

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

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Date Received

30-AUG-2000

 Od_or _____
 Rt_dt _____
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Reference No.

869153

 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 vehicle or on driver's side)	Vehicle Make	Vehicle Model	Vehicle Year	Current Odometer Reading
1FTZR15X2XPB77093	FORD TRUCK	RANGER	1999	

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 02740000	Part Name(s) TIRES: TREAD	Location ☐ Left ☐ Front ☐ Right ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☐ Original ☐ Replacement
No. of Failures 0	Date(s) of Failure(s) 30-AUG-2000 Mileage at Failure(s) 16100 Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) 2	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 0	Number of Fatalities 0	Estimated Property Damage	Reported to Police ☐ Yes ☒ No
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NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FAILURE(S), INCIDENT(S), INJURY(IES)

CONSUMER STATED THAT HAD FOUND OUT CRACKS ON THE TREAD OF THE TIRES AFTER HEARING THAT FIRESTONE TIRES HAD BEEN RECALL, WHERE THE TIRES HAD BEEN MANUFACTURE IN DECATUR, IL. FIRESTONE WILDERNESS AT 245/75 R16 DOT VD70

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.

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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print) 632347		DATE RECEIVED PH 1:38 30-AUG-2000 OFFICE OF DEFECTS INVESTIGATION	
Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? In the absence of an authorization, NHTSA WILL NOT provide your name and address to the vehicle manufacturer.		Reference No. 869153	
Signature of Owner		Work Number Home Number	
VEHICLE INFORMATION			
Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) 1FTZP16X2XPB77003		Vehicle Make FORD TRUCK	
Vehicle Model RANGER		Year of Year 1998	
Current Odometer Reading 16,100.04		Engine Size (CID/CC/L) 4.0L	
Purchase Date ☐ New ☒ Used		Dealer's Name Overseas Military Sales Corp 100 CROSSWAYS PARK WEST City WOODBURY State NY Zip Code 11797-2002	
Engine Cylinders 6		Turbo Diesel Gas Fuel Injection ☒ Turbo ☐ Diesel ☐ Gas ☐ Fuel Injection	
Transmission Type ☒ Manual ☐ Automatic		Antilock Brakes ☒ Yes ☐ No	
Restraint System ☒ 3-Point Belt ☐ Motorbelt ☒ Driverside Airbag ☐ Point Belt ☒ Passengerside Airbag		Cruise Control ☐ Yes ☒ No	
Drive Train ☐ Front ☐ Rear ☒ 4-Wheel		Vehicle Type ☐ Car ☐ Sport Utl ☐ Truck ☐ Motorcycle ☐ Van ☐ Minivan ☐ Other	
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No. of Failures 0		Date(s) of Failure(s) 30-AUG-2000 Mileage at Failure(s) 16100 Vehicle Speed at Failure(s) 0	
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 0		Number of Fatalities 0	
Estimated Property Damag 0		Reported to Police ☐ Yes ☒ No	
NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FAILURE(S), INCIDENT(S), INJURY(IES)			
CONSUMER HAD FOUND OUT CRACKS ON THE TREAD OF THE TIRES AFTER HEARING THAT FIRESTONE TIRES HAD BEEN RECALLED, ESPECIALLY TIRES THAT HAD BEEN MANUFACTURED IN DECATUR, IL. FIRESTONE WILDERNESS AT 245/75 R16 DOT VD70. 'AK Enclosed is a recommendation from the local Firestone dealer here in the United Kingdom. Due to the fact that these are DOT tires, I cannot place European tires on the truck and import back to the states.			
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INFORMATION ON TIRE FAILURE(S) (IF APPLICABLE)

TIRE IDENTIFICATION NO. *

DOT V D 7 0

MANUFACTURER/TIRE NAME

FIRESTONE / Wilderness AT

SIZE

245-75R16

* 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)

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