

U.S. Department
of TransportationNational 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 _____
 Street No. _____ Apt. No. _____
 City _____ Zip Code _____

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

Signature of Owner _____

Date 9/06/00

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Vehicle Identification No. (VIN) (17 Digits) 36NGC26J3XG114945		Make Chevy	Model 3/4 TON SUBURBAN	Year 99
Purchased Date 6-6-98	Dealer's Name LBO MARTIN CHEV-OLDS		Engine Size (CID/CCL) 5.7	☐ Turbo ☐ Diesel
☒ New ☐ Used	Dealer's City FREEPORT	State NE	Zip Code 77541	No. Cylinders 8 ☐ Gas ☒ Fuel Injection
Manufacture Date (on driver's door or piler)	Transmission Type ☐ Manual ☒ Automatic	Restraint System ☒ Driverside Air Bag ☐ Minirail ☒ Passengerside Air Bag ☐ 2-Point Belt ☒ 0-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) TIRES	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 Firestone	Tire Name R45II	Complete Tire Size 245 75 R16
Nc. of Failures 2	Date(s) of Failure(s) 7/14/00 and 7/20/00 Mileage at Failure(s) approx 13500 Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) NA	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 0	Number of Fatalities 0	Reported to Manufacturer ☒ Yes ☐ No
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Narrative Description of Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies).

While Driving on trip 80 miles from home, developed a bumping and vibration. Checked tires and found right rear tire had tread separated partially from carcass.

on day 2 of same trip same thing occurred on left rear tire. on examination found same. partial separation of tread from carcass.

Continue on back.

The Privacy Act of 1974 - Public Law 93-579 This information is requested pursuant to 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.