



**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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Reference No. \_\_\_\_\_

**OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)**

[Redacted Owner Information]

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 will not provide your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.

Signature of Owner: [Redacted] Date: 10/4/00

**PRODUCT INFORMATION**

Vehicle Identification No. (VIN.) (Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side) <b>2GCEK14H4G1199204</b>		Make <b>Chevrolet</b>	Model <b>Scottsdale K-10</b>	Year <b>1986</b>
Purchased Date <input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Used	Dealer's Name City	State	Zip Code	Engine Size (CID/CC/L) No. Cylinders
Manu'ature Date (on driver's door or pillar)	Transmission Type <input type="checkbox"/> Manual <input type="checkbox"/> Automatic	Restraint System <input type="checkbox"/> Driverside Air Bag <input type="checkbox"/> Motorbolt <input type="checkbox"/> Passengerside Air Bag <input type="checkbox"/> 2-Point Belt <input type="checkbox"/> 3-Point belt	Cruise Control <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Drivetrain <input type="checkbox"/> Front <input type="checkbox"/> Rear <input type="checkbox"/> 4-Wheel
			Vehicle Type <input type="checkbox"/> Car <input type="checkbox"/> Sport Utility <input type="checkbox"/> Van <input type="checkbox"/> Truck <input type="checkbox"/> Minivan <input type="checkbox"/> Motorcycle <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Body Style <input type="checkbox"/> 2-Door <input type="checkbox"/> 4-Door <input type="checkbox"/> Stationwagon <input type="checkbox"/> Pick Up Truck <input type="checkbox"/> Other

**FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION**

Part Name(s)	Location <input type="checkbox"/> Left <input type="checkbox"/> Right <input type="checkbox"/> Front <input type="checkbox"/> Rear	Failed Part(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Replacement	Handicap Adaptive Equip <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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**TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE**

Tire Brand <b>Bridgestone</b>	Tire Name <b>Radial BATA, Wipetrack AS</b>	Complete Tire Size <b>32X1150X15 LT</b>
No. of Failures <b>1</b>	Date(s) of Failure(s) <b>Aug. 5, 2000</b>	Mileage at Failure(s) <b>Approx. 26,000. Tread still excellent</b>
	Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) <b>Started at about 45 M.P.H.</b>	Failed Part(s) Available? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
		NHTSA Previously Contacted? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

**APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION**

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

Crash <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Fire <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Number of Persons Injured <b>0</b>	Number of Fatalities <b>0</b>	Reported to Manufacturer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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Narrative Description of Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies). **Noticed vibration at about 45 M.P.H. Tire flat next morning. Put air in tire & tread seperated. Didn't know of any recall on this tire. Replaced 8-31-00 at Sears in Orlando. Now firestone says this tire is not on this list because it's an AS, not a AS wipetrack. Big Ten dealer would replace my other 3 tires but Firestone hasn't did yet. He says he knows of no difference in the tires. They all have the VD D.O.T numbers. I feel as the dealer feels I don't want to take the chance of more problems. Im on disability & it's hard to come up with money.**

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.