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Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire

NATIONWIDE 1-800-424-9393
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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 on driver's side)	Vehicle Make	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Year	Current Odometer Readin
1FTNW20F41EA95994	FORD TRUCK	F250	2001	

Purchase Dat		Engine Size	
☒ New ☐ Used	Dealer's Name_____ City_____ State_____ Zip Code_____	(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 ☐ Motorbelt ☐ Driverside Airbag ☐ 2-Point Bel ☐ Passengerside Airbag	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Front ☐ Rear ☐ 4-Wheel	☐ Car ☐ Sport Utl ☐ Van ☐ Truck ☐ Minivan ☐ Motorcycle ☐ Other_____	☐ 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	Dates of Failure(s)	Failed Part(s)	NHTSA Previously
	02-MAR-2002	☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No
	Mileage at Failure(s 17		
	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	Fire	Number of Persons Injured	Number of Fatalitie	Estimated Property Damag	Reported to Polic
☐ Yes ☐ No	☐ Yes ☐ No				☐ Yes ☐ No

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

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DOT Auto Safety Hotline

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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

[redacted]

Work Number
Home Number [redacted]

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Signature of [redacted] Date 3/14/02

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City: BUELTON State: CA Zip Code: 93427

Engine Siz (CID/CC/L)
No Cylinders: 8
☐ Turbo ☐ Diesel ☐ Gas ☐ Fuel Injecto

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Fold to show Return Address (no stamp needed) Fasten with tape or staple and mail

INFORMATION ON TIRE FAILURE(S) (IF APPLICABLE)

TIRE IDENTIFICATION NO.*	MANUFACTURER/TIRE NAME	SIZE
D O T		

* The identification number consists of 7 to 10 letters and numerals following the letters DOT. It is usually located near the rim flange on the side opposite the whitewall or on either side of a blackwall tire.

NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION (CONTINUED)

accelerate again. After Loss of RPM, gear shifts are very Rough (Hard) both up and down. If I stop & shut off the engine it will shift normally again. This problem has occurred Twice in the same day on 2 separate days. The problem is very intermittent. Sometimes 2 weeks with no problem - and then Twice in the same day. In my opinion, this problem threatens the Lives of my passengers and me, as well as other motorists.

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