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Subject: Car Talk VOQ submission

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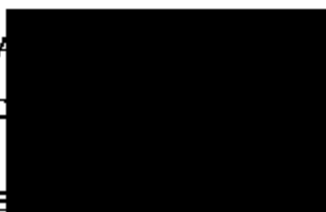
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VEHICLE OWNER'S QUESTIONNAIRE

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OWNER INFORMATION

NAME
ADDRESS
TELEPHONE



NHTSA authorized to send a copy of this report to the manufacturer: Yes

VEHICLE INFORMATION

VIN: 1fafp13p4xw233591

MAKE: Ford

MODEL: Escort

YEAR: 1999

ODOMETER: 80905

PURCHASE DATE: 05/15/99

NEW OR USED: New

DEALER NAME: Stadium Automall

ADDRESS: Rutherford, NJ

ENGINE SIZE:

CYLINDERS: 4

FUEL INJECTION: Yes

TURBO: No

FUEL TYPE: Gas

ANTILOCK BRAKES: Yes

CRUISE CONTROL: Yes

DRIVETRAIN: Front
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: Horn

PART NAME(S):

LOCATION:

NUMBER OF FAILURES: This is the second time.

DATE(S) OF FAILURES: 9/99; 9/01

MILEAGE AT FAILURE(S): appx 30K; appx 79K

SPEED AT FAILURE(S): 10

MANUFATURER CONTACTED: No

NHTSA CONTACTED: No

APPLICABLE ACCIDENT INFORMATION

ACCIDENT: No
FIRE: No

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

Both times this happend I was turning left and had just honked the horn.
The horn would not stop blowing and I was forced to pull the fuse in order
for it to stop.

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) (Locate at bottom of windshield and driver's side door)	Vehicle Make	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Year	Current Odometer Reading
1FAPP13P4XW233591	FORD	ESCORT	1999	

Purchase Date 15-MAY-1999	Dealer's Name _____	Engine Size (CID/CC/L <u>4 CYL</u>)	☐ Turbo ☐ Diesel ☐ Gas ☒ Fuel Injection
☐ New ☒ Used	City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____	No Cylinders _____	
Transmission Type ☐ Manual ☐ Automatic	Antilock Brakes ☒ Yes ☐ No	Restraint System ☒ 3-Point Belt ☐ Motorbelt ☐ Driverside Airbag ☐ 2-Point Bel ☐ Passengerside Airbag	Cruise Control ☒ Yes ☐ No
	Drive Train ☒ Front ☐ Rear ☐ 4-Wheel	Vehicle Type ☐ Car ☐ Sport Util ☐ Van ☐ Truck ☐ Minivan ☐ Motorcycle ☐ Other _____	Body Style ☐ 2-Door ☒ 4-Door ☐ Stationwagon ☐ Pick Up Truck ☐ Other _____

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component 09500000	Part Name(s) COMMUNICATIONS:HORN ASSEMBLY	Location ☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Front ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☐ Original ☐ Replacement
No of Failure 2	Date(s) of Failure(s) <u>01-SEP-1999</u> Mileage at Failure(s) <u>30000</u> Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) <u>10</u>	Failed Part(s) ☐ Yes ☐ No	NHTSA Previously ☐ 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 ☐ Yes ☐ No	Fire ☐ Yes ☒ No	Number of Persons Injured	Number of Fatalities	Estimated Property Damage	Reported to Police ☐ Yes ☒ No
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NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FAILURE(S), INCIDENT(S), INJURY(IES)

WHILE MAKING A LEFT TURN, CONSUMER HONKED THE HORN AND IT WOULD NOT STOP BLOWING, CONSUMER WAS FORCED TO PULL THE FUSE IN ORDER TO STOP THE HORN.*JB

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