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 U.S. Department of Transportation National Highway Traffic Safety Administration		INFORMATION ACT (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552(B)(6) DOT Auto Safety Hotline		DOT Agency Use ONLY 100148									
		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 23-JUL-2015		Repository ☐ Reference No. 10735990							
OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)													
Name		Address		City		State		Zip Code		Daytime Telephone Number		E-mail Address	
				NEWFOUNDLAND		PA				Same			
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					
WAUML54D41N				AUDI		A8 L		2001					
Date Purchased		Dealer's Name and Telephone Number				Engine:		Fuel Type:					
		Locklin Auto Sales				No: Cylinders		Gas					
Original Owner		Dealer's City		State		Zip Code							
		Hamlin PA		PA									
Transmission Type		☒ Antilock Brakes		Powertrain		Multiple Failure:		Incident Date(s)					
Auto		☒ Cruise Control		AWD				15-JUN-2015					
FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION													
Vehicle Component Codes: 100000 POWER TRAIN, FUEL/PROPULSION SYSTEM (PWS)								Failure Mileage		Failure Speed			
								86000		8-3 MPH			
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		Fire		Number of Persons Injured		Number of Deaths		Reported to Police					
☐ Yes ☒ No		☐ Yes ☒ No		0		0		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 AUDI A8. UPON TRYING TO SHIFT INTO DRIVE, THE VEHICLE FAILED TO MOVE FORWARD AND THERE WAS NO RESPONSE UPON PRESSING THE ACCELERATOR PEDAL. THE VEHICLE WAS ABLE TO BE SHIFTED INTO REVERSE, BUT NOT INTO DRIVE. THE CONTACT STATED THAT THE INDEPENDENT MECHANIC INSPECTED THE VEHICLE AND STATED THAT THE FUEL FILLER NECK NEEDED TO BE REPLACED WHICH WAS CAUSING THE FAILURE. THE CONTACT WAS NOT INCLUDED IN NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID NUMBER: 08V397000 (POWER TRAIN) AND NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID NUMBER: 01V259000 (FUEL SYSTEM, GASOLINE). THE VEHICLE WAS TO BE FURTHER DIAGNOSED BY THE INDEPENDENT MECHANIC. THE MANUFACTURER WAS NOTIFIED OF THE FAILURE. THE APPROXIMATE FAILURE MILEAGE WAS 86,000.													
Additionally - The car is AWD But does not do well in winter conditions, I slipped & spun around on less than 2" of snow, so cannot drive in winter													
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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Tried to move car from Park to Drive - Car would not move. However it did go in reverse. Also: I was Driving in less than 2" of snow & the Car Spun out and I Slipped off of the Side of the road. I don't know if the AWD is working & to get an Audi tested for "anything" is very expensive.

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has a safety defect?**



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Use the enclosed
form to file a report.**

**or visit:
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**or call:
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