



DOT Auto Safety Hotline Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire

TO REPORT VEHICLE SAFETY DEFECTS
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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name: [Redacted]
Street: [Redacted]
City: [Redacted]

Daytime Telephone Number
() NONE

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: [Redacted] Date: 5.16.01

PRODUCT INFORMATION

Vehicle Identification No. (VIN) (17 Digits) G3WH14W3KD359409	Make Aldsmobile	Model CUTLASS	Year 89
Purchased Date 6/99	Dealer's Name W+W Auto Sales	Engine Size (CID/CYL) No. Cylinders 4	<input type="checkbox"/> Turbo <input type="checkbox"/> Diesel <input type="checkbox"/> Gas <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fuel Injection
<input type="checkbox"/> New <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Used	Dealer's City Marshall	State Texas	Zip Code 75670
Manufacture Date (on driver's door or pillar) 1/89	Transmission Type <input type="checkbox"/> Manual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Automatic	Restraint System <input type="checkbox"/> Driver's Side Air Bag <input type="checkbox"/> Passenger's Side Air Bag <input type="checkbox"/> 3-Point Belt <input type="checkbox"/> Motorbelt <input type="checkbox"/> 2-Point Belt	Cruise Control <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
		Drivetrain <input type="checkbox"/> Front <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rear <input type="checkbox"/> 4-Wheel	Vehicle Type <input checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2-Door <input type="checkbox"/> 4-Door <input type="checkbox"/> Station Wagon <input type="checkbox"/> Pick Up Truck <input type="checkbox"/> Other

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Part Name(s) fuel injection / Rear wheel brakes, catalytic converter, gas tank	Location <input type="checkbox"/> Left <input type="checkbox"/> Front <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Right <input type="checkbox"/> Rear	Failed Part(s) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Replacement	Handicap Adaptive Equip <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 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? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
		NHTSA Previously Contacted? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Number of Persons Injured 5	Number of Fatalities 0	Reported to Manufacturer <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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Narrative Description of Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies). This year in Feb of 2001, myself and my four children were coming back from in town and when I stop in my yard to park my car, the fire was coming from under the car and the engine was red to fire and it caught the floor on fire, it was blazing from underneath the car, we all had to jump out of the car, it was on fire and I would like to get it fixed but everything I get up at a gas station it makes the car stall and

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.

Nobody help me and my son in (99) from wreck

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

we have to sit for hours also the car before it caught fire there were gray smoke coming from the exhaust pipe, and it didn't want to pick up any speed, the car would not go past 30 miles. I am still having car problems I already been out of over several hundred dollars the last past months and don't know why just yesterday I got out the car, glides out, it just stalls the auto mechanic said when they pulled the gas tank off the car, it had gotten half a pound bad gas that smelt really bad as if it had been sitting for a whole year or so, just thinking I and my children have suffered injuries, I did report it to a tow car company.

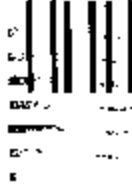
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National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

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