone Number:	
Original Owner: ☐		Dealer's City:		State: Zip Code:	
Transmission Type: ☐ Antilock Brakes ☐ Cruise Control		Powertrain:		Multiple Failure: Incident Date(s): 09-JUL-2009	
FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION					
Vehicle Component Codes: 030000 SERVICE BRAKES, HYDRAULIC, 200000 WHEELS, 020000 SUSPENSION				Failure Mileage: 110000	
Failure Speed: 55					
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: 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).					
HELLO, I CONTACTED YOU ABOUT 2 YRS AGO WITHOUT F/U DUE TO RECOVERY FROM INJURIES. NOW I HAVE MY CASE ON THE DOCKET TO SUE VW FOR FAULTY DISC/HUB ASSEMBLY THAT SEPARATED DUE TO CORROSION. I HAVE THE PARTS AND PHOTOS TO SUBMIT. I INJURED MY RIGHT ANKLE ON JULY 9, 2009 WHEN THE WHEEL DETACHED FROM MY CAR WITHOUT WARNING AND AFTER IT HAD BEEN RECENTLY INSPECTED AND CLEANED BY BRAKE KING. SIMILAR TO THE JEEP GRAND CHEROKEE RECALL SINCE I OWNED ONE AND HAD THE HUB/DISC ASSEMBLY REPLACED BY STAINLESS STEEL ASSEMBLY. I WISH TO CONTINUE THIS INVESTIGATION SO THAT OTHERS ARE NOT INJURED HEAVEN FORBID. NOW I AM RADY TO HANDLE THE CASE IN COURT AND AM PREPARING FOR THE TRIAL. PLEASE ADVISE AS TO HOW TO DEFEND MY CASE AS THE ONES THAT WERE TRIED ON THE JEEP RECALL AND ACCIDENTS. ALSO, IF YOU NEED MORE INFO PLS CONTACT ME. AFTER THE FINAL PHYSICAL THERAPY AND PERM PARTIAL DISABILITY I INCURRED IN THE ACCIDENT I FEEL THAT THIS CASE NEEDS TO BE INVESTIGATED AND PROSECUTED. I AM AN ENGINEER AND AM SURE THE CORROSION CAUSED THE WHEEL DETACHMENT WHICH WAS DEFINATELY A PRODUCT DEFECT. ESPECIALLY SINCE I HAVE THE RECORDS OF INSPECTION AND SERVICE OF THE BRAKE INVOLVED WHICH CAUSED DETACHMENT OF MY WHEEL ONLY 5 MONTHS LATER AND IN LIGHT OF THE JEEP RECALLS. HAVE A HAPPY, HEALTHY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR. THANX. UPDATED 01/20/12*U					
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.					



PLEASE SEE ATTACHED
SUPPORTING DOCS

THANKX

Thank you for your Vehicle Safety Complaint

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Your Complaint Information has been successfully submitted.

Your Confirmation Number (ODI Number) is: 10440279.

Your Complaint will be available within 72 hours at <http://www-odi.nhtsa.dot.gov/complaints/>.

An acknowledgement was sent to [REDACTED]

1. Vehicle Information

Vehicle Identification Number (VIN):

3VWDB61E7XM [REDACTED]

Make / Model / Year:

VOLKSWAGEN CABRIO CONVERTIBLE 1999

2. Incident Information

Approximate Incident Date:

07/09/2009

Failure Mileage:

110,000

Speed:

55 (mph)

Failed Component(s):

Brakes, Suspension, Wheels

Fire:

No

Crash:

Yes

Persons Injured:

Deaths:

Description:

Hello, I contacted you about 2 yrs ago without f/u due to recovery from injuries. now I have my case on the docket to sue VW for faulty disc/hub assembly that separated due to corrosion. i have the parts and photos to submit. I injured my right ankle on July 9, 2009 when the wheel detached from my car without warning and after it had been recently inspected and cleaned by Brake king. similar to the jeep grand cherokee recall since i owned one and had the hub/disc assembly replaced by stainless steel assembly. I wish to continue this investigation so that others are not injured heaven forbid. Now i am rady to handle the case in court and am preparing for the trial. please advise as to how to defend my case as the ones that were tried on the jeep recall and accidents. also, if you need more info pls contact me. After the final physical therapy and perm partial disability i incurred in the accident i feel that this case needs to be investigated and prosecuted. i am an engineer and am sure the corrosion caused the wheel detachment which was definately a product defect. especially since i have the records of inspection and service of the brake involved which caused detachement of my wheel only 5 months later and in light of the jeep recalls. have a happy, healthy and prosperous new year. thanx.

3. Personal Information

Name: [REDACTED]

Email: [REDACTED]

Daytime Phone: [REDACTED]

Evening Phone: [REDACTED]

Address1: [REDACTED]

Address2: [REDACTED]

City, State, Zip:
enfield, CT [REDACTED]

1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE, West Building Washington DC 20590 USA 1.888.327.4236 TTY 1.800.424.9153

ENFIELD CT
JULY 8, 2011

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NHA ORIG

VW OF AMERICA INC
2200 FREEDANENT PORSCHE DR
HERNDON, VA
ATTN: ATTY OFFICE

DEAR SIR/MADAM:

HERE IS A SUMMARY
CONCERNING MY CASE AGAINST VW.
I DO NOT HAVE THE INFO ABOUT
THE SELLER AS I THOUGHT. IT
IS SURELY ON RECORD WITH CT DMV.
I AM WORKING ON GETTING AN EXPERT
OPINION ON THE HUB DISC ASSEMBLY
SEPARATION. WILL PLAN TO GET
THE POLICE REPORT IN MIDDLETOWN CT
WHEN I GET MY MONTHLY SSDI
INCOME. LASTLY, HERE IS A BRIEF
SUMMARY OF MY CASE AND SOME
OF THE PEOPLE AND ORGANIZATIONS
INVOLVED IN MY PERMANENT PARTIAL
DISABILITY FROM THE VW HUB DISC
SEPARATION.

THE ACCIDENT OCCURRED ON
JULY 9, 2009. I WAS RETURNING HOME
FROM AN APPOINTMENT WITH MY
PSYCHIATRIST DR. DALE WALLINGTON
IN WEST HARTFORD CT. WHILE TRAVEL
ON RTE 84E TO GET TO RTE 91N,
APPROX. 20 MIN. AFTER MY DR. APPT.
MY VW CABRIO SUDDENLY AND
WITHOUT WARNING (DURING PMR VISIT HOUR)

SPUN AROUND A FEW TIMES UNTIL⁴
THE VW STOPPED ON THE GASSY
MEDIAN HWY DIVIDER. THE FIRST
PERSON I SPOKE WITH SAID HE SAW
MY WHEEL CROSS THE MEDIAN AND
CALLED 911. AN AUTOMOBILE ON THE
OTHER SIDE OF THE HWY HIT MY
WHEEL WITH MINOR AUTO DAMAGES.
NOONE THANK HEAVEN HIT MY CAR
AS IT SPUN AND THE AUTO THAT
HIT MY TIRE HAD MINOR FRONT END
DAMAGE AND THE DRIVER WITH A
CHILD IN THE REAR SEAT RESTRAINT
REPORTED NO INJURIES. HOWEVER,
THE FLAP (TRANSPLANT FROM LEFT ARM
TO MEDIAL RIGHT ANKLE) HEALING
FROM A MOTORCYCLE EXHAUST PIPE
BURN (AND SUBSEQUENT FRACTURES OF
MY RIGHT TIBIA DUE TO THAT BURN)
IN AUGUST, 2008 WAS INJURED
SINCE IT BECAME SWOLLEN WITHOUT
ABATEMENT. SINCE THE FLAP
SURGERY IN OCTOBER, 2008 THE
SUBJECT AREA WOULD SWELL BY
EVENING AND THE SWELLING ALWAYS
ABATED AFTER SLEEP. I WAS IN
PHYSICAL THERAPY AT AN OUTPATIENT
UNIT OF JOHNSON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
CALLED HEALTHTRAX IN ENFIELD, CT FOR
MY RIGHT LEG INJURIES BUT HAD TO
DISCONTINUE THE THERAPY AFTER THE
VW ACCIDENT SINCE MY FLAP BECAME
RESENTLESSLY VERY SWOLLEN, PAINFUL
AND DEVELOPED 2 ULCERS THAT SECRETED
BLOODY EXUDATES IN THE TIBIAL IM NAIL SCREEN

AREA
PROXIMAL TO
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LOCATED UNDER THE FLAP (IT WAS LATER DETERMINED THAT MOVEMENT OF THE SCREW CAUSED THE INFLAMMATION). IN ADDITION TO PHYSICAL THERAPY I WAS GIVEN HELP AT HOME (CLEANING, MEALS, ETC.) BY "HOMEMAKERS AND COMPANIONS" (LOOKED IN ENFIELD CT), TWICE A WEEK. THEREFORE, RECORDS FROM HEALTHTRAX AND HOMEMAKERS AND COMPANIONS WILL HAVE NOTES CONCERNING MY INJURY INCURRED FROM THE VW ACCIDENT. NEXT, I WENT TO YALE NEW HAVEN ORTHOPEDIC FRACTURE CLINIC, POST VW ACCIDENT, AND WENT TO YALE NEW HAVEN, DR. MICHAEL MATTHEW WITH POST ACCIDENT FLAP INJURY COMPLAINTS. ON OCTOBER 8, 2009 DR. MATTHEW PERFORMED RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY ON THE INFLAMED SWOLLEN FLAP IN AN ATTEMPT TO REDUCE THE RELENTLESS EXTREME SWELLING, PAIN AND DISCHARGES FROM FLAP ULCER. SHE WAS THE PLASTIC SURGEON THAT PERFORMED THE FLAP SURGERY IN OCTOBER, 2008 AFTER MY AUGUST, 2008 MOTORCYCLE EXHAUST PIPE BURN. THE DOCTORS AT THE YALE NEW HAVEN ORTHO CLINIC PLACED THE TIBIAL IM NAIL AND SCREWS AFTER THE FLAP (INITIAL) SURGERY DUE TO BONE DAMAGES AND SUBSEQUENT COMPOUND FRACTURE OF THE RIGHT TIBIA FROM THE MOTORCYCLE BURN (CAUSED AREAS OF DEAD BONE DUE TO THE HEAT FROM THE BURN). THE IM NAIL SURGERY WAS DONE ON MARCH 15, 2009.

I BEGAN PHYSICAL THERAPY AFTER IM NAIL AND SCREW SURGERY AND WAS HAVING MINIMAL SWELLING OF THE FLAP SITE WHICH ABATED EVERY NIGHT. THEN I INJURED THE FLAP IN THE VW ACCIDENT ON 7/9/09 (CAUSING SCREW SLIPPAGE) WHICH CAUSED EXTREME NON ABATEABLE SWELLING OF THE FLAP WITH PAIN AND FORMATION OF 2 ULCERS WHERE THE SCREWS WERE MOVED AS A RESULT OF THE VW ACCIDENT. (SEE ABOVE FOR MORE DETAILS AND SUBSEQUENT FLAP RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY). AFTER THE FLAP RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY MY FLAP CONTINUED TO BE PROBLEMATIC AND AN ABSCESS FORMED AGAIN IN THE AREA OF IM NAIL SCREW INJURY INCURRED DURING THE VW ACCIDENT. THEREFORE, SURGERY AT YALE NEW HAVEN BY ORTHO SURGEONS DR SUMNER AND DR SAIF WAS PERFORMED ON DECEMBER 24, 2009 TO REMOVE THE TIBIAL IM NAIL AND SCREWS. AT THAT POINT THE SURGEONS DETERMINED THAT SCREW DISPLACEMENT FROM THE JULY, 2009 VW ACCIDENT WAS THE PROBLEM THAT CAUSED ALL SYMPTOMS POST ACCIDENT. REMOVAL OF THE IM NAIL AND SCREWS WAS "DIFFICULT" DUE TO ADHERENCE OF THE IM NAIL SO MY RIGHT KNEE BECAME PERMANENTLY DAMAGED WHILE REMOVAL OF THE IM NAIL FROM THE TIBIA THROUGH THE KNEE AREA. I STAYED HOSPITALIZED AT YALE FOR 4 DAYS

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AFTER REMOVAL OF THE IM NAIL AND
SCREWS, AS A RESULT OF THE DIFFICULTY
AND DAMAGES ^{INJURED} DURING THE OPERATION, WHICH
WAS A NECESSARY PROCEDURE. PRIOR TO THE SURGERY ON DEC. 24, 2009,
I WAS SEEN AT JOHNSON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL ER, ON 12/11/09 WITH
SEVERAL COMPLAINTS, INCLUDING DISCHARGE FROM THE FLAP ABCESS
IN THE AREA AROUND THE IM NAIL SCREW THAT HAD MOVED DURING THE
VW ACCIDENT. THE ABCESS WAS IN THE "HARDENED" STAGE AND LIQUIFIED
A FEW DAYS AFTER MY VISIT THE ER, WHICH SUBSEQUENTLY REQUIRED IM
NAIL AND SCREW REMOVAL SURGERY AS INDICATED ABOVE. POST SURGICAL
RECOVERY WAS SLOW DUE TO THE TRAUMATIC OPERATION CAUSING AN EXTENDED
PERIOD OF PAIN, KNEE AND ANKLE INSTABILITY AND SWELLING. ON 1/25/10
ALL REMAINING SURGICAL SKIN STAPLES WERE REMOVED AT YALE. IN A LETTER
DATED JANUARY 10, 2010 FOR MY LONG TERM DISABILITY INSURANCE
COMPANY (THE HARTFORD, HARTFORD CT) I STATED THAT "I AM 100% DISABLED
CURRENTLY AND HOMEBOUND SINCE THE 7/9/09 ACCIDENT WHEN MY FLAP
WAS INJURED".

SUBSEQUENTLY MY FLAP SLOWLY HEALED. THERE MUST HAVE BEEN SEVERAL F/U
APPTS WITH THE YALE DOCTORS. RECENTLY I RESTARTED PHYSICAL
THERAPY AT THE RHODE ISLAND REHAB.

HOSPITAL. MY LOWER LEG REQUIRES
COMPRESSION STOCKINGS AND ACE WRAP
BUT THE SWELLING ABATES. THERE
IS STILL PAIN IN MY RIGHT THIA AND
KNEE STIFFNESS/INSTABILITY POST
IM NAIL/SCREWS REMOVAL. I DISCONTINUE
PHYS. THERAPY IN RI SINCE RETURNING
TO CT AND PLAN TO RESTART IT
SOON. I WALK WITH A CANE TO
HELP STABILIZE MY RIGHT FLAP
INJURY AND KNEE. THERE HAVE BEEN
NO OTHER INCIDENTS OF NON ABATING
SWELLING, PAIN AND/OR ULCERS IN
THE HEALING FLAP AREA.

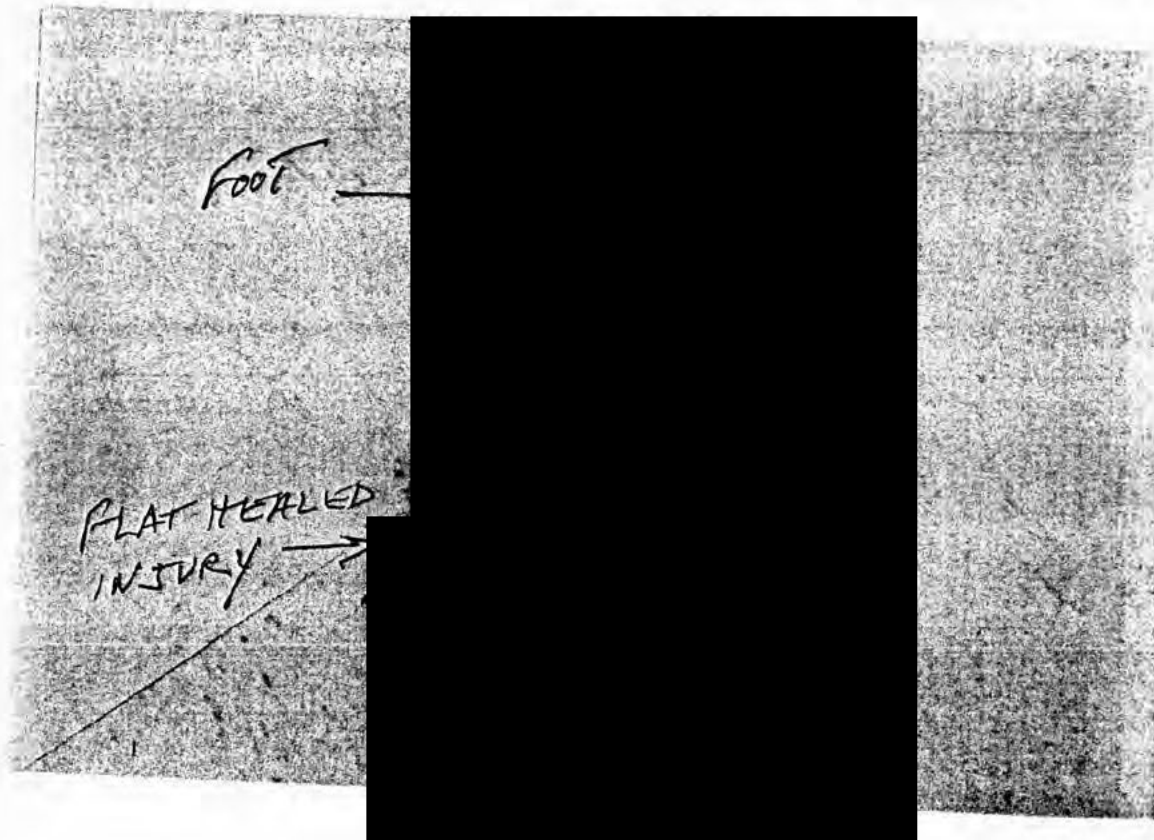
IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS
PLEASE CONTACT ME AT MY CURRENT
ADDRESS (SEE P.1) OR CALL ME AT
HOME (TEL# [REDACTED])

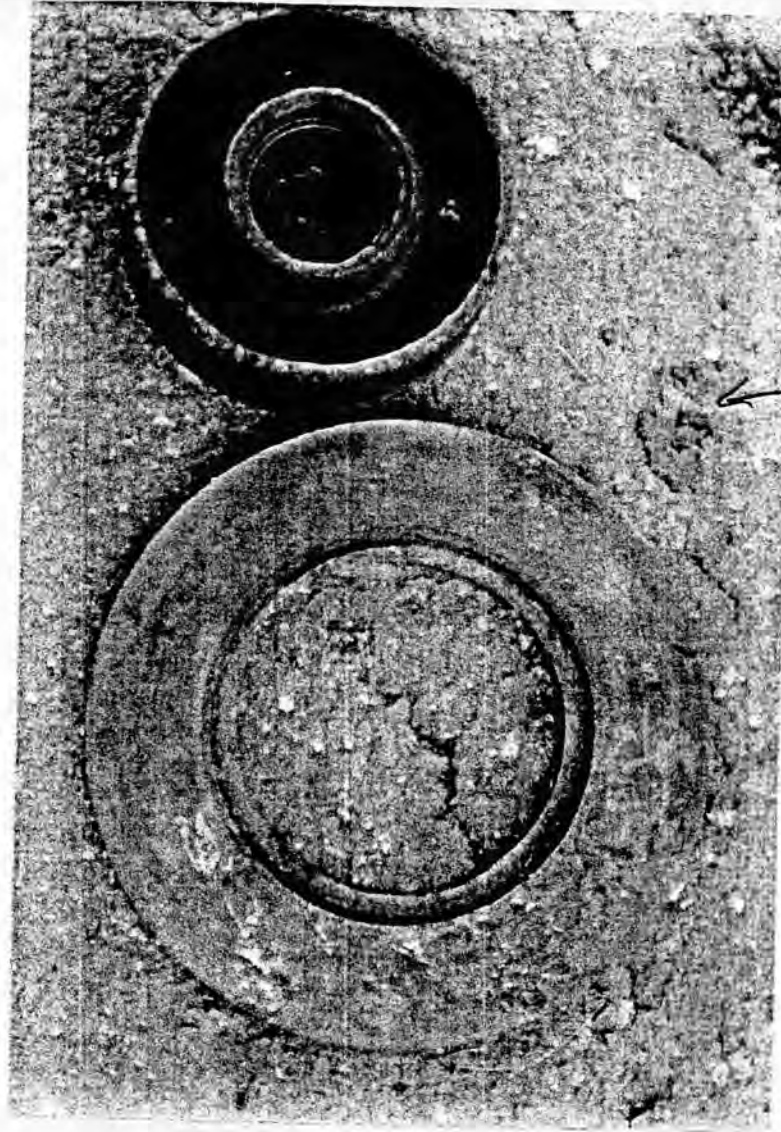
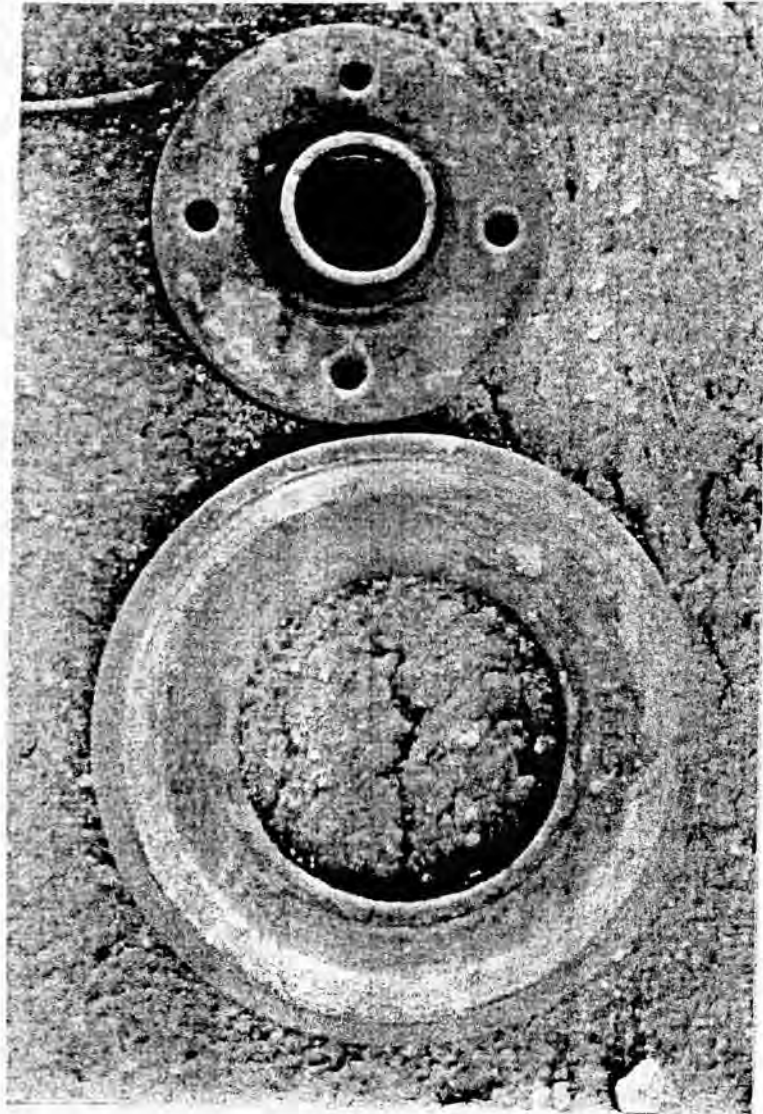
SINCERELY,
[REDACTED]

P.S. - I HAVE ATTACHED A COPY OF REAR BRAKE
SERVICE FROM BRAKE KING.

- ② DEFECTIVE PART
- ③ HEALING LEG WOUNDS

PHOTO 12/26/10 LOOKING DOWN @
Ⓡ FOOT AND HEALED INJURY. NOTE LACK OF
SWELLING





OWNER COPY
FOR ERNIE
COHEN, PHD, PE
SENT

← SHOWS AREAS
OF SEPARATION

CORROSION
SEEN ON
COLOR COPY
SENT FOR
EVALUATION
BY AN
ENGINEER
(PHD, P.E.)
ALSO, I HAVE
THE PARTS
STORED FOR
EXAMINATION.

VW SEPARATED HUB/DISC ASSEMBLY
(BOTH SIDES OF EACH PART)

BRAKE KING AUTOMOTIVE INC.

DISCOUNT AUTOSERVICE SUPERCENTERS
DENT KING • PROFESSIONAL PAINTLESS DENT REMOVAL

867 Boston Rd.
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22 Franklin St.
Westfield, MA 01085
(413) 572-1735

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Chicopee, MA 01013
(413) 557-6908

236 Pleasant St.
Northampton, MA 01060
(413) 584-4988

BRAKE KING AUTOMOTIVE, INC.
1179 EAST COLUMBUS AVE
SPRINGFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS 01105
PHONE---> 413 788-9244 <---PHONE

ENFIELD

CT

MAKE: VOLKSWAG
MILES: 105510

MODEL: CABRIOLE
LICENSE: [REDACTED]

YEAR: 99
BY: BBM

(413) 788-9244 02/02/09 INVOICE 950184

SHOP LABOR DESCRIPTION	MECH	AMOUNT
*METALLIC FRONT BRAKE SPECIAL----->	JPT	59.95

INCLUDES: REPLACEMENT OF FRONT PADS, REPLACE BRAKE ROTORS, CLEAN AND REPACK WHEEL BEARINGS AS NEEDED, AND ROAD TEST VEHICLE.		

INSTALL FRONT BRAKE ROTORS	JPT	N/C

SERVICE FRONT CALIPERS	JPT	69.00

SERVICE REAR CALIPERS	JPT	N/C

* SUPER LUBE OIL & FILTER SPECIAL-->	JPT	8.50
INCLUDES :UP TO 5 QUARTS OF PREMIUM MOTOR OIL, REPLACE WITH A QUALITY PREMIUM OIL FILTER, COMPLETE CHASSIS LUBRICATION AND FREE TIRE ROTATION AND BRAKE INSPECTION.		

HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSAL FEE	JPT	3.00

B R A K E K I N G
WILL GIVE YOU A FREE
FOUR WHEEL ALIGNMENT
WITH PURCHASE OF A
BRAKE JOB, STRUTS, OR
PURCHASE OF NEW TIRES

FAIL INSPECTION TEST?
DON'T DESPAIR
COME TO US FOR REPAIR

QTY	PART NUMBER
5	10W30
1	V252
2	3464

PARTS	NAME OF PART
	MOTOR OIL
	OIL FILTER
	FRONT BRAKE ROTOR

PRICE
8.50
5.00
159.90

I hereby authorize the repair work to be done along with necessary material, and hereby grant you and / or your employees permission to operate the vehicle herein described on streets, highways or elsewhere for the purpose of testing and / or inspection. An express mechanic's lien is hereby acknowledged on above vehicle to secure the amount of repairs thereto.

X

CUSTOMER SIGNATURE

CONNECTICUT UNIFORM POLICE ACCIDENT REPORT

FORM PR-1 REV.01.01

READINGS: Latitude: 41.749154

Longitude: -72.716955



FOR DOT USE ONLY

DATE OF ACCIDENT 07/09/09	MILITARY TIME 1626	ACCIDENT SEVERITY ☐ Fatal ☐ Injury ☒ PDO	# VEHICLES INVOLVED 2	PAGE # 1 of 3	POLICE CASE NUMBER A 0900353331
TOWN OR CITY NAME West Hartford		TOWN CODE T 1 5 5			
ACCIDENT OCCURRED ON (Street Name or Route #) AT ITS INTERSECTION WITH (Street Name or Route #) I-84 EB/WB at					

IF NOT AT INTERSECTION ☒ Feet 2. DIRECTION 3. NAME OF NEAREST INTERSECTING STREET, TOWN LINE OR MILE MARKER

1. MEASURE DISTANCE ☐ Tenth ☐ North ☐ East of Exit 44 on ramp
(Check Appropriate Boxes) 50.00 ☐ Meters ☐ South ☒ West
☐ Kilometers

Accident Occurred: ☐ On Private Property ☐ Parking Lot

TRAFFIC UNIT # 1 ☒ Vehicle ☐ Pedestrian ☐ Non-Contact Vehicle			
OPERATOR # 1 or PEDESTRIAN NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) [REDACTED]			
ADDRESS (Street Number and Name) [REDACTED]		PROPER LICENSE CLASS ☒ Yes ☐ No	
CITY OR TOWN Enfield	STATE CT	ZIP CODE [REDACTED]	SEX ☒ M ☐ F
OPERATOR LICENSE # [REDACTED]	STATE CT	DATE OF BIRTH [REDACTED]	
OWNER'S NAME (Enter SAME if Owner is Operator) SAME AS ABOVE			
ADDRESS (Street Number and Name) SAME AS ABOVE			
CITY OR TOWN SAME AS ABOVE	STATE	ZIP CODE	BODY TYPE CONVT
REGISTRATION # [REDACTED]	STATE CT	VEHICLE YEAR AND MAKE 1999 VOLK	
VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER 3 V W D B 6 1 E 7 X M [REDACTED]			
CARRIER NAME [REDACTED]			
CARRIER ADDRESS (#, Street, City or Town, State, Zip Code) [REDACTED]			
SOURCE OF CARRIER NAME ☐ Shipping Papers/Trip Manifest ☐ Driver ☐ Side of Vehicle		☐ USDOT # ☐ ICCMC #	
GROSS VEHICLE WEIGHT [REDACTED]	HAZARDOUS MATERIAL PLACARD REQUIRED? ☐ Yes ☐ No 4 Digit # DISPLAYED? ☐ Yes ☐ No 1 Digit #		
RATING # [REDACTED]	HAZARDOUS CARGO RELEASED? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Arrest ☐ Written Warning ☐ Verbal Warning		
STATUTE OR ORDINANCE #S [REDACTED]		SUBJECT OF ACTION ☐ Operator ☐ Carrier ☐ Owner ☐ Pedestrian	
AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE - NAME - POLICY # DAIRYLAND [REDACTED]			
PARTS OF VEHICLE DAMAGED 1			
VEHICLE TOWED TO: MCKENSIE AUTO ☒ TOWED DUE TO DAMAGE			

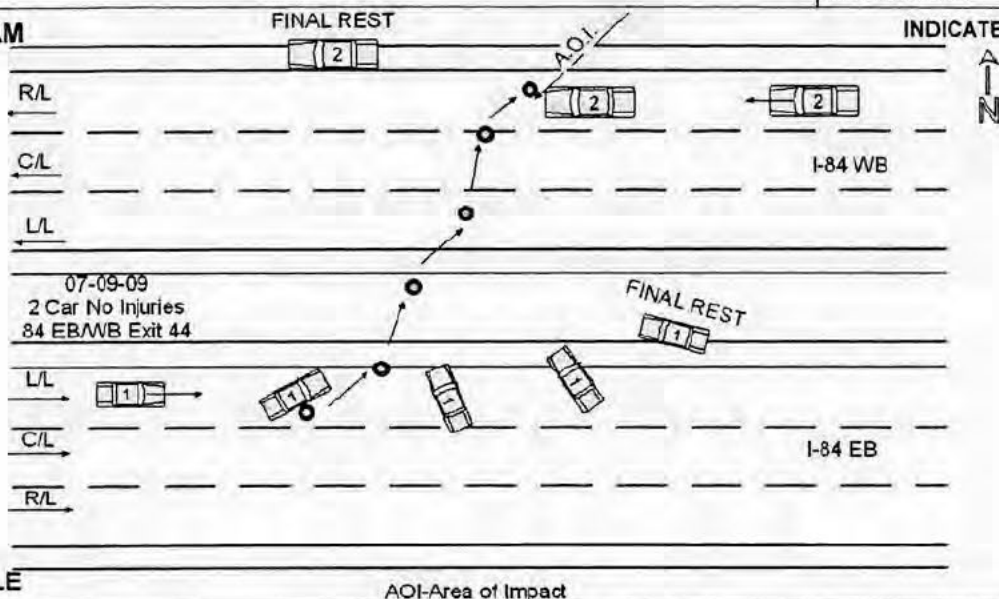
TRAFFIC UNIT # 2 ☒ Vehicle ☐ Pedestrian ☐ Non-Contact Vehicle			
OPERATOR # 2 PEDESTRIAN NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) [REDACTED]			
ADDRESS (Street Number and Name) [REDACTED]		PROPER LICENSE CLASS ☒ Yes ☐ No	
CITY OR TOWN Bristol	STATE CT	ZIP CODE [REDACTED]	SEX ☐ M ☒ F
OPERATOR LICENSE # [REDACTED]	STATE CT	DATE OF BIRTH [REDACTED]	
OWNER'S NAME (Enter SAME if Owner is Operator) SAME AS ABOVE			
ADDRESS (Street Number and Name) SAME AS ABOVE			
CITY OR TOWN SAME AS ABOVE	STATE	ZIP CODE	BODY TYPE 4D SED
REGISTRATION # [REDACTED]	STATE CT	VEHICLE YEAR AND MAKE 1999 OLDS	
VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER 1 G 3 N L 5 2 T 8 X C [REDACTED]			
CARRIER NAME [REDACTED]			
CARRIER ADDRESS (#, Street, City or Town, State, Zip Code) [REDACTED]			
SOURCE OF CARRIER NAME ☐ Shipping Papers/Trip Manifest ☐ Driver ☐ Side of Vehicle		☐ USDOT # ☐ ICCMC #	
GROSS VEHICLE WEIGHT [REDACTED]	HAZARDOUS MATERIAL PLACARD REQUIRED? ☐ Yes ☐ No 4 Digit # DISPLAYED? ☐ Yes ☐ No 1 Digit #		
RATING # [REDACTED]	HAZARDOUS CARGO RELEASED? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Arrest ☐ Written Warning ☐ Verbal Warning		
STATUTE OR ORDINANCE #S [REDACTED]		SUBJECT OF ACTION ☐ Operator ☐ Carrier ☐ Owner ☐ Pedestrian	
AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE - NAME - POLICY # GEICO [REDACTED]			
PARTS OF VEHICLE DAMAGED FRONT END			
VEHICLE TOWED TO: N/A ☐ TOWED DUE TO DAMAGE			

	L	M	N	NAME AND ADDRESS OF EACH INVOLVED PERSON	Date of Birth	O	P	Q
1	1	N	01	TRAFFIC UNIT # 1 OPERATOR OR PEDESTRIAN # 1		4	3	1 1
2	2	N	01	TRAFFIC UNIT # 2 OPERATOR OR PEDESTRIAN # 2		4	3	1 2
3	2	N	06	BRISTOL, CT		5	3	1 3
4					Month Day Year			4
5					Month Day Year			5
6					Month Day Year			6
7					Month Day Year			7
8					Month Day Year			8

ACCIDENT DIAGRAM

FINAL REST

INDICATE NORTH



TRAFFIC UNIT # 1 TRAVELING
East On I-84

TRAFFIC UNIT # 2 TRAVELING
West On I-84

Vehicle #1 was traveling eastbound on I-84 when his right rear tire came off of his vehicle sending his vehicle into a spin. The tire from Vehicle #1 then crossed the median and struck the front end of vehicle #2 which was traveling westbound on I-84. No injuries were reported on scene and Vehicle #1 was towed due to damage by McKensie Auto.

Operator #1 explained that he was traveling in an unknown lane on 84 eastbound in the area of exit 44 when his vehicle lost a tire and sent his vehicle into a spin. Operator #1 was identified through his Ct drivers license [REDACTED] as [REDACTED] (dob [REDACTED]). [REDACTED] explained that he was traveling at about 50 miles per hour when his vehicle went into a spin and he observed that a tire had come off his vehicle and went onto the other side of the highway. [REDACTED] explained that he was not injured but had a previous broken leg that was okay and he stated that he was not in need of medical attention.

Operator #2 explained that she was traveling in the right lane on 84 westbound in the area of exit 44, when she observed a tire come across the roadway from her left and she attempted to avoid the tire however was unable to because of the current heavy traffic. Operator #2 was identified through her Ct drivers license [REDACTED] (photo id), as [REDACTED] (dob [REDACTED]). [REDACTED] explained that the tire came across the roadway and was unable to avoid the tire before it struck the front right side of her vehicle. [REDACTED] stated that her and her passenger [REDACTED] (dob [REDACTED]) were not injured and were not in need of medical attention.

Upon my arrival I observed that each section of roadway was a three lane paved section of roadway with a

DAMAGE TO PROPERTY OTHER THAN INVOLVED VEHICLES	1. DESCRIBE THE NATURE AND EXTENT OF PROPERTY DAMAGE					
	NAME AND ADDRESS OF PROPERTY OWNER					
	2. DESCRIBE THE NATURE AND EXTENT OF PROPERTY DAMAGE					
	NAME AND ADDRESS OF PROPERTY OWNER					
RANK AND SIGNATURE OF INVESTIGATING OFFICER Trooper MIKEAL, SEAN A. <i>[Signature]</i>		OFFICER ID 0684	POLICE AGENCY IDENTIFICATION CSP	REPORT DATE 07/09/2009	CASE STATUS PR-1 (closed)	SUPERVISOR <i>[Signature]</i>

ACCIDENT DIAGRAM

INDICATE NORTH

TRAFFIC UNIT # TRAVELING
OnTRAFFIC UNIT # TRAVELING
On

grass median which sloped up from the level of the roadway on both the eastbound and westbound sides. The roadway was dry and free of debris, and the weather was clear. Traffic was heavy due to rush hour. Operator #2 was on the westbound side right shoulder inside of her vehicle and there was minor damage to the front end of Vehicle #2. Operator #1 was outside of his vehicle upon my arrival and his vehicle was on the eastbound side left shoulder facing oncoming traffic.

Based on my investigation, operator statements, vehicle damage, scene examination, and all other aforementioned details, it is my conclusion that Operator #1 experienced a mechanical failure which was beyond his control, therefore causing the occurrence of this accident. Based on the above circumstances no enforcement action was issued.

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RANK AND SIGNATURE OF INVESTIGATING OFFICER Trooper MIKEAL, SEAN A. <i>[Signature]</i>		OFFICER ID 0684	POLICE AGENCY IDENTIFICATION CSP	REPORT DATE 07/09/2009	CASE STATUS SUPERVISOR PR-1 (closed) <i>[Signature]</i>

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