


INFORMATION ACT (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552(B)(6) DOT Auto Safety Hotline  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		FOR AGENCY USE ONLY 100148 Date Received 04-APR-2016 Repository <input type="checkbox"/> Reference No. 10853216	
OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)			
Name		Daytime Telephone Number	
Address		E-mail Address	
City	State	Zip Code	Evening Telephone Number
STATEN ISLAND	NY		
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
JHMGE8H3XDC		HONDA	FIT
Model Year		2013	
Date Purchased	Dealer's Name and Telephone Number	Engine:	Fuel Type:
13-FEB-13	HONDA OF STATEN ISLAND	No: Cylinders 4	Gas
Original Owner	Dealer's City	State	Zip Code
<input type="checkbox"/>	STATEN ISLAND	NY	10305
Transmission Type	<input type="checkbox"/> Antilock Brakes	Powertrain	Multiple Failure:
	<input type="checkbox"/> Cruise Control		Incident Date(s)
			04-APR-2016
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)	<input type="checkbox"/> Original Equipment	Failure Location:	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Prior Repair		
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
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
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* TAKATA RECALL. THE CONTACT OWNS A 2013 HONDA FIT. THE CONTACT RECEIVED NOTIFICATION OF NHTSA CAMPAIGN NUMBER: 16V061000 (AIR BAGS); HOWEVER, THE PART NEEDED TO REPAIR THE VEHICLE WAS UNAVAILABLE. THE CONTACT STATED THAT THE MANUFACTURER EXCEEDED A REASONABLE AMOUNT OF TIME FOR THE RECALL REPAIR. THE MANUFACTURER WAS NOT NOTIFIED OF THE ISSUE. THE CONTACT HAD NOT EXPERIENCED A FAILURE. VIN TOOL CONFIRMS PARTS NOT AVAILABLE. UPDATED 05/17/16*LJ			
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.			

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My Major Complaint was The Time Factor. Why it's taking so long to fix. In the letter I received - Mar 2016 - "The driver's front Airbag inflator could produce excessive internal pressure upon deployment, ... This may cause the inflator to break apart ... metal fragments could pass thru the Airbag, causing serious injury or fatality. ..." When I call Honda of Staten Island, I was told the parts may not be available by summer 2016. I know there are millions of cars with the problem, however, since this is an extreme emergency it does not seem anyone is breaking any records to rectify the problem -

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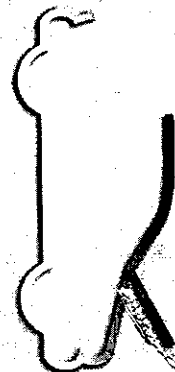
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Think your vehicle has a safety defect?



If so: Use the enclosed form to file a report.

or visit: www.safercar.gov

or call: Vehicle Safety Hotline 888-327-4236



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