





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
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Device Telephone Number

OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of this report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? ☒ YES ☐ NO
In the absence of your authorization, NHTSA cannot provide your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.

Signature of Owner

Date 7/18/00

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Vehicle Identification No. (VIN.) (17 Digits) <u>1GMDX03EXYD211397</u>		Make <u>CHEVY</u>	Model <u>VENTURE</u>	Year <u>2000</u>
Purchased Date <u>12/9/99</u>	Dealer's Name <u>KEN BARRETT CHEVROLET</u>		Engine Size (CID/COL) <u>3400</u>	☐ Turbo ☐ Diesel
☒ New ☐ Used	Dealer's City <u>BATAVIA</u>	State <u>NY</u>	Zip Code <u>14020</u>	No. Cylinders <u>6</u> ☒ Fuel Injection
Manufacture Date (on driver's door or pillar) <u>11/99</u>	Transmission Type ☐ Manual ☒ Automatic	Restraint System ☒ Driverside Air Bag ☐ Motorbelt ☒ Passengerside Air Bag ☐ 2-Point Belt ☒ 3-Point Belt	Cruise Control ☒ Yes ☐ No	Drivetrain ☒ Front ☐ Rear ☐ 4-Wheel
Vehicle Type ☐ Car ☐ Sport Utility ☐ Van ☐ Truck ☒ Minivan ☐ Motorcycle ☐ Other		Body Style ☐ 2-Door ☒ 4-Door ☐ Stationwagon ☐ Pick Up Truck ☐ Other		

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Part Name(s)	Location ☐ Left ☒ Right ☒ Front ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☒ Original ☐ Replacement	Handicap Adaptive Equip ☐ Yes ☒ No
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TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Brand	Tire Name	Complete Tire Size
No. of Failures	Date(s) of Failure(s) Mileage at Failure(s) Vehicle Speed at Failure(s):	Failed Part(s) Available? ☐ Yes ☐ No
		NHTSA Previously Contacted? ☐ Yes ☐ No

APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION

(Please describe in detail the incident(s), failure(s), crash(es), and injury(ies). Attach photos if available.)

Crash ☐ Yes ☒ No	Fire ☐ Yes ☒ No	Number of Persons Injured <u>1</u>	Number of Fatalities <u>0</u>	Reported to Manufacturer ☐ Yes ☒ No
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Narrative Description of Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies):

My daughter was kneeling on the front passenger seat, facing backwards. Her knee slipped off the seat and hit the rail on which the seat moves forward. She needed 8 stitches to close the laceration. The rail is dangerous. There should be a covering over the cut off metal.

Date of accident - 4/16/00

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The Privacy Act of 1974 - Public Law 93-579 This information is requested pursuant to a 49 U.S.C. Chapter 301. You are under no obligation to respond to this questionnaire. Your response may be used to assist NHTSA in determining whether a manufacturer should take appropriate action to correct a safety defect. If NHTSA proceeds with administration 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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