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To: 'Nevi, Raymond (R.A.)'
Cc: Hershman, Larry (NHTSA); Borris, Frank (NHTSA)
Subject: EA11-006 recent VOQ
Attachments: 10404949.pdf

Ray,

ODI recently received the attached VOQ, I want to make sure Ford is aware of it. Larry has been in contact with the complainant, the local Fire Marshall, and the Insurer and their fire investigator. He has collected additional information that we can provide, please feel free to have someone from your staff contact him. The Insurer has secured the vehicle. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Scott

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Complaint Detail

10-JUN-2011

Complaint Information

ODI #: 10404949	Referral Source:	Num. Injured: 1	Property Damage:	
Received Date: 02-JUN-2011	Incident Date: 27-MAY-2011	Crash: N	Num Occurrences:	Police Report:
Description: FUEL TANK DROPPED TO THE ROAD WHILE DRIVING CAUSING THE TRUCK TO BE ENGULFED IN FLAMES. DRIVER MADE IT OUT WITH FIRST AND SECOND DEGREE BURNS. TWO DOGS IN THE BACK SEAT DIED IN THE FIRE. INITIAL INVESTIGATION BY THE INSURANCE INVESTIGATOR DETERMINED THAT IT WAS THE FUEL TANK STRAPS THAT FAILED. THERE IS AN INVESTIGATION (PE10036) BY THE NHTSA FOR FUEL TANK STRAPS ON FORD F-150S 1999-2001. THE 2002 AND 2003 F-150 USE THE SAME STRAPS. LARRY HERSHMAN OF NHTSA HAS CONTACTED ME ABOUT THIS INCIDENT.	Fire: Y	Num. Deaths: 0	Confidential:	

Consumer Information

Title:	Address: ██████████	Zip Code: █████	Evening Phone:	Country Phone Code:
Name: ██████████	WAKEFIELD	Country: UNITED STATES	Email: ██████████	
Org.: ██████████	RHODE ISLAND	Daytime Phone: ██████████	Fax:	

Product Information

Vehicle Information

<u>Product:</u> <u>Product Type :VEHICLE</u> <u>Product Category :LIGHT VEHICLES</u> <u>Manufacturer :FORD MOTOR COMPANY</u> <u>Make :FORD</u> <u>Model :F-150</u> <u>Model Year :2002</u> <u>Type :TRUCK</u>	Failure Mileage: 139000	Antilock Brakes:	
VIN: 2FTRX18W92C ██████████	Original Owner:	Body Style:	Speed: 40
# of Cylinders:	Engine Size:	Fuel Type:	Powertrain:
Cruise Control:	Vehicle Usage:	Purchase Date:	Fuel System:
Current Mileage:	Transmission Type:		
<u>Component: 070000 FUEL SYSTEM, GASOLINE</u>			