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Incident Details

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Who You Are: Consumer

Incident Description:

original equipment Kumho tire R rear exploded on the highway, destroying the wheel well, bumper, and side panels, and almost cause major accident. After having to get the State Patrol to stop traffic on all three lanes we drove car on the rim to the opposite of the highway where there was a median strip. When we went to replace this tire, with good tread after some 56,000 miles we learned that another tire, the L front, also had delaminated and separated, and that there were two large bald spots where the tire was failing also. Had this front tire exploded this would almost certainly have caused a rollover and probably killed or severely injured my daughter, the driver. I still have these tires, with a failure rate of at least 50%. Kumho has done nothing to recall these dangerous tires, nor has Hyundai.

Incident Date: 10/21/2019

Incident Location: Street or Highway - I5, Mt Vernon, Washington, 98225, United States

Victim Details

First Name:

Last Name:

Injury Information: Incident, No Injury

Victim is of Hispanic/Latino origin? No

Race: Unspecified

Other Race/Ethnicity:

My Relationship to Victim: My Child

Gender: Female

Age when incident occurred: [REDACTED] Years

Address:

E-mail:

Phone Number:

Product Details

Product Description:

Kumho Solus KL21 225/60R 17 27ZAYA190715 original equipment tires on 2015 Hyundai Tucson. tires had about 56,000 miles and plenty of tread remaining despite at least 50% of the tires failing.

Product Category: tires

Product Type:
Brand Name: Kumho
Manufacturer / Importer / Private Labeler Name: Kumho USA
Model Name or Number: Kumho Solus KL21 225/60R 17 27ZAYA190715
Serial Number:
Date Manufactured:
Manufacturer Date Code:
Manufacturer Address: 133 Peachtree ST, Atlanta, Georgia, 30303, United States
Manufacturer Website URL:
Manufacturer Phone Number: 800 445-8646
Retailer: Hyundai
Retailer State: WA

Additional Details

Purchase Date: 12/26/2016 This date is an estimate

I still have the product in my possession. Yes

The product was damaged before the incident. No

The product was modified before the incident. No

Have you contacted the manufacturer? Yes

If not, do you plan to contact them? N/A

Explanation: Kumho offered virtually nothing

Your Contact Information

First Name: [REDACTED]

Last Name: [REDACTED]

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E-mail: [REDACTED]

Phone Number: [REDACTED]

Consent

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Report, but
without your
name and
contact
information, in
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I certify that I Yes
have reviewed
the Report and
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and accurate to
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