

U.S. Department
of TransportationNational Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration

DOT Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire (VOQ)

NATIONWIDE 1-888-DASH-2-DOT

1-888-327-4236

www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline

FOR AGENCY USE ONLY 258

Date Received

22-JAN-2000

Oid_or _____
rt_dt _____
od_rt _____
up_ltr _____

Reference No.

717728

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

Signature of Owner _____ Date ____/____/____

VEHICLE INFORMATION

Vehicle Ident. No. (VIN) _____ <small>(Listed at front of windshield or driver's side)</small>	Vehicle Make	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Year	Current Odometer Reading
1GNDT13W9T2126386	CHEVROLET TRU	BLAZER	1996	

Purchase Date 01-FEB-1998	Dealer's Name _____	Engine Size (CID/CC/L) 4.3 L	<input type="checkbox"/> Turbo <input type="checkbox"/> Diesel <input type="checkbox"/> Gas <input type="checkbox"/> Fuel Injection
<input type="checkbox"/> New <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Used	City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____	No. Cylinders _____	

Transmission Type <input type="checkbox"/> Manual <input type="checkbox"/> Automatic	Antilock Brakes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Restraint System <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3-Point Belt <input type="checkbox"/> Driverside Airbag <input type="checkbox"/> Passengerside Airbag <input type="checkbox"/> Motorbell <input type="checkbox"/> 2-Point Belt	Cruise Control <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Drive Train <input type="checkbox"/> Front <input type="checkbox"/> Rear <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 4-Wheel	Vehicle Type <input type="checkbox"/> Car <input type="checkbox"/> Van <input type="checkbox"/> Minivan <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Sport Ult Truck <input type="checkbox"/> Motorcycle	Body Style <input type="checkbox"/> 2-Door <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 4-Door <input type="checkbox"/> Stationwagon <input type="checkbox"/> Pick Up Truck <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
--	---	--	--	---	---	--

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component 03220000 03230000 03224000	Part Name(s) BRAKES:HYDRAULIC:POWER ASSIST:VACUUM SYSTEM BRAKES:HYDRAULIC:MASTER CYLINDER BRAKES:HYDRAULIC:POWER ASSIST:BOOSTER	Location <input type="checkbox"/> Left <input type="checkbox"/> Right <input type="checkbox"/> Frnt <input type="checkbox"/> Rear	Failed Part(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Replacement
---	--	---	---

No. of Failures 1	Date(s) of Failure(s) 18-JUL-1999 Mileage at Failure(s) 40001 Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) 55	Failed Part(s) Available? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	NHTSA Previously Contacted? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
-----------------------------	--	---	---

APPLICATION INCIDENT INFORMATION

(Please describe in detail the incident(s), failure(s), crash(es), and injury(ies) on the back of this form.)

Crash <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Fire <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Number of Persons Injured 0	Number of Fatalities 0	Estimated Property Damage	Reported to Police <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
---	---	--------------------------------	---------------------------	---------------------------	---

NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FAILURE(S), INCIDENT(S), INJURY(IES)

ON JULY 18, 1999 I EXPERIENCED A LOSS OF POWER ASSISTED BRAKES AND A HISSING NOISE COMING FROM THE MASTER CYLINDER AREA. VEHICLE WAS DELIVERED TO BRAEGER CHEVROLET ON JULY 19, 1999 AND CAUSE WAS REPORTED AS "INTERNAL VACUUM LEAKAGE FROM BOOSTER ASSY H1220 BOOSTER ASSEMBLY, VACUUM POWER BRAKE - REPLACE 510 WPT4 1.90, 1 18029999 BOOSTER, FC: 2K, PART#: 18029999". I CONTACTED CHEVROLET AND THEY COVERED 50% ONE TIME GOOD WILL/ SAFETY ITEM. MY COST \$170.99. ON AUGUST 17, 1999 I DISCOVERED A LEAK FROM THE POSITIVE BATTERY TERMINAL WHICH HAD BEEN LEAKING SMALL QUANTITIES OF LIQUID FOR APPROXIMATELY A TWO MONTH PERIOD OF TIME ON THE GARAGE FLOOR, PROGRESSIVELY BECOMING A WORSE LEAK BASED ON THE QUANTITY OF FLUID FOUND ON FLOOR. NEW BATTERY WAS PURCHASED ON 08/21/99 AND

CONTINUED ON BACK PLEASE

The Privacy Act of 1974-Public Law 93-579 This information is requested pursuant to authority vested in the National Highway Traffic Safety Act and subsequent amendments. You are under no obligation to respond to this questionnaire. Your response may be used to assist the NHTSA in determining whether a manufacturer should take appropriate action to correct a safety defect. If the NHTSA proceeds with administrative enforcement or litigation against a manufacturer, your response, or a statistical summary thereof, may be used in support of the agency's action.