



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

Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire

NATIONWIDE 1-800-424-9393
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INTERNET: <http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov>

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22-JAN-2002

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Reference No.

8002589

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 or door frame)	Vehicle Make	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Year	Current Odometer Reading
N/A	PONTIAC	BONNEVILLE	2000	
Purchase Date	Dealer's Name _____		Engine Size (CID/CC/L _____)	☐ Turbo
☒ New ☐ Used	City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____		No Cylinders _____	☐ Diesel
				☐ Gas
				☐ Fuel Injection
Transmission Type	Antilock Brakes	Restraint System	Cruise Control	Drive Train
☐ Manual ☐ Automatic	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ 3-Point Belt ☐ Motorbelt ☐ Driverside Airbag ☐ 2-Point Bel ☐ Passengerside Airbag	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Front ☐ Rear ☐ 4-Wheel
Vehicle Type	Body Style			
☐ Car ☐ Sport Utl ☐ Van ☐ Truck ☐ Minivan ☐ Motorcycle ☐ Other _____	☐ 2-Door ☐ 4-Door ☐ Stationwagon ☐ Pick Up Truck ☐ Other _____			

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component 08310000	Part Name(s) ELECTRICAL SYSTEM:WIRING:HARNES:FRONT:UNDERHOOD	Location ☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Front ☐ Rear	Failed Part's ☐ Original ☐ Replacement
No of Failure	Dates of Failure(s) 16-JAN-2002	Failed Part(s) ☐ Yes ☐ No	NHTSA Previously ☐ Yes ☐ No
	Mileage at Failure(s)		
	Vehicle Speed at Failure(s)		

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 Damag	Reported to Police ☐ Yes ☐ No
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NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FAILURE(S), INCIDENT(S), INJURY(IES)

VEHICLE CAUGHT ON FIRE WHILE PARKED. DEALER HAS YET TO BE CONTACTED. PLEASE PROVIDE FURTHER DETAILS.*AK

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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.

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	Signature of Owner: <u>[Redacted]</u> Vehicle Identification Number (VIN): <u>735049</u>	Work Number: _____ Home Number: _____

Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? ☒ YES ☐ NO

In the absence of an authorized signature, NHTSA will NOT provide your name and address to the vehicle manufacturer.

Signature of Owner: [Redacted] Date: 1/1

VEHICLE INFORMATION				
Vehicle Ident. No. (VIN) (Located at bottom of windshield on driver's side)	Vehicle Make	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Year	Current Odometer Reading
N/A	PONTIAC	BONNEVILLE	2000	13,860
Purchase Date: <u>Oct 6, 2000</u>	Dealer's Name: <u>Foster Pontiac</u>		Engine Size: <u>1600CC/L</u>	☐ Turbo
☒ New ☐ Used	City: <u>Milwaukee</u> State: <u>Wis</u> Zip Code: <u>53221</u>		No. Cylinders: <u>6</u>	☐ Diesel
Transmission Type: ☒ Automatic ☐ Manual	Antilock Brakes: ☒ Yes ☐ No	Restraint System: ☐ 3-Point Belt ☒ Driverside Airbag ☐ Motorbelt ☐ 2-Point Belt ☒ Passengerside Airbag	Cruise Control: ☒ Yes ☐ No	Drive Type: ☐ Front ☐ Rear ☐ 4-Wheel
Vehicle Type: ☒ Car ☐ Van ☐ Minivan ☐ Other		Body Style: ☐ 2-Door ☒ 4-Door ☐ Stationwagon ☐ Pick Up ☐ Truck		

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION			
Component: <u>08310000</u>	Part Name(s): <u>ELECTRICAL SYSTEM; WIRING; HARNESS; FRONT UNDERHOOD</u>	Location: ☐ Left ☒ Front ☐ Right ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s): ☐ Original ☐ Replacement
No. of Failures: _____	Date(s) of Failure(s): <u>16-JAN-2002</u>	Mileage at Failure(s): <u>13,860</u>	Vehicle Speed at Failure(s): <u>0</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: <u>0</u>	Number of Fatalities: <u>0</u>	Estimated Property Damage: <u>Total loss</u>	Reported to Police: ☒ Yes ☐ No

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VEHICLE CAUGHT ON FIRE WHILE PARKED. DEALER HAS YET TO BE CONTACTED. PLEASE PROVIDE FURTHER DETAIL. S*AK I last drove the car on Sunday Jan. 13, 2002. It sat in the driveway until fire at 1:30 AM Wed Jan 16, 2002. I heard a pop that woke me up. I looked out the window & the flames were pouring out of the front of the car (under the hood & fender). The whole front of the car was in flames from the windshield to the front bumper. The police & firedept were both called. They could not detect any vandalism & thought it must be faulty wiring.	

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