



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

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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print) Name, Address, City, State, ZIP Code, Daytime Telephone Number, Evening Telephone Number, Email Address

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: 442ACHB88BC Make: TIFFIN Model: PHAETON Model Year: 2011 Date Purchased, Dealer's Name and Telephone Number, Engine, Fuel Type, Original Owner, Dealer's City, STATE, ZIP Code, Transmission Type, Powertrain, Multiple Failure, Incident Date: 28/Dec/2021

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION Vehicle Component Codes: 190000 TIRES Approx. Failure Mileage: 30,000 mi. on Tire Failure Speed: 70

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE Tire Make: MICHELIN GREEN X, Tire Model (Name or Number): R4L1M X, Tire Size (Example P215/65R15): P225/65R17, Original Requirement, Prior Repair, Failure Location: PASSENGER SIDE FRONT, Tire Component Code: 190000 TIRES, Tire Failure Type: BLOWOUT

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 accident, failure(s), crash(es), injury(ies)) Crash: Yes, No, Fatal: Yes, No, Number of Persons Injured: 2, Number of Deaths: 0, Reported to Police: Y

Narrative Description of Incident(s), Crash(es), 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)). The contact owned a 2011 Tiffin Phaeton motorhome equipped with Michelin tires. Tire line: Green X, Tire size: 275/60R22.5, and DOT number: M5E10CEX3815. The contact stated that while driving at 70 MPH, the front passenger's side tire had a blowout, which caused the RV to crash into a utility pole, trees, and then stop after crashing into a fence. The contact and his wife, who was a passenger, were transported by ambulance to the hospital. The contact had a scratch above his eye, while his wife suffered three broken ribs, bruised, and stitches on her arms and legs. A police report was filed. The RV was hauling a double-decker trailer, a 2017 Lincoln MKZ, and a Boston Whaler, which were towed to a tow yard and deemed totaled by the insurance company. The manufacturer was not made aware of the failure. Prior to the failure, the rear passenger's side tire had a blowout and the manufacturer covered half the cost of replacement. Foremost Ins. Co. Has the Tive on wheel, my brother and many of our friends with large class A Motor Homes have had blowouts with Michelin Tires. They need to be recalled before someone is killed. If we can do anything to help please call. Foremost contact





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