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

Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire

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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.)	Vehicle Make	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Year	Current Odometer Readin
1YVGF22COW5764954	MAZDA	626	1998	

Purchase Dat: 01-SEP-1998
☒ New ☐ Used

Dealer's Name _____
City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Engine Size (CID/CC/L ____
No Cylinders _____

☐ Turbo
☐ Diesel
☐ Gas
☐ Fuel Injectio

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

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component	Part Name(s	Location	Failed Part(s
07300000	POWER TRAIN:TRANSMISSION:AUTOMATIC	☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Front ☐ Rear	☐ Original ☐ Replacement

No of Failure	Date(s) of Failure(s) / Mileage at Failure(s)	Failed Part(s)	NHTSA Previously
1	23-SEP-2001 62500 10	☐ 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 Fatalitie	Estimated Property Damag	Reported to Polic
☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☒ No	0	0		☒ Yes ☐ No

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

THE FAILURE OF THE TRANSMISSION ON MY BELOVED CAR PUT ME IN A VERY DANGEROUS SITUATION IN EXTREMELY HEAVY TRAFFIC. THE POLICE HAD TO HELP AS DID THE HIGHWAY SAFETY VEHICLE PATROL CAR. THERE WAS NO INDICATION OF MY CAR HAVING ANY SORT OF PROBLEM, THE CAR SIMPLY STOPPED AT THE INTERSECTION. I WAS PLACED IN A DANGEROUS SITUATION BECAUSE I COULD NOT MOVE IT FAR ENOUGH OFF THE HIGHWAY. SEMI TRUCKS BLASTED THEIR HORNS AT ME AS THEY SPED ON BY. I AM AN OLDER WOMAN TRAVELING ALONE AND DID NOT EVEN HAVE A PHONE FOR EMERGENCY USE. I HAD TO WRITE A NOTE AND STAND BY THE SIDE OF THE ROAD IMPLORING ANYONE TO SEND HELP. IT WAS A TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE. I NOW HAVE TO PAY ALMOST $1800 TO GET THIS REPAIRED, AND I DO NOT HAVE TRANSPORTATION FOR A WEEK. I AM A SCHOOL TEACHER, ABOUT READY TO RETIRE, AND

CONTINUE OTHER SIDE IF

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 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.