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 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		FOR AGENCY USE ONLY 100148	
OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)		Date Received 12-FEB-2015		Repository ☐	
Name [REDACTED]		Daytime Telephone Number [REDACTED]		Reference No. 10682973	
Address [REDACTED]		Evening Telephone Number 16 16		E-mail Address [REDACTED]	
City WISCONSIN RAPIDS		State WI		Zip Code [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 3C8FY4BB21T [REDACTED]		Make CHRYSLER		Model PT CRUISER	
Model Year 2001		Engine: No. Cylinders 4		Fuel Type: Gas	
Date Purchased last Fall		Dealer's Name and Telephone Number Private Owner		Original Owner ☐	
Dealer's City Chicago		State IL		Zip Code ?	
Transmission Type Auto		☒ Antilock Brakes ☒ Cruise Control		Powertrain 4-cylinder	
Multiple Failure: Fog lamp electrical		Incident Date(s) 12-DEC-2014			
FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION					
Vehicle Component Code: 110000 ELECTRICAL SYSTEM				Failure Mileage 136000	
Fog lamp plug in steering column				Failure Speed 30	
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 0	
Number of Deaths 0		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 2001 CHRYSLER PT CRUISER. WHILE DRIVING APPROXIMATELY 30 MPH, THE CONTACT SMELLED A BURNING ODOR AND DISCOVERED A PLUG MELTED AND THAT THE FOG LIGHTS WERE NOT ILLUMINATING. THE VEHICLE WAS INSPECTED BY AN INDEPENDENT MECHANIC AND REPAIRED. THE CONTACT DID NOT HAVE THE NAME OF THE PARTS THAT WERE REPLACED. THE FAILURE CONTINUED TO OCCUR. THE MANUFACTURER WAS NOTIFIED OF THE FAILURE. THE APPROXIMATE FAILURE MILEAGE WAS 136,000.					
The mechanic and I went to a Auto Salvage yard To find a new electrical plug for the fog lamps and discovered all of the P.T. cruiser fog lamp plugs were also burned out.					
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.					

