



U.S. Department
of Transportation

**National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration**

ODI RESUME

Investigation: PE 10-018
Date Opened: 05/27/2010
Principal Investigator: Sonny Murianka
Subject: Engine Compartment Fires

MANUFACTURER & PRODUCT INFORMATION

Manufacturer: BLUE BIRD BODY COMPANY
Products: 2008-2010 Blue Bird Vision buses
Population: 4,000 (Estimated)
Problem Description: Engine compartment fires

FAILURE REPORT SUMMARY

	ODI	Manufacturer	Total
Complaints:	4	0	4
Crashes/Fires:	4	0	4
Injury Incidents:	0	0	0
Fatality Incidents:	0	0	0

ACTION / SUMMARY INFORMATION

Action: A preliminary Evaluation (PE) has been opened.

Summary:

ODI is aware of four Blue Bird Vision bus fires. Reportedly, all fires have started in the engine compartment. This PE is being opened to further study these fires.

Historically, engine compartment fires have been the subject of numerous safety recalls.