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Dear Representative,

I filled a vehicle safety complaint on July 28, 2014 with your agency for my Acura 3.0 CL (1999). Now, I am trying to get the status of my complaint. I never received any correspondence from Acura Manufacturer since that period.

Honda Motor Co. LTD (Acura) made safety recalls for models 3.2 CLs (2001 – 2003), and models 3.2 TLs (2000-2003) only. I do believe Honda Motors to avoid the cost of fixing the 3.0 CLs (1999) the company only made these stated recalls. In reality, the transmission of Acura 3.0 CLs presents the same transmission defect. Honda Motor Co was contacted in July for the **gear tooth chipping**, but no further action was taken by the manufacturer to fix the problem. This is a safety concern. Why? If a car is following my car on the road and inadvertently my car slow down or almost stops, the car behind me will hit my bumper at full speed. And at higher speed the crash could be vital.

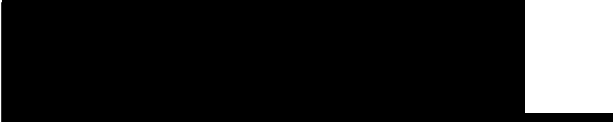
I wanted to expose the fact to your agency in search of a solution. These cars are still on the road and you never know that one of you may be driving behind an Acura 3.0 CL when this situation will emerge.

Thank you in advance for accepting to look closely at the problem.

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

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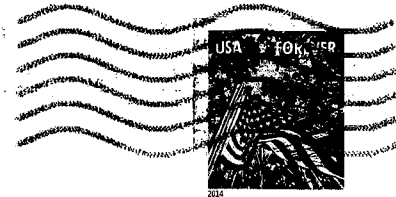


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