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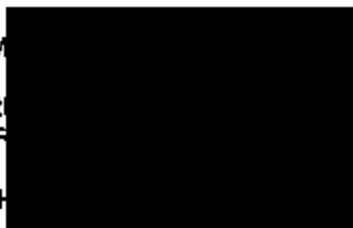
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VEHICLE OWNER'S QUESTIONNAIRE

OWNER INFORMATION

NAME
ADDRESS
PHONE



NHTSA authorized to send a copy of this report to the manufacturer: No

VEHICLE INFORMATION

VIN:
MAKE: Isuzu
MODEL: Rodeo
YEAR: 2000

ODOMETER: 3000
PURCHASE DATE: NEW OR USED: New

DEALER NAME: Mike Raisor Pontiac/Isuzu
ADDRESS: Lafayette, IN 47978

ENGINE SIZE: 6.0 L
CYLINDERS: 6

FUEL INJECTION: Yes
TURBO: No
FUEL TYPE: Gas
ANTILOCK BRAKES: Yes
CRUISE CONTROL: Yes
DRIVETRAIN: 4 Wheel

DRIVER AIRBAG: Yes
PASSENGER AIRBAG: Yes
3-POINT BELT: Yes
MOTOR BELT: No
2-POINT BELT: No
BODY STYLE: 4-Door

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

COMPONENT: brakes

PART NAME(S):

LOCATION:

NUMBER OF FAILURES: 1

DATE(S) OF FAILURES: November

MILEAGE AT FAILURE(S): 2000

SPEED AT FAILURE(S): 15 MPH

MANUFACTURER CONTACTED:

NHTSA CONTACTED: No

APPLICABLE ACCIDENT INFORMATION

ACCIDENT:

FIRE:

NUMBER OF PERSONS INJURED:

NUMBER OF FATALITIES:

ESTIMATED PROPERTY DAMAGE: \$

DRIVER AIRBAG DEPLOYED:

PASSENGER AIRBAG DEPLOYED:

REPORTED TO POLICE:

INFORMATION ON TIRE FAILURE(S) (IF APPLICABLE)

DOT NUMBER: DOT

TIRE MANUFACTURER:

TIRE NAME:

TIRE SIZE:

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

I have had problems with this vehicle on bumpy roads also. The pedal went to the floor and there was a horrible noise. It was not the ABS. I tested the ABS several times so I would be familiar with it. When the brake pedal went to the floor, the brakes were nonresponsive.

END OF FORM



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

Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire

NATIONWIDE 1-800-424-9393
DC METRO AREA (202) 366-0123
INTERNET: <http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov>

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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) <small>(Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side)</small>	Vehicle Make ISUZU TRUCK	Vehicle Model RODEO	Vehicle Year 2000	Current Odometer Reading
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Purchase Date <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Used	Dealer's Name _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____	Engine Size (CID/CYL) 6 CYL No Cylinders _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Turbo <input type="checkbox"/> Diesel <input type="checkbox"/> Gas <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fuel Injection
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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"/> Motorbelt <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 Util 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 _____
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FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component 01200000	Part Name(s) BRAKES:HYDRAULIC SYSTEM	Location <input type="checkbox"/> Left <input type="checkbox"/> Front <input type="checkbox"/> Right <input type="checkbox"/> Rear	Failed Part(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Original <input type="checkbox"/> Replacement
No. of Failures 1	Date(s) of Failure(s) 01-NOV-2000 Mileage at Failure(s) 2000 Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) 15	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 type="checkbox"/> No	Number of Persons Injured	Number of Fatalities	Estimated Property Damage	Reported to Police <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FAILURE(S), INCIDENT(S), INJURY(IES)

WHILE TRAVELING ON BUMPY ROAD AND BRAKING, THE BRAKE PEDAL HAS WENT TO THE FLOOR WITH A HORRIBLE NOISE, THE CONSUMER STATES THAT THE PROBLEM IS NOT THE ABS, THE BRAKES TOTALLY FAIL WHEN THE PEDAL GOES TO THE FLOOR. *SLC

CONTINUE ON BACK IF NEEDED

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