



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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Reference No.

559442

OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name

Street

City

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 1/30/01

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Vehicle Identification No. (VIN) (Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side)

Make

Model

Year

(17 Digits)

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FORD

F-350

1997

Purchased Date

11/96

Dealer's Name

CAI Worthington FORD

Engine Size (CID/CC/L)

7.3

☐ Turbo ☒ Diesel

☐ Gas

☐ Fuel Injection

☐ New ☐ Used

Dealer's City

Anchorage

State

ALASKA

Zip Code

99503

No. Cylinders

8

Manufacture Date (on driver's door or pillar)

Transmission Type

☒ Manual

☐ Automatic

Restraint System

☐ Driverside Air Bag

☐ Motorbelt

☐ Passengerside Air Bag

☒ Point Belt

☐ 2-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

TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Brand

FIRESTONE

Tire Name

STEELTEX

Complete Tire Size

LT 2358516

No. of Failures

4

Date(s) of Failure(s)

3/00

Mileage at Failure(s)

33,000

Vehicle Speed at Failure(s)

50

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

Number of Fatalities

Reported to Manufacturer

☐ Yes

☐ No

Narrative Description of Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies).

TREAD ON TIRES SEPARATED FROM BODY OF TIRE. TIRES WERE STILL UNDER WARRANTY BUT WOULD HAVE COST MORE TO REPLACE UNDER FIRESTONE WARRANTY PROGRAM. IE - THE FIRESTONE DEALER WAS SELLING THE TIRES CHEAPER THAN I COULD BUY THEM IF I MADE A WARRANTY CLAIM. AFTER RECEIVING THIS INFORMATION I PURCHASED MICHELIN TIRES. I WOULD LIKE TO BE REIMBURSED FOR THE DEFECTIVE FIRESTONE TIRES.

Continue on back.

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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