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National Highway

Traffic Safety
Administration1-888-DASH-2-DOT
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23-JUN-2022

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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name

Address

City

Dekalb

State

IL

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
KNADN4A35D6MAKE
KIAModel
RIOModel Year
2013

Date Purchased

August 2021

Dealer's Name and Telephone Number

Gary Lang (No longer in business)

Engine:
No. Cylinders

Fuel Type:

Original Owner

☐

Dealer's City

McHenry

STATE

IL

ZIP Code
60050

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GASOLINE

Transmission Type

Automatic

☒ Antilock Brakes☒ Cruise Control

Powertrain

FWD

Multiple Failure:

Incident Date(s)

21-JUN-2022

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Vehicle Components Codes: 060000 ENGINE AND ENGINE COOLING

Failure Mileage
138000.0

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: DOTM1 9ABC036)

☐ Original Requirement☐ 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), Injury(ies).)

Crash

☐ Yes ☒ No

Fire

☐ Yes ☒ No

Number of Persons Injured

Number of Deaths

Reported to Police

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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 owns a 2013 Kia Rio. The contact stated that while her daughter was driving at an undisclosed speed, the vehicle stalled. The vehicle was restarted but stalled again. The vehicle was towed to an independent mechanic who informed the contact that the radiator, transmission, and other parts were melted. The local dealer was not contacted. The vehicle was not diagnosed or repaired. The manufacturer was notified of the failure but no additional assistance was provided. The failure mileage was approximately 138,000.

The owner is my adult daughter, she was driving the car @

The mechanic was Peters Motors in Woodstock, IL.
He stated that he had never seen an engine melted that bad and could not explain what could have caused it to happen.

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.