

U.S. Department
of TransportationNational Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration

DOT Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire (VOQ)**NATIONWIDE 1-888-DASH-2-DOT****1-888-327-4236****www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline****FOR AGENCY USE ONLY**

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Date Received

06-JUL-2000

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Reference No.

864841

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.) (located at front of windshield or driver's side)	Vehicle Make	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Year	Current Odometer Reading
KNJLT06H5R6118943	FORD	ASPIRE	1994	

Purchase Date	Dealer's Name _____	Engine Size (CID/CCL) _____	☐ 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 ☐ Driverside Airbag ☐ Passengerside Airbag ☐ Motorbelt ☐ 2-Point Belt	Cruise Control ☐ Yes ☒ No	Drive Train ☐ Front ☐ Rear ☐ 4-Wheel	Vehicle Type ☐ Car ☐ Van ☐ Minivan ☐ Other ☐ Sport Utl ☐ Truck ☐ Motorcycle	Body Style ☐ 2-Door ☐ 4-Door ☐ Stationwagon ☐ Pick Up Truck ☐ Other _____
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FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component 09002000	Part Name(s) LIGHTING: GENERAL OR UNKNOWN COMPONENT: HEAD LIGHTS	Location ☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Front ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☐ Original ☐ Replacement
No. of Failures	Dates of Failure(s) 05-JUL-2000 Mileage at Failure(s) 25000 Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) _____	Failed Part(s) Available? Yes No	NHTSA Previously Contacted? 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)

WENT TO HAVE VEHICLE INSPECTED AND IT FAILED DUE TO THE LENS COVERING. COLOR OF THE LENS DOESN'T ALLOW VISIBLE LIGHTING. CONTACTED DEALER.*AK

CONTINUE ON BACK IF NEEDED

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DEFECTS INVESTIGATION

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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

618653

Work Number

Home Number

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☒ YES☐ NO

In the absence of an authorized signature, your name and address to the vehicle manufacturer.

Signature of Owner

Date 7/26/00

VEHICLE INFORMATION

Vehicle Ident. No. (VIN) (located at bottom of windshield on driver's side) KNJLT06H5R6118943
Vehicle Make FORD
Vehicle Model ASPIRE
Vehicle Year 1994
Current Odometer Reading 25,000

Purchase Date June-1994
Dealers Name Ford Motor Company
City Detroit State MI Zip Code 48243
Engine Size (CID/CC/L) _____
No Cylinders 4
☐ Turbo
☐ Diesel
☒ Gas
☐ Fuel Injection

Transmission Type ☒ Manual ☐ Automatic
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No of Failures _____
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Consumer Protection Program
of
Community Action, Inc.

25 Locust Street, Haverhill, MA 01830
Phone: 978-373-1971, Fax: 978-373-8966

Consumer

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Day-time phone: _____

You are not required to answer but, are you 65 years or older? yes _____ no ☒

Business/Complaint Against

Name: FORD Motor Co. Customer Assistance Center

Address: 300 Renaissance Center

City/State/Zip: P.O. Box 43360 Detroit, MI 48243

Phone: 1-800-1392 FORD

Product/service involved: Head Lamp assembly (2)

Cost of product/service: \$180.32 each + tax Amount paid to date: 378.67

Date of transaction: _____ Was a contract signed? yes

How did you pay for product? cash _____ check ☒ credit card _____ loan _____

Was product advertised? mail _____ radio/tv _____ newspaper _____ phone _____ internet _____

Have you complained to the company? in person _____ by phone ☒ by letter _____

To whom? Selvin at Ford Motor Co. Date July 5, 2000

What outcome do you seek? Full compensation

Have you contacted another agency? NO Name of agency _____

Have you hired an attorney? NO Name of attorney _____

Please describe your complaint in detail. Include all relevant names and other information and describe any action you have taken to resolve this dispute and how the business has responded to you. (Attach additional pages if necessary.) Please include clear copies of receipts, contracts, bills, work/repair orders, advertisements, warranties, claim checks and other relevant documentation supporting the facts set forth in this complaint. You must sign this form in the space provided below.

CAR Failed safety inspection due to manufacturing defect in head lamp lens. Head lamp assembly had to be replaced at the cost of \$180.32 each. I sent Ford is responsible for the total cost. I contacted Ford Motor Co. they refused to cover the cost for the lenses.

Motor vehicle complaints only

Make/model FORD ASPIRE Year: 94 Purchased: new ☒ used _____
Date of Purchase June - 94 Purchase Price 10,000.00
Vehicle Identification Number(VIN) KN3LT06H2RG118443
Mileage at purchase: new Current mileage 25,000
Total number of days vehicle in repair shop for same problem or defect: 9 DAYS FOR PARTS TO come in

Notice of availability of Face to Face Mediation

Face to Face mediation of this complaint is available through the North Essex Mediators of Community Action, Inc. In mediation both parties meet with neutral trained mediators in an attempt to resolve the dispute. 87% of all complaints referred to mediation reach agreements. The process allows for a quicker resolution of the problem and provides for the parties to develop a mutually acceptable resolution. Mediations are scheduled at the convenience of the parties Monday through Friday 9am to 5pm. There is no charge for this service.

Would you like to attempt to resolve this complaint through Face to Face mediation? NO

Signature _____

Date July 21, 2000

Confidentiality

Under most circumstances, the text of your complaint will be considered a public record, a copy of which is available to any member of the public upon request. However your name, address, phone number and any other information that identifies you will not be disclosed. Furthermore, no part of your complaint will be disclosed to a request that asks specifically for a complaint filed by you.

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DANVERS, MA 01923

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1	0	F48Z-13007-B	UNIT AS 634093	SP-ORD 180.34	180.32	180.32
1	0	F48Z-13007-A	UNIT AS 634092	SP-ORD 180.34	180.32	180.32
SUBTOTAL						360.64
TAX						18.03
FREIGHT						0.00
TOTAL						378.67

ALL RETURNED GOODS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY THIS INVOICE AND ARE SUBJECT TO 10% HANDLING CHARGE.
NO RETURNS ON ELECTRICAL PARTS.
NO RETURNS AFTER 72 HOURS.
NO RETURNS ON SPECIAL ORDER PARTS. WE APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS.

THANK YOU FOR SHOPPING
DANVERS FORD MOTOR CO.

PAY THIS AMOUNT
PAX THIS AMOUNT

10:04:40 CUSTOMER COPY

PARTS INVOICE

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