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U.S. Department of Transportation
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

DOT Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire (VOQ)

NATIONWIDE 1-888-DASH-2-DOT
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www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline

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Date Received: 10-SEP-2000	Od_or ____ ____ rt_dt ____ ____ od_rt ____ ____ up_ltr ____ ____
	Reference No. 730962

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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.) (Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side)	Vehicle Make	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Year	Current Odometer Reading
1FMCU24E2XUB77070	FORD TRUCK	EXPLORER	1999	

Purchase Date: ☒ New ☐ Used

Dealer's Name _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Engine Size (CID/CC/L) 4.0L

No Cylinders _____

☐ Turbo ☐ Diesel ☐ Gas ☒ Fuel Injection

Transmission Type	Antilock Brakes	Restraint System	Cruise Control	Drive Train	Vehicle Type	Body Style
☐ Manual ☐ Automatic	☒ Yes ☐ No	☒ 3-Point Belt ☐ Driverside Airbag ☒ Passengerside Airbag ☐ Motorbelt ☐ 2-Point Belt	☒ Yes ☐ No	☐ Front ☐ Rear ☒ 4-Wheel	☐ Car ☐ Van ☐ Minivan ☐ Other _____ ☐ Sport Utl ☐ Truck ☐ Motorcycle	☒ 2-Door ☐ 4-Door ☐ Stationwagon ☐ Pick Up Truck ☐ Other _____

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component	Par. Name(s)	Location	Failed Part(s)
12110000	INTERIOR SYSTEMS:PASSIVE RESTRAINT:AIR BAG	☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Front ☐ Rear	☐ Original ☐ Replacement

No of Failures	Date(s) of Failure(s) / Mileage at Failure(s) / Vehicle Speed at Failure(s)	Failed Part(s) Available?	NHTSA Previously Contacted?
8	15-AUG-2000 3500 0	| |Yes | |No	| | Yes | |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	Fire	Number of Persons Injured	Number of Fatalities	Estimated Property Damage	Reported to Police
☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☒ No				☐ Yes ☒ No

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

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