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 U.S. Department of Transportation National Highway Traffic Safety Administration		Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire To Report Vehicle Safety Defects 1-888-DASH-2-DOT (1-888-327-4236) INTERNET: www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline		INFORMATION ACT (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552(B)(6) DOT Auto Safety Hotline		FOR AGENCY USE ONLY 100148	
				Date Received FEB 25 2013 08-JAN-2016 FEB 25 2013		Repository ☐ Reference No. 10818978	
OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)							
Name							
Address							
City	DAWSON	State	MN	Zip Code			
Daytime Telephone Number		E-mail Address					
Evening Telephone Number							
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	
1D7HU18D43S				DODGE	RAM 1500	2003	
Date Purchased	Dealer's Name and Telephone Number			Engine:	Fuel Type:		
2005				No: Cylinders			
Original Owner	Dealer's City	State	Zip Code				
Transmission Type	☐ Antilock Brakes	Powertrain	Multiple Failure:		Incident Date(s)		
	☐ Cruise Control				29-MAY-2015		
FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION							
Vehicle Component Code: 140000 AIR BAGS					Failure Mileage	Failure Speed	
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					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* TAKATA RECALL. THE CONTACT OWNS A 2003 DODGE RAM 1500. THE CONTACT RECEIVED NOTIFICATION OF NHTSA CAMPAIGN NUMBER: 15V312000 (AIR BAGS); HOWEVER, THE PART TO DO THE REPAIR WAS UNAVAILABLE. THE CONTACT STATED THAT THE MANUFACTURER EXCEEDED A REASONABLE AMOUNT OF TIME FOR THE RECALL REPAIR. THE MANUFACTURER WAS MADE AWARE OF THE ISSUE. THE CONTACT HAD NOT EXPERIENCED A FAILURE. VIN TOOL CONFIRMS PARTS NOT AVAILABLE.							
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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I called the Nat'l. Highway Safety Admin., the Dodge customer service, and several Dodge dealers regarding the airbag replacement because of my concern about the serious safety issue and the lack of response to remedy the situation.

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has a safety defect?**



If so:

**Use the enclosed
form to file a report.**

or visit:

www.safercar.gov

or call:

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