

 DOT Auto Safety Hotline Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire (VOQ) U.S. Department of Transportation National Highway Traffic Safety Administration NATIONWIDE 1-888-DASH-2-DOT 1-888-327-4238 www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline		FOR AGENCY USE ONLY 1374 Date Received: <u>05-DEC-2002</u> OFFICE OF INVESTIGATION Reference No. <u>8023793</u> Work Number _____ Home Number _____	
OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print) COLUMBIA SC			
Do you authorize NHTSA to send a copy of report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? ☒ YES ☐ NO In the absence of an authorized representative, provide your name and address to the vehicle manufacturer. Signature of Owner _____ Date <u>12/29/02</u>			
VEHICLE INFORMATION			
Vehicle Ident. No. (VIN) <u>J3AP57078Y024309</u> (located at bottom of windshield on driver's side) PLEASE PROVIDE		Vehicle Make <u>MITSUBISHI</u> Vehicle Model <u>DIAMANTE</u> Vehicle Year <u>1995</u>	Current Odometer Reading <u>158,397</u>
Purchase Date _____ ☐ New ☒ Used	Dealer's Name <u>Richmond Mitsubishi Inc</u> City <u>Richmond</u> State <u>VA</u> Zip Code <u>23235</u>		Engine Size (CID/CC/L) _____ No. Cylinders _____ ☐ Turbo Diesel Fuel Injection
Transmission Type ☒ Manual ☒ Automatic	Antilock Brakes ☒ Yes ☐ No	Restraint System ☐ 3-Point Belt ☐ Motorbelt ☒ Driverside Airbag ☐ 2-Point Belt ☒ Passengerside Airbag	Cruise Control ☒ Yes ☐ No
Drive Train ☒ 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>07200000</u>	Part Name(s) <u>POWER TRAIN-TRANSMISSION-STANDARD-MANUAL</u>	Location ☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Front ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☒ Original ☐ Replacement
No. of Failures <u>1</u>	Date(s) of Failure(s) <u>20-APR-2002</u> Mileage at Failure(s) <u>140000</u> Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) <u>55 MPH</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>0</u>		Reported to Police ☐ Yes ☒ No	
NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FAILURE(S), INCIDENT(S), INJURY(IES)			
WHILE DRIVING AT HIGHWAY SPEED THE TRANSMISSION LOCKED UP CAUSING THE VEHICLE TO LOSE ACCELERATION. TS <u>CORRECT. TB</u>			

CONTINUE ON BACK IF NEEDED

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.

Narrative Description of Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies)

FIRST the Forward Clutch went out and
I got it repaired. Then the
T-mission locked up, and went out then
I got it repaired or changed out.
I also know others with the same problem.
I think something is really wrong.

ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY

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Washington, D.C. 20590

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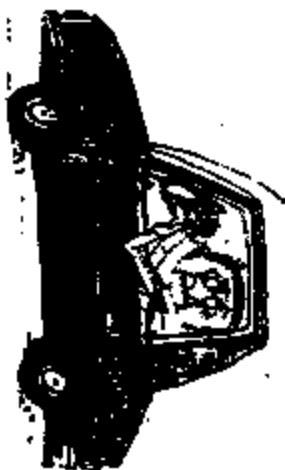
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ACT (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(6).**