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	Constant velocity (CV) drive axle boots	The same of the sa	7/32" (Disc) or Over 2mm or 3/32" (Drum) 7/32" (Disc) or 1.01 to 2mm (Drum) or 2/32" to 3/32"
	Exhaust system (leaks, damage, loose	Less than 3mm	or 4/32" (Disc) or 1mm or 2/32" or less (Drum)
	Drive shaft, transmission, u-joint and sequipped) and lubricate (as needed)	hift linkage (if	ements Not Taken This Service Visit
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	Accessory drive belt(s)	7/32 or Greate	or 7/32 or Greater
	Clutch operation (if equipped)	4/32 to 6/32	4/32 to 6/32
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	Brake Reservoir Window Washer	Bad Cranking Arrips 2 45
	Check Following Systems / Components Operation of horn, interior lights, exterior lamps, turn signals, hazard and brake lamps	Check Brakes Measure Front / Rear Brake Linings  LF
	Windshield washer spray, wiper operation and wiper blades	
	Windshield for cracks, chips and pitting	
	Radiator, heater, and air-conditioning hoses for leaks and damage	
	Engine air filter	
	Inspect cabin air filter (if equipped)	
Z BI	Oil and/or fluid leaks	LR
	Constant velocity (CV) drive axle boots (if equipped)	Over 5mm or 7/32" (Disc) or Over 2mm or 3/92" (Drum) 3 to 5mm or 4/32" to 7/32" (Disc) or 1.01 to 2mm (Drum) or 2/32" to 3/32
	Exhaust system (leaks, damage, loose parts)	Lese than 3mm or 4/32" (Disc) or 1mm or 2/32" or less (Drum)
	Drive shaft, transmission, u-joint and shift linkage (if equipped) and lubricate (as needed)	Brake Measurements Not Taken This Service Visit  Comments:
	Steering and steering linkages	Check Tires
	Shocks/struts and other suspension components for leaks and/or damage	LF TREAD DEPTH RF
	Brake system (including lines, hoses, and parking brake) and wheel end for end-play and bearing noise	7/32 or Greater 7/32 or Greater 4/32 to 6/32 4/32 to 6/32
	Engine Cooling system, hoses and clamps	3/32 or less 3/32 or less
	Accessory drive belt(s)	7/32 or Greater 7/32 or Greater
	Clutch operation (if equipped)	4/32 to 6/32 4/32 to 6/32
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and wiper blades		
Windshield for cracks chips and pitting		
Radiator, heater, and air-conditioning hoses for leaks and damage		
Engine air filter		
Inspect cabin air filter (if equipped)	97	
Oil and/or fluid leaks	LR Court From or 2/222 (D	RR :
Constant velocity (CV) drive axle boots (if equipped)	3 to 5mm or 4/32" to 7/32" (Dis	sc) or 1.01 to 2mm (Drum) or 2/32" to 3/32"
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Drive shaft, transmission, u-joint and shift linkage (if equipped) and lubricate (as needed)	Comments:	lot Taken This Service Visit
Steering and steering linkages	the particular section way	Check Tires
Shocks/struts and other suspension components for leaks and/or damage	THE THEORY THAT SHEET WHEN	DEAD DEPTH DE
Brake system (including lines, hoses, and parking brake) and wheel end for end-play and bearing noise	7/32 or Greater 4/32 to 6/32	7/32 or Greater 4/32 to 6/32
Engine Cooling system, hoses and clamps	3/32 or less	3/32 or less
Accessory drive belt(s)	7/32 or Greater	7/32 or Greater
Clutch operation (if equipped)	4/32 10 6/32	4/32 to 6/92
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TRAVELERS PERSONAL INSURANCE COMPANY COLLEEN LEWIS PO BOX 3022 FALL RIVER MA 02722-3022 (800) 925-7693 x 8339 (508) 324-8339

SECTION February 22, 2005

5 MAR -2 P3:48

CLAIMS DEPT FORD MOTOR COMPANY PO BOX 1904

DEARBORN MI 48121

MAR 03 7005

Our Client:

Claim/File #:

Date of Loss:

01/17/2005

Reference:

Subrogation Claim



Dear CLAIMS DEPT:

We are handling a claim for who sustained a loss on 01/17/2005.

Our investigation reveals that you may be legally responsible for this loss, and we are seeking reimbursement from you. We are requesting reimbursement of the total amount of \$3,061,12. We have paid \$2,561.12 and our insured, has a deductible of \$500.

PLEASE REFER TO RECALL - ACCELERATOR CALBE MAY PREVENT THE THROTTLE FROM RETURNING TO THE IDLE POSITION. AN UNEXPECTED INCREASE IN ENGINE IDLE SPEED MY INCREASE STOPPING DISTANCE & MAY RESULT IN A VEHICLE CRASH, OUR INSD WAS UNABLE TO STOP & HIT ANOTHER VEH.

If you have insurance, please complete the attached form and return it to me. Please refer this letter to your insurance carrier immediately, requesting they contact our offices. Should you not have insurance, we expect payment from you directly. Please contact me to discuss repayment options.

Please call me with any questions.

Sincerely, COLLEEN LEWIS CL REP (508) 324-8339 Fax:

Email:

Enc. Insurance Questionnaire

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#### All Action Details for Issue

		1.300
Model: ESCAPE	Case:	
WSD: 2001-09-13		2,14
Primary Phone:		

VIN: 1FMYU04172K

Name:

Owner Status: Original

Symptom Desc: SERVICE BRAKE INOP/INEFFECTIVE FRONT

Reason Desc: LEGAL - ACCIDENT / FIRE

Issue Type: 07 LEGAL

Issue Status: CLOSED

Action: ADVISE CUST INFORMATION WILL BE SENT TO CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Dealer: 07414 GLENN BUSHFORD, INC.

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Odometer: 50000 MI Analyst Name: JACKSON TAMEKA Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: TJACKS60

Action Date: 01/27/2005

Action Time: 11.11.26.500

Action Data: Yes

Secondary Phone:

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: -CUSTOMER HAD AN ACCIDENT ON JAN 17TH -SHE WAS AT A STOP LIGHT...WHEN ACCEL. IN STOP AND GO TRAFFIC-WHEN CUSTOMER APPLIED THE BRAKES AND FRONT BRAKES DID NOT STOP THE VEHICLE-INSURANCE COMPANY HAS BEEN CONTACTED -INSURANCE CARRIER HAVE GIVEN THE CUSTOMER AN ESTIMATE -VEHICLE IS IN THE CUSTOMERS -VEHICLE DAMAGES-BUCKLED HOOD, GRILL WAS CRACKED, FENDER DAMAGE, SAFETY COLLISION BAR WAS BENT, MOLDING AROUND THE HEAD LIGHT WAS CRACKEDDEALER SAID: GLENN BUSH FORD INC.ROUTE 56APOLLO, PA 15613TEL: (724) 478-4113FAX: (724) 478-5232DISTANCE: 1.52 MILESCRC ADVISED: - I WILL FORWARD THIS INFORMATION TO OUR CONSUMER AFFAIRS GROUP, SOMEBODY FROM CONSUMER AFFAIRS WILL CONTACT YOU IN 2 BUSINESS DAYS. PLEASE NOTIFY YOUR INSURANCE CARRIER AND REPORT THIS INCIDENT.-FOR INTERNAL USE ONLY--MONDAY AND TUES. 1PM CUST. WOULD BE LEAVING WORK -SHE IS REQUESTING THAT CONSUMER AFFAIRS CALL HER AT THAT TIME

Data Element Name	Data Value
FIRE/ACCIDENT	F

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Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Odometer: 50000 MI Analyst Name: JACKSON TAMEKA Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: TJACKS60

Action Date: 01/27/2005

Action Time: 11.17.16.328 Action I

Action Data: Yes

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Data Element Name	Data Value
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FIRE/ACCIDENT	A

Action: MAKE OUTBOUND CALL TO CUSTOMER

Dealer: 07414 GLENN BUSHFORD, INC.

Odometer: 50000 MI Comm Type: PHONE

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION PREVENTION

.. 3/11/2005

Analyst Name: DAVIS, RUTHAnalyst: RDAVIS96

Action Date: 01/28/2005 Action Time: 10.58.53.467 Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER REQUESTED THAT LPA CALL MONDAY OR TUESDAY AFTERNOON 1/31 OR 2/1 . LPA WILL

CALL AT THAT TIME

Action: UPDATE CONTACT STATUS

Dealer: 07414 GLENN BUSHFORD, INC. Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION PREVENTION

Odometer: 50000 MI Comm Type: OTHER Analyst Name: DAVIS,RUTHAnalyst: RDAVIS96

Action Date: 02/03/2005 Action Time: 14.16.58.091Action Data: No

Comments RECEIVED EMAIL WITH PICTURES OF WHAT DAMAGED CABLE LOOKS LIKE. SENT TO S/M AT DEALERSHIP AND ASKED THAT HE INSPECT THE CABLE THAT WAS TAKEN FROM THIS VEHICLE. S/M STATES

THE CABLE IS COMPLETELY NORMAL. CALLED CUSTOMER WITH UPDATE

Action: CLOSING COMMENTS - DENIAL - NO PRODUCT DEFECT FOUND

Dealer: 07414 GLENN BUSHFORD, INC. Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION PREVENTION

Odometer: 50000 MI Comm Type: MAIL Analyst Name: DAVIS,RUTHAnalyst: RDAVIS96

Action Date: 02/03/2005 Action Time: 14.18.40.515Action Data: No

Comments DENY ASSISTANCE - SENT CUSTOMER LETTER - REFER TO INSURANCE COMPANY

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VIN: 1FMYU04172K

Year: 2002

Name:

Owner Status: Original

Symptom Desc: GENERAL INQUIRIES REQUEST/NON-VEHICLE RELATED

Reason Desc: RECALL/ONP - VEHICLE INVOLVEMENT Issue Type: 03 CONCERN

Issue Status: CLOSED

Initial Customer Contact: 01/28/2005

Primary Phone: Secondary Phone:

WSD: 2001-09-13

Model: ESCAPE Case:

Action: ADVISE CUST OF FSA/CSP; DOCUMENT CAMPAIGN NUMBER

Dealer: 07414 GLENN BUSHFORD, INC.

Origin Desc: US INQUIRY CASE BASE

Odometer: 50000 MI

Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: TJACKS60

Analyst Name: JACKSON TAMEKA Action Date: 01/27/2005

Action Time: 11.19.57.202

Action Data: Yes

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: NONEDEALER SAID: NONECRC ADVISED: PLEASE ADVISE THE CUSTOMER OF THE INFORMATION FOUND IN THE CUSTOMER LETTER OR THE SEARCH ENGINE Q&A. PLEASE DOCUMENT ANY

INFORMATION YOU PROVIDE TO THE CUSTOMER.

**Data Element Name** 

**Data Value** 

FSA/CSP CAMPAIGN NUMBER

04\$25

Action: DOCUMENT INFORMATION AND CLOSE CONTACT

Dealer: 07414 GLENN BUSHFORD, INC.

Origin Desc: FIELD ORGANIZATION

Odometer: 50000 MI

Analyst Name: SARA SMITH (SSMIT257)

Action Date: 01/31/2005

Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: SSMIT257

Action Time: 17.49.29.763

Action Data: No

Comments DUPLICATE CONCERN. CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND OUR LEGAL DEPT. ARE INVOLVED WITH THIS

CONCERN.



## Report Of Accident

Address GREENAED,
Year Make & Model of Vehicle 2003 FORD ESCAPE X Licenses
Drivers Licenses To No Passengers To
City and State of Accident - REFNELD WI
Name and Address of Driver
Jal Jal
Name of Owner of Other Vehicle
Address of Other Vehicle Graphidd WI + Houda
Home Telephone ( ) Business Telephone ( )
Year & Make of Vehicle 1998 CHEVLicense#_
Name of Driver of Other Vehicle:
Address of Other Driver
Drivers License # State CL Date of Birth C
Name and Address of Passengers  N O: 5
Name and Address of Witnesses

What was your destination	
Are you employed NO	
Name and Address of Employer	
Business Telephone # ( )	Did you have permission to use vehicle
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What is your Driver's License #	[ssan.]
Was the Police Notified YES	
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Was contact made with or by the other vehicle Yes
Point of Impact on your car Front bunger Other car Rear Bunger.
Describe damage to your car Scuffed Frank Duragen.
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If you received a traffic ticket please state results of ticket
n your opinion who was responsible for this collision

Please make a diagram of the scene of the collision, indicate North and the direction of all vehicles FOREST MONE AVE Can/will you be available for depositions and trial/arbitration if necessary? 10-30-06 Date Signature



P.O. Box 36220 Louisville, KY 40233-6200 FAX (800) 723-4869

August 22, 2006

FORD MOTOR COMPANY

SEP 1 4 2006

DEFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL

FORD MOTOR COMPANY PO BOX 1904

**DEARBORN MI 48121** 

RF:

Your Insured:

RECALL NOTICE 04V574000

Your File Number: Our Insured:

Insurance Company: AUTO CLUB INSURANCE ASSOCIATION Date of Incident:

12/22/2005

Event Number:

TPCS - 528778 - 817195

Amount Paid:

\$4513.68

Dear .

TransPaC Solutions is the recovery agent for AUTO CLUB INSURANCE ASSOCIATION. Enclosed is supporting documentation for their insured's claim. The amount paid includes the insured's deductible of \$500.00.

Please forward your check payable to TransPaC Solutions to the address at the top of this letter. Be sure to include the TransPaC Solution's event number and the insured's name on your check.

Please contact me if you have any questions or need further information to evaluate this claim.

Sincerely.

Lue Sy McCullar

Kelly Mccullar (877) 276-8344

528778 - 817195/T3PINS1

## ISSUE LIST

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Last Handling Date/ Issue Status	Name/ Reason Desc	Vin/ Case No.	Model Year and Vehicle Line	Issue Type
1/4/2006		1FMYU03193K	2003 ESCAPE	02
CLOSED	PRODUCT - NEGATIVE FEEDBACK	393343575		
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VIN: 1FMYU03193K

Year: 2003

Model: ESCAPE

Case:

Name: Symptom Desc: NOISE ENGINE (UPPER)

Owner Status: Subsequent

WSD: 2002-12-07 Primary Phone:

Reason Desc: PRODUCT - NEGATIVE FEEDBACK Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION

Issue Status: CLOSED

Secondary Phone:

Origin Desc: US INQUIRY CASE BASE

Action: CLOSE - DOCUMENT MULTIPLE SYMPTOMS

Dealer:

Comm Type: PHONE

Odometer: 45800 MI

Analyst Name: QUAMMIE NATALIE Action Date: 01/04/2006

Analyst: NQUAMMI1

Action Time: 12.10.59.329

Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: -GORDIE BOURCHER COMPLETED THE RECALL 12/15/05-MY VEH SURGED FORWARD AND REARENDED ANOTHER DRIVER IN FRONT OF ME-MY AIRBAG DIDN'T DIPLOY, IT POPPED UP, BUT DIDN'T OPEN -THE PASSENGER SIDE AIR BAG DID DEPLOY, BUT I WAS ALONE IN THE VEH -A RUBBING SOUND WHEN I TURNED -WHISTLING NOISE FROM MY ENGINE, -THE DLR REPLACED THE AIRBAGS, THE STEERING COLUMN -I PICKED UP VEH YESTERDAY -THERE IS A CHARGE FOR THE SEATBELT BUCKLES -I WANT TO MAKE A COMPLAINT ABOUT THE VEH -SEEKING PRODUCT FEEDBACKDEALER SAID: -GORDIE BOUCHER LINCOLN -MERCURY3161 SOUTH 108TH STREETWEST ALLIS, WI 53227TEL: (414) 327-6000-THE RUBBING NOISE IS NORMAL-THE WHISTLING NOISE IS FROM THE WINDSHIELD -SEAT BELT BUCKLES ARE BENT AND THE COMPUTER PICKED UP THE -THE AIR BAGS SENSES THE WEIGHT OF A PERSOCRC ADVISED: THANK YOU FOR PROVIDING FORD MOTOR COMPANY WITH YOUR THOUGHTS; YOUR OPINIONS ARE VALUABLE TO US. I HAVE DOCUMENTED. YOUR FEEDBACK AND THE INFORMATION YOU PROVIDED REGARDING YOUR EXPERIENCE WITH OUR PRODUCT. THIS INFORMATION IS FORWARDED TO VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS WITHIN FORD TO CONTINUOUSLY IMPROVE OUR PRODUCTS AND SERVICES. YOU WILL ONLY BE CONTACTED IF A SPECIFIC DEPARTMENT REQUIRES ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR CLARIFICATION.

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VIN: 1FMYU03193K Name:

Year: 2003

Owner Status: Subsequent

Symptom Desc: STRG/HANDLING NOISE WHEN TURNING

Reason Desc: PRODUCT - NEGATIVE FEEDBACK

Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION

Issue Status: CLOSED

Model: ESCAPE

WSD: 2002-12-07

Primary Phone: Secondary Phone:

Origin Desc: US INQUIRY CASE BASE

Case:

Action: ADVISE CUSTOMER THE FEEDBACK HAS BEEN DOCUMENTED

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst Name: QUAMMIE NATALIE

Analyst: NQUAMMI1

Action Date: 01/04/2006

Odometer: 45800 MI

Action Time: 12.10.16.095

Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: -GORDIE BOURCHER COMPLETED THE RECALL 12/15/05-MY VEH SURGED FORWARD AND REARENDED ANOTHER DRIVER IN FRONT OF ME-MY AIRBAG DIDN'T DIPLOY, IT POPPED UP, BUT DIDN'T OPEN -THE PASSENGER SIDE AIR BAG DID DEPLOY, BUT I WAS ALONE IN THE VEH -A RUBBING SOUND WHEN I TURNED -WHISTLING NOISE FROM MY ENGINE, -THE DLR REPLACED THE AIRBAGS, THE STEERING COLUMN -I PICKED UP VEH YESTERDAY -THERE IS A CHARGE FOR THE SEATBELT BUCKLES -I WANT TO MAKE A COMPLAINT ABOUT THE VEH -SEEKING PRODUCT FEEDBACKDEALER SAID: -GORDIE BOUCHER LINCOLN -MERCURY3161 SOUTH 108TH STREETWEST ALLIS, WI 53227TEL: (414) 327-6000-THE RUBBING NOISE IS NORMAL-THE WHISTLING NOISE IS FROM THE WINDSHIELD -SEAT BELT BUCKLES ARE BENT AND THE COMPUTER PICKED UP THE -THE AIR BAGS SENSES THE WEIGHT OF A PERSOCRC ADVISED: THANK YOU FOR PROVIDING FORD MOTOR COMPANY WITH YOUR THOUGHTS; YOUR OPINIONS ARE VALUABLE TO US, I HAVE DOCUMENTED YOUR FEEDBACK AND THE INFORMATION YOU PROVIDED REGARDING YOUR EXPERIENCE WITH OUR PRODUCT. THIS INFORMATION IS FORWARDED TO VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS WITHIN FORD TO CONTINUOUSLY IMPROVE OUR PRODUCTS AND SERVICES. YOU WILL ONLY BE CONTACTED IF A SPECIFIC DEPARTMENT REQUIRES ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR CLARIFICATION.

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VIN: 1FMYU03193K

Owner Status: Subsequent Name: Symptom Desc: RESTRAINTS AIR BAG SYSTEM NON-DEPLOYMENT

Reason Desc: PRODUCT - NEGATIVE FEEDBACK

Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION

Issue Status: CLOSED

Year: 2003

Model: ESCAPE Case: WSD: 2002-12-07 Primary Phone: Secondary Phone:

Origin Desc: US INQUIRY CASE BASE

Action: CLOSE - DOCUMENT MULTIPLE SYMPTOMS

Dealer:

Odometer: 45800 MI Analyst Name: QUAMMIE NATALIE

Action Date: 01/04/2006

Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: NQUAMMI1

Action Time: 11.23.50.279

Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: -GORDIE BOURCHER COMPLETED THE RECALL 12/15/05-MY VEH SURGED FORWARD AND REARENDED ANOTHER DRIVER IN FRONT OF ME-MY AIRBAG DIDN'T DIPLOY, IT POPPED UP, BUT DIDN'T OPEN -THE PASSENGER SIDE AIR BAG DID DEPLOY, BUT I WAS ALONE IN THE VEH -A RUBBING SOUND WHEN I TURNED -WHISTLING NOISE FROM MY ENGINE, -THE DLR REPLACED THE AIRBAGS, THE STEERING COLUMN -I PICKED UP VEH YESTERDAY -THERE IS A CHARGE FOR THE SEATBELT BUCKLES -I WANT TO MAKE A COMPLAINT ABOUT THE VEH -SEEKING PRODUCT FEEDBACKDEALER SAID; -GORDIE BOUCHER LINCOLN -MERCURY3161 SOUTH 108TH STREETWEST ALLIS, WI 53227TEL: (414) 327-6000-THE RUBBING NOISE IS NORMAL-THE WHISTLING NOISE IS FROM THE WINDSHIELD -SEAT BELT BUCKLES ARE BENT AND THE COMPUTER PICKED UP THE -THE AIR BAGS SENSE THE WEIGHT OF A PERSONCRC ADVISED: THANK YOU FOR PROVIDING FORD MOTOR COMPANY WITH YOUR THOUGHTS; YOUR OPINIONS ARE VALUABLE TO US, I HAVE DOCUMENTED YOUR FEEDBACK AND THE INFORMATION YOU PROVIDED REGARDING YOUR EXPERIENCE WITH OUR PRODUCT, THIS INFORMATION IS FORWARDED TO VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS WITHIN FORD TO CONTINUOUSLY IMPROVE OUR PRODUCTS AND SERVICES, YOU WILL ONLY BE CONTACTED IF A SPECIFIC DEPARTMENT REQUIRES ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR CLARIFICATION.

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VIN: 1FMYU03193K Name: Year: 2003

Owner Status: Subsequent

Symptom Desc: SURGE ACCELERATION HOT ENGINE Reason Desc: PRODUCT - NEGATIVE FEEDBACK

Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION

Issue Status: CLOSED

Model: ESCAPE

Case:

WSD: 2002-12-07 Primary Phone: 414-325-8055

Origin Desc: US INQUIRY CASE BASE

Secondary Phone:

Action: ADVISE CUSTOMER THE FEEDBACK HAS BEEN DOCUMENTED

Dealer:

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Odometer: 45800 Mi

Analyst Name: QUAMMIE NATALIE

Action Date: 01/04/2006

Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: NQUAMMI1

Action Time: 11.19.48.119

Action Data: No

COMMENTS CUSTOMER SAID: -GORDIE BOURCHER COMPLETED THE RECALL 12/15/05-MY VEH SURGED FORWARD AND REARENDED ANOTHER DRIVER IN FRONT OF ME-MY AIRBAG DIDN'T DIPLOY, IT POPPED UP, BUT DIDN'T OPEN -THE PASSENGER SIDE AIR BAG DID DEPLOY, BUT I WAS ALONE IN THE VEH -A RUBBING SOUND WHEN I TURNED -WHISTLING NOISE FROM MY ENGINE, -THE DLR REPLACED THE AIRBAGS, THE STEERING COLUMN -I PICKED UP VEH YESTERDAY -THERE IS A CHARGE FOR THE SEATBELT BUCKLES -I WANT TO MAKE A COMPLAINT ABOUT THE VEH -SEEKING PRODUCT FEEDBACKDEALER SAID: -GORDIE BOUCHER LINCOLN -MERCURY3161 SOUTH 108TH STREETWEST ALLIS, WI 53227TEL: (414) 327-6000-THE RUBBING NOISE IS NORMALTHE WHISTLING NOISE IS FROM THE WINDSHIELD -SEAT BELT BUCKLES ARE BENT AND THE COMPUTER PICKED UP THE -THE AIR BAGS SENSE THE WEIGHT OF A PERSONCRC ADVISED: THANK YOU FOR PROVIDING FORD MOTOR COMPANY WITH YOUR THOUGHTS; YOUR OPINIONS ARE VALUABLE TO US, I HAVE DOCUMENTED YOUR FEEDBACK AND THE INFORMATION YOU PROVIDED REGARDING YOUR EXPERIENCE WITH OUR PRODUCT. THIS INFORMATION IS FORWARDED TO VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS WITHIN FORD TO CONTINUOUSLY IMPROVE OUR PRODUCTS AND SERVICES. YOU WILL ONLY BE CONTACTED IF A SPECIFIC DEPARTMENT REQUIRES ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR CLARIFICATION.

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VIN: 1FMYU03193K Name: Year: 2003

Owner Status: Subsequent

Symptom Desc: SURGE ACCELERATION ALL ENGINE TEMP
Reason Desc; LEGAL - INSURANCE COMPANY SETTLEMENT
Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION Issue Status: CLOSED

Model: ESCAPE Case:
WSD: 2002-12-07
Primary Phone:
Secondary Phone:

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Action: CLOSE - DOCUMENT MULTIPLE SYMPTOMS

Dealer:

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Odometer: 45000 MI

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Analyst Name: HENRIETTA HURD (HHURD)
Action Date: 12/23/2005

Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: HHURD

Action Time: 10.57.33.885 Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: -CUST WOULD LIKE TO ALERT FORD THAT THE DRIVERS SIDE AIRBAG DID NOT DEPLOY FULLY IN A ACCIDENT YESTERDAY AND THAT THE CAR STILL SURGED FORWARD AFTER THE ACCELERATOR RECALL WAS COMPLETED BY A L/M DLRSHP-CUST PURCHASED VEH FROM A NON FORD DLRSHP, WHO DID NOT INFORM CUST OF RECALL -CUST WANTS TO KNOW WHY THE DRIVER'S SIDE AIRBAG DID NOT DEPLOY -NO INJURIES -CUST FEELS THAT THE ACCIDENT WAS NOT HER FAULT AND ID SCARED OF DRIVING THE VEH -WHEN VEH WAS PURCHASED- THERE WAS A NOISE IN THE STEERING COLUMN WHEN CUST TURNED THE WHEEL AND VEH SEEMED TO ACCELERATE QUICKLY SOMETIMES WHEN THE CUST'S FOOT WAS NOT ON THE GAS --CUST TOOK VEH TO THE DLRSHP TO HAVE ACCELERATOR CABLE RECALL REPAIR COMPLETED AT A F/L/M DLRSHP -YESTERDAY CUST WAS WAITING ON THE STREET ON AN INCLINE - THE CAR SURGED FORWARD WHEN CUST TOOK FOOT OF OF THE BRAKE AND HIT THE BACK END OF THE VEH IN FRONT OF CUST-IT SPRUNG THE OTHER VEH'S TRUNK --TRUNK HINGE WAS POPPED AND SCRATCHED THE BUMPER -BOTH AIRBAGS DEPLOYED -- THE PASSENGER AIRBAG DEPLOYED AS IT SHOULD AND THE DRIVER'S AIRBAG DID NOT DEPLOY FULLY - LIKE A LIMP BALLOON -A POLICE REPORT WAS FILED --- VEH IS CURRENTLY AT THE DLRSHP -CUST IS SCARED TO USE VEH AGAIN AND IS NOT SURE THE L/M DLRSHP THE RECALL REPAIR CORRECTLY OR IF THE PART THAT WAS REPLACED WAS FAULTY -CUST IS CURRENTLY WORKING INSURANCE. COMPANY -- WHO IS HAVING VEH REPAIREDDEALER SAID: NONE GORDIE BOUCHER LINCOLN - MERCURY3161 SOUTH 108TH STREETWEST ALLIS, WI 53227TEL: (414) 327-6000CRC ADVISED: YOUR INSURANCE COMPANY HAS THE RIGHT TO PURSUE CLAIMS FOR REIMBURSEMENT AGAINST FORD, HOWEVER, FORD WILL BE UNABLE TO INVESTIGATE YOUR CLAIM AS REPAIRS TO YOUR VEHICLE HAVE BEEN PERFORMED AND YOU ARE CURRENTLY IN THE PROCESS OF PURSUING A CLAIM WITH YOUR INSURANCE COMPANY, CUST INFORMED OF THE ABOVE. INFORMATION-OBC TO LINK-- SPOKE TO SHARON -- INFORM CUST THAT ONCE THE INSURANCE COMPANY REVIEW THE ACCIDENT, THE INSURANCE ADJUSTER THEN WILL MAKE A DETERMINATION AS TO WHY THE AIRBAG DID NOT DEPLOY-

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VIN: 1FMYU03193K

Year: 2003

Owner Status: Subsequent

Symptom Desc: STRG/HANDLING STEERING COLUMN NOISE
Reason Desc: LEGAL - INSURANCE COMPANY SETTLEMENT
Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION Issue Status: CLOSED

Model: ESCAPE
WSD: 2002-12-07
Primary Phone:
Secondary Phone

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE



Action: CLOSE - DOCUMENT MULTIPLE SYMPTOMS

Dealer:

Name:

Comm Type: PHONE

Odometer: 45000 MI Analyst Name: HENRIETTA HURD (HHURD)

Analyst: HHURD

Action Date: 12/23/2005

Action Time: 10.56.50.774 Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: -CUST WOULD LIKE TO ALERT FORD THAT THE DRIVERS SIDE AIRBAG DID NOT DEPLOY FULLY IN A ACCIDENT YESTERDAY AND THAT THE CAR STILL SURGED FORWARD AFTER THE ACCELERATOR RECALL WAS COMPLETED BY A L/M DLRSHP-CUST PURCHASED VEH FROM A NON FORD DLRSHP, WHO DID NOT INFORM CUST OF RECALL -CUST WANTS TO KNOW WHY THE DRIVER'S SIDE AIRBAG DID NOT DEPLOY -NO INJURIES -CUST FEELS THAT THE ACCIDENT WAS NOT HER FAULT AND ID SCARED OF DRIVING THE VEH -WHEN VEH WAS PURCHASED- THERE WAS A NOISE IN THE STEERING COLUMN WHEN CUST TURNED THE WHEEL AND VEH SEEMED TO ACCELERATE QUICKLY SOMETIMES WHEN THE CUST'S FOOT WAS NOT ON THE GAS -CUST TOOK VEH TO THE DLRSHP TO HAVE ACCELERATOR CABLE RECALL REPAIR COMPLETED AT A F/L/M DLRSHP -YESTERDAY CUST WAS WAITING ON THE STREET ON AN INCLINE - THE CAR SURGED FORWARD WHEN CUST TOOK FOOT OF OF THE BRAKE AND HIT THE BACK END OF THE VEH IN FRONT OF CUST -IT SPRUNG THE OTHER VEH'S TRUNK --TRUNK HINGE WAS POPPED AND SCRATCHED THE BUMPER -BOTH AIRBAGS DEPLOYED -- THE PASSENGER AIRBAG DEPLOYED AS IT SHOULD AND THE DRIVER'S AIRBAG DID NOT DEPLOY FULLY -- LIKE A LIMP BALLOON -A POLICE REPORT WAS FILED --- VEH IS CURRENTLY AT THE DLRSHP -CUST IS SCARED TO USE VEH AGAIN AND IS NOT SURE THE LIM DLRSHP THE RECALL REPAIR CORRECTLY OR IF THE PART THAT WAS REPLACED WAS FAULTY -CUST IS CURRENTLY WORKING INSURANCE COMPANY-- WHO IS HAVING VEH REPAIREDDEALER SAID: NONE GORDIE BOUCHER LINCOLN - MERCURY3161 SOUTH 108TH STREETWEST ALLIS, WI 53227TEL: (414) 327-6000CRC ADVISED: YOUR INSURANCE COMPANY HAS THE RIGHT TO PURSUE CLAIMS FOR REIMBURSEMENT AGAINST FORD. HOWEVER, FORD WILL BE UNABLE TO INVESTIGATE YOUR CLAIM AS REPAIRS TO YOUR VEHICLE HAVE BEEN PERFORMED AND YOU ARE CURRENTLY IN THE PROCESS OF PURSUING A CLAIM WITH YOUR INSURANCE COMPANY.-CUST INFORMED OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION-OBC TO LINK-- SPOKE TO SHARON -- INFORM CUST THAT ONCE THE INSURANCE COMPANY REVIEW THE ACCIDENT, THE INSURANCE ADJUSTER THEN WILL MAKE A DETERMINATION AS TO WHY THE AIRBAG DID NOT DEPLOY--

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VIN: 1FMYU03193K

Year: 2003

Owner Status: Subsequent

Symptom Desc: RESTRAINTS AIR BAG SYSTEM FUNCTION Reason Desc: LEGAL - INSURANCE COMPANY SETTLEMENT Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION Issue Status: CLOSED Model: ESCAPE Case: WSD: 2002-12-07 Primary Phone: Secondary Phone:

Action: ADVISE CUSTOMER TO CONTACT THEIR INSURANCE COMPANY FOR ASSISTANCE

Dealer:

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Odometer: 45000 MI

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst Name: HENRIETTA HURD (HHURD) Action Date: 12/23/2005

Analyst: HHURD

Action Time: 10.55,32,123 Action Data: No.

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February 17, 2005

Ford Motor Company Consumer Affairs P.O. Box 6248 MD-3NE-B Dearborn, Michigan 48126 RECE(VED)

Re:

My Client: Letter of Representation/Notice of Claim

Dear Sir/Madam:

This law firm represents who was injured in an automobile versus pedestrian accident that occurred on January 12, 2005 in Holly Hill, South Carolina. is 12 years old and was hit by a 2001 Ford Escape vehicle while playing football with other children on the school playground. survived the accident, however, he suffered a broken right femur requiring surgical repair, serious head trauma and other serious injuries. The driver of the at fault vehicle has made an allegation that the throttle to the vehicle became stuck and was the reason for her failure to stop at the stop sign, ultimately causing her to lose control of the vehicle and injuring

The South Carolina Highway Patrol accident reconstruction team has investigated this matter and we are in the process of obtaining the report to determine the viability of a products liability claim against your company. Thave enclosed a copy of the preliminary accident report for your perusal. Please contact my office upon receipt of this letter. Thank you for your immediate attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Carl B. Grant Attorney at Law

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Enclosure

cc:

Keith Kleinick, Esquire Ms. Sylvia Shingler

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VIN: 1FMYU01191K

Name:

Year: 2001

Symptom Desc: RESTRAINTS AIR BAG SYSTEM NON-DEPLOYMENT

Owner Status: Subsequent

Model: ESCAPE Case:

WSD: 2001-05-04 Primary Phone:

Secondary Phone:

Reason Desc: LEGAL - INSURANCE COMPANY SETTLEMENT Issue Type: 03 CONCERN

Issue Status: CLOSED

Initial Customer Contact: 02/08/2005

Analyst Name: DILLON LLOYS

Action: ADVISE CUSTOMER AIRBAG SYSTEM MUST BE TESTED AT A F/L/M DEALER

Dealer: 01051 AL BILTON FORD INC

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Odometer: 62000 MI

Action Date: 01/31/2005

Comm Type: PHONE

Action Time: 09.14.43.632

Analyst: LDILLON1

Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: -JAN 12/2005 VEH WAS INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT-VEH WENT THRU A SCHOOL PLAY GROUND, HIT DOWN A FENCE AND BROKE A STUDENT LEG-CUST COULD NOT MANAGE STOP VEH. TRAVELING 30MPH; BRAKE STUCKDEALER SAID: AL BILTON FORD INC7621 OLD STATE ROADHOLLY HILL, SC 29059TEL: (803) 496-3150FAX: (803) 496-9593DISTANCE: 4.00 MILESCRC ADVISED: -AIR BAG SYSTEM MUST BE TESTED AT A FORD DEALERSHIP AND THE CRC WILL SUPPORT THE DEALERSHIPS DECISION ONCE TESTING IS COMPLETED, CUSTOMER OR THE INSURANCE COMPANY WILL BE REQUIRED TO PAY FOR THE TESTING OF THE SENSORS.

Action: VEHICLE OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC - REPAIR NOT ATTEMPTED

Dealer: 01051 AL BILTON FORD INC

Odometer: 62000 MI Analyst Name: JOHN HINNANT

Action Date: 02/08/2005

Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: J-HINNAN

Action Time: 15.24.33.560

Origin Desc: DEALER

Action Data: No

Comments DISCUSSED NON DEPLOYMENT OF AIR BAGS IN ACCIDENT. EXPLAINEDDEPLOYMENT STRATAGY

AND SEVERITY OF ACCIDENT, CUST, SATISFIED WITH EXPLANATION.

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VIN: 1FMYU01191K

Year: 2001

Name:

Owner Status: Subsequent

Model: ESCAPE WSD: 2001-05-04

Case:

Symptom Desc: SERVICE BRAKE INOP/INEFFECTIVE Reason Desc: LEGAL - ALLEGED - NON-SERIOUS INJURY Primary Phone: Secondary Phone

Issue Type: 07 LEGAL

Issue Status: CLOSED

Action: ADVISE CUST INFORMATION IS FOWARDED TO OUR PRODUCT CLAIMS GROUP

Dealer: 01051 AL BILTON FORD INC

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Odometer: 62000 MI Analyst Name: DILLON LLOYS Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: LDILLON1

Action Date: 01/31/2005

Action Time: 09.07.23.088

Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: -JAN 12/2005 VEH WAS INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT-VEH PEDAL STICK AND CUST WAS NOT ABEL TO BRAKED; VEH WENT THRU A HOLLY HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL PLAYGROUND, HIT DOW A FENCE AND BROKE A STUDENT LEG-CUST COULD NOT MANAGE TO STOP VEH., VEH WAS TRAVELING AT ABOUT 30 MPH WHEN THIS OCCURRED-CUST TRIED TO STOP SIGN BUT VEH WENT STRAIGHT THRU A FENCE-CUST FILE A POLICE REPORT AND INSURANCE WAS NOTIFIED-UNTIL NOW CUST CAN NOT GET ANY RESPONSE FROM INSURANCE CO-CURRENTLY VEH IS AT HOLLY HILL POLICE STATION-A STUDENT AT HOLLY HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL SUFFER A BROKEN LEG AD WAS HOSPITALIZED FOR SIX DAY. STUDENT IS NOW RECOVERING AT HOME-CUST CALLING TO FILE A CLAIM WITH FORD; FEEL IT IS A DEFECT WITH VEH THAT RESULT IN THIS ACCIDENT (ALSO AIR BAG DID NOT DEPLOYED-VEH WINDSHIELD GOT CRACK, THERE IS DAMAGES TO THE FRONT RIGHT SIDE AND SMALL DAMAGE TO LEFT CLOSE; TO GAS TANK AREADEALER SAID: 7621 OLD STATE ROADHOLLY HILL, SC 29059TEL: (803) 496-3150FAX: (803) 496-9593DISTANCE: 4.00 MILESCRC ADVISED: - THIS INFORMATION WILL BE FORWARDED TO OUR CONSUMER AFFAIRS GROUP. SOMEBODY WILL CONTACT IN TWO BUSINESS DAYS.

Action: MAKE OUTBOUND CALL TO CUSTOMER

Dealer: 01051 AL BILTON FORD INC

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION

PREVENTION

Odometer: 62000 MI

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst Name: DUNLAP.

Action Date: 02/01/2005

Analyst: KDUNLAP

KENISHA

Action Time:

14.28.01.703

Action Data: No

Comments LPA CONTACTED CUSTOMER AND SPOKE WITH CUSTOMER STATED THAT THE VEHICLE IS CURRENTLY AT THE HOLLY HILL POLICE DEPARTMENT. THE VEHICLE HAS NOT BEEN INSPECTED. LPA ADVISED CUSTOMER THAT HER VEHICLE IS NOT INCLUDED IN ANY RECALLS, THERE IS NO RELATED REPAIR HISTORY, AND THE VEHICLE IS BEYOND WARRANTY. AS SUCH, LPA ADVISED THAT NO ASSISTANCE WOULD BE OFFERED. LPA ADVISED CUSTOMER TO CONTACT HER INSURANCE COMPANY AND OF SUBROGATION.

Action: DENY ASSISTANCE - REFER TO INSURANCE CARRIER

Dealer: 01051 AL BILTON FORD INC

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION

PREVENTION

Odometer: 62000 MI Analyst Name: DUNLAP. Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst: KDUNLAP

KENISHA

Action Time:

Action Data: No

Action Date: 02/01/2005

14.29.22.158

Comments CUSTOMER WAS NOT INJURED IN THE ACCIDENT, BUT DID INJURE A YOUNG CHILD, TO DATE, THE CHILD NOR HIS FAMILY HAVE NOT CONTACTED FORD. LPA MAILED CLOSING CORRESPONDENCE, NOTHING:

3/9/2005

FURTHER. CASE FILED.

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VIN: 1FMYU01191K

Year: 2001

Name: Symptom Desc: PANELS/UNIBODY DENT/DING

Owner Status: Subsequent

Reason Desc: LEGAL - ALLEGED - NON-SERIOUS INJURY

Odometer: 62000 MI

Issue Type: 07 LEGAL

Issue Status: CLOSED

Model: ESCAPE WSD: 2001-05-04

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Primary Phone:

Secondary Phone:

Case:

Action: CLOSE - DOCUMENT MULTIPLE SYMPTOMS

Dealer: 01051 AL BILTON FORD INC

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst Name: DILLON LLOYS Action Date: 01/31/2005

Analyst: LDILLON1 Action Time: 09.09.11.258

Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: -JAN 12/2005 VEH WAS INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT-VEH PEDAL STICK AND CUST WAS NOT ABEL TO BRAKED; VEH WENT THRU A HOLLY HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL PLAYGROUND, HIT DOW A FENCE AND BROKE A STUDENT LEG-CUST COULD NOT MANAGE TO STOP VEH., VEH WAS TRAVELING AT ABOUT 30 MPH WHEN THIS OCCURRED-CUST TRIED TO STOP SIGN BUT VEH WENT STRAIGHT THRU A FENCE-CUST FILE A POLICE REPORT AND INSURANCE WAS NOTIFIED-UNTIL NOW CUST CAN NOT GET ANY RESPONSE FROM INSURANCE CO-CURRENTLY VEH IS AT HOLLY HILL POLICE STATION-A STUDENT AT HOLLY HILL MIDDLE SCHOOL SUFFER A BROKEN LEG AD WAS HOSPITALIZED FOR SIX DAY. STUDENT IS NOW RECOVERING AT HOME-CUST CALLING TO FILE A CLAIM WITH FORD; FEEL IT IS A DEFECT WITH VEH THAT RESULT IN THIS ACCIDENT (ALSO AIR BAG DID NOT DEPLOYED-VEH WINDSHIELD GOT CRACK, THERE IS DAMAGES TO THE FRONT RIGHT SIDE AND SMALL DAMAGE TO LEFT CLOSE; TO GAS TANK AREADEALER SAID: 7621 OLD STATE. ROADHOLLY HILL, SC 29059TEL: (803) 496-3150FAX: (803) 496-9593DISTANCE: 4.00 MILESCRC ADVISED: - THIS INFORMATION WILL BE FORWARDED TO OUR CONSUMER AFFAIRS GROUP, SOMEBODY WILL CONTACT IN TWO BUSINESS DAYS.

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VIN: 1FMYU01191K

Year: 2001

Owner Status: Subsequent

Model: ESCAPE

Symptom Desc: WINDOW/GLASS WINDSHIELD BREAKS/BROKEN

WSD: 2001-05-04 Primary Phone:

Case:

Reason Desc: LEGAL - ALLEGED - NON-SERIOUS INJURY

Secondary Phone:

Issue Type: 07 LEGAL

Issue Status: CLOSED

Action: CLOSE - DOCUMENT MULTIPLE SYMPTOMS

Dealer: 01051 AL BILTON FORD INC

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Odometer: 62000 MI

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst Name: DILLON LLOYS Action Date: 01/31/2005

Analyst: LDILLON1 Action Time: 09.08.17.010

Action Data: No

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### All Action Details for Issue

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VIN: 1FMYU01191K

Year: 2001

Owner Status: Subsequent

Model: ESCAPE Case:

Name: Symptom Desc: SERVICE BRAKE LOCK-UP/GRAB

WSD: 2001-05-04

Reason Desc: RECALL/ONP - VEHICLE INVOLVEMENT

Primary Phone: Secondary Phone:

Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION

Issue Status: CLOSED

Action: ADVISE CUST NO FSA'S AT THIS TIME

Dealer: 01051 AL BILTON FORD INC

Origin Desc: US INQUIRY CASE BASE

Odometer: 62000 MI Analyst Name: DILLON LLOYS

Action Date: 01/31/2005

Comm Type: PHONE

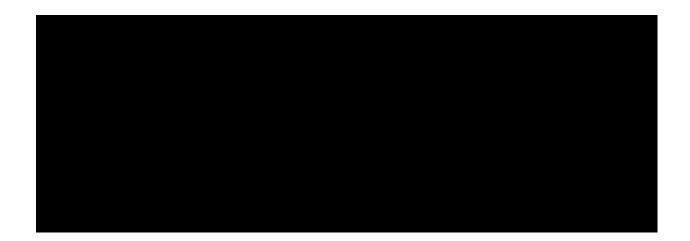
Analyst: LDILLON1 Action Time: 08.57.21.984

Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: VEH WAS INVOLVE IN AN ACCIDENT ON JAN 12/2004; IF VEH A PART OF RECALL FOR CRUISE CONTROL CUST HEARD ABOUTDEALER SAID: AL BILTON FORD INC7621 OLD STATE ROADHOLLY HILL, SC 29059TEL: (803) 496-3150FAX: (803) 496-9593DISTANCE: 4.00 MILESCRC ADVISED: VEHICLE IS NOT

INVOLVED IN ANY RECALL/CSP AT THIS TIME.

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ORIGIN: ACTION: DOCUMENT: - US CONCERN CASE BASE COMMUNICATION: PHONE

CONTACT ADVANCED TO OGC ANALYST: JDAVI550 DAVIS, JOSHUA

DATE: 2010/07/15 TIME: 17.13.06: ACTION DATA/COMMENTS:

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GENERAL COUNSEL

CUSTOMER SAID: -ON 9/8/2009-THE VEH TOOK OFF AND RAN INTO DROVE INTO HER HOUSE WHILE SHE WAS PULLING INTO THE DRIVE WAY-NEXT THING SHE NEW SHE WAS IN THE HOUSE -THE AIR BAG BURNT HER ARM AND SHE STILL HAS A MARK FROM IT-THE ACCIDENT HAPPEND HE RESIDENCE HOUSE -POLICE REPORT WAS FILED-THE REPORT SAID THAT THEY WERE NOT SURE WHAT HAPPENED-TOOK PLACE IN NEWPORT TENNESSEE, COCKE COUNTY-INSURANCE CLAIM WAS FILED AND THEY PAID FOR THE DAMAGES DONE TO THE HOUSE BUT NONE TO THE VEH BECAUSE THE CUST ONLY HAD LIABILITY-THINKS THAT THE VEH IS REPAIRABLE-SHE HASN'T RECEIVED ANY KIND OF INFORMATION ON IF THIS IS A RECALL-CUST HAS NOT DRIVEN THE VEH SINCE THE TIME OF THE ACCIDENT -WANTS TO KNOW IF IT IS THE ACCELERATOR THAT CAUSED THE PROBLEM AND WOULD LIKE FORD TO LOOK AT IT-THE VEH IS AT THE HOUSE NEXT TO HERS AT HER GRANDPARENTS PLACEDEALER SAID: -RUSTY WALLACE FORD MERCURY1100 WEST HIGHWAY 25/70NEWPORT, TN 37821TEL:(423) 623-6138CRC ADVISED: I WILL FORWARD YOUR INFORMATION TO FORD'S OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL. YOU SHOULD RECEIVE A WRITTEN RESPONSE WITHIN 15 BUSINESS DAYS TO YOUR CONCERN NOTE TO CCR: REMEMBER TO VERIFY ALL CUSTOMER CONTACT INFORMATION BEFORE SENDING ISSUE.-ADV ABOVE

**BEGINNING OF CONTACT** VOICE OF THE CUSTOMER TRACKING SYSTEM 11/18/2011 07.55.01 OGC ISSUE CASE NBR: 453583211. A03 REGION: W1 LOS ANGELES ZONE: OPENED: 2011/11/17 ENGINE: 1FMCU03102K VEH TYPE: T 1 VIN: CLOSED: 2011/11/17 --------LAST NAME: STATUS: CLOSED TITLE FIRST NAME: MI: ADDRESS: CA CITY CORONA STATE: ZIP: HOME PHONE: 2002 MODEL YEAR: MODEL: **ESCAPE** MILEAGE: 201000 SALES CODE: HEMBORG FORD P & A: DEALER NAME: F71151 08436 REASON CODE: 0799 ACCIDENT/PRODUCT LIABILITY SYMPTOMS: 624105 ACCELERATOR PEDAL STICK/BIND ACCELERATION

TIER ONE - MELBOURNE COMMUNICATION: PHONE

TIER ONE CLOSE ISSUE

ANALYST: VVALENC3 VALENCIA, VICTORIA DATE: 2011/11/17 TIME: 12.44.22:

ACTION DATA/COMMENTS:

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DOCUMENT:

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Monday, August 08, 2005

FORD MOTOR COMPANY 3 PARKLAND BLVD PARKLANE TOWERS WEST #300 DEARBORN, MI 48126-2568

UNKNOWN Re:

VIN:

1FMYU03123K 03

Year:

Make: Model: FORD

Our Insured:

ESCAPE XLT SW

Address:

DUNDEE MI

Phone No .: Our Claim No:

MAR 10 05

Date of Loss: Damages:

\$ 7,483.03

## NOTICE OF SUBROGATION CLAIM

Please accept this letter as formal notice of our subrogation rights in regard to the above-captioned claim. Demand is hereby made upon you for payment of Progressive's damages and those of Progressive's insured.

Our investigation indicates damages to our insured's vehicle was a direct result of a manufacturer's defect IN THE THROTTLE CABLE RESULTING IN FAILURE TO DECELERATION AND CAUSING AN ACCIDENT WITH THE RESULTING DAMAGES. Enclosed please find all supporting documentation. THIS IS RECALL #04V574000.

Please acknowledge receipt of my subrogation demand and forward your payment of \$ 7,483.03 to my attention, payable to "Progressive Michigan Ins. Company as subrogee of ", and mail to my attention at HO,

You can contact me at the number listed below should you need additional documentation or care to discuss this claim.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation,

Progressive Michigan Ins. Company

Frank A. SteinII AIC

Subrogation Representative

(440) 603-7319





Office of the General Counsel

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#### PRIVILEGED & CONFIDENTIAL

Ford Motor Company Product Claims Department P.O. Box 70 Dearborn, Michigan 48121-0070

December 18, 2009

SUN VALLEY, CA

Re:

2002 Escape

Dear

Recently the Office of the General Counsel of Ford Motor Company was made aware of your recent contact to our Customer Relations Center in regards to the above vehicle. We thank you for the opportunity to address this concern in a timely manner.

If you have turned any portion of this matter over to your insurance company, and should you or your insurance company wish to pursue a claim with Ford Motor Company, please have your insurance company and/or you contact us in writing to the address noted above notifying us of their intent to pursue subrogation, or your intent to pursue a claim directly.

In order to evaluate this matter, we request that you provide us with all the following information by completing and returning this form:

X Attach on a separate piece of paper a complete description of the incident, including events that occurred prior to and subsequent to the loss. A copy of the police and/or fire report and a copy of the Vehicle Title. 2. Original color photographs of the vehicle's collision/fire damage & the alleged 3 defective part(s), from several different angles. 4. Original color photographs of the inside of the vehicle showing the steering wheel, dash and roof areas. 5 Original color photographs of the accident scene showing the grade of the road. 6. Attach a copy of your expert's report and the expert's original photographs. 7. Attach the repair estimate, repair order, or your total loss worksheet for the vehicle's damage and any losses associated with this incident, and copies of draft payments. X 8. A complete service history for the subject vehicle, including any tune-ups or

Please answer the following in the space provided. If you need additional space, please use the back of the form:

9.	What was the city, state and date of occurrence:	
	Dec. 15, 2009 in Gun Valley	_
10.	The 17 digit vehicle identification number:	

oil changes.

What was the mileage at time of occurrence:							
What is the alleged defect:  A throttle cable and cruise control cable to close to each							
Has the alleged defective part been repaired or replaced? (circle one) Yes or							
No							
List all after market additions or modifications that were made to the vehicle:							
Was the engine running? (circle one) Yes or No							
Were the keys in the ignition? (circle one) Yes or No							
Was this vehicle purchased new or used:							
If purchased used, provide the date of purchase, mileage at the time of purchase							
purchased: We 2004 approx 1,000 m.							
Please provide the current location of the vehicle (you may need to contact							
your insurance company to provide this information).  He car is drivable and in owners possesion							
Has an insurance company been advised of this incident? Yes No							
If yes, please provide name, address and phone number of insurance company and adjuster's name and claim number.							
What are you seeking from Ford Motor Company in this matter?							

Once we are in receipt of the requested information, it will be reviewed and you will be notified of our decision concerning your claim. Should you not send all of the requested information and materials within 90 days, we will assume that you are not interested in pursuing a claim and we will close our file. Please note that your vehicle will not be inspected until all the above information has been submitted and a determination has been made as to whether an inspection is warranted.

Please be advised that all necessary steps should be taken to ensure that the subject vehicle and all of its component parts are maintained and preserved for trial. Ford Motor Company has the right to inspect the vehicle and remove and test any component part that you

claim to be defective, and to be presented with the vehicle and the subject component part(s) at the time of trial, should litigation ensue from this informal claim.

If you propose to repair the vehicle for continued usage, such repairs may not be performed until after Ford Motor Company has inspected the vehicle and removed and tested any component part you claim to be defective or advised you in writing that it does not intend to perform such inspection and/or testing at this time. But even in that event, Ford Motor Company will insist that all components claimed to be defective are maintained and preserved for trial.

Sincerely,

Alma Taylor Product Claims

# Description of Incident

I was stopped at an intersection at a red light. When the light turned green I stepped on the gas to accelerate and the gas pedal gave out under my foot. The car started speeding to about 50 mph. I slammed on the brakes and slowed my car to about 25 mph but I could not stop it before I hit the car in front of me. The impact pushed the other car forward about four feet. While now applying my entire body weight in pressure to the brake pedal, I hit the same car again. I hit the same car a third time and the driver now had her brakes on as well to avoid being pushed into the intersection against a red light. My car was now pushed up against the other car's rear bumper with my wheels spinning and tires and brakes smoking. At this point I was finally able to turn the engine off.



## Description of Problem

What happened was the accelerator/cruise control cables tangled together and jammed against the plastic hooding that covers them both. I was able to reach up under the plastic hooding, untangle them and drive the car home. We took the truck to a local dealer and they replaced the cables. After looking online, there seems to be a recall for an accelerator cable problem for the 2002 Ford Escape. My neighbor, who is a mechanic, told me this seems like a design problem with all there elements so close together.



/-/-/O Date BEGINNING OF CONTACT 12/17/2009

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VOICE OF THE CUSTOMER TRACKING SYSTEM

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OGC ISSUE ZONE: A06 ENGINE: 1

ENGINE: 1 VEH TYPE: T

CASE NBR: OPENED: CLOSED:

STATUS:

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CLOSED

LAST NAME: TITLE: ADDRESS:

ADDRESS: CITY: HOME PHONE: MODEL YEAR:

MILEAGE: DEALER NAME: REASON CODE: SYMPTOMS: MR SUN VALLEY

2002 88000 RICK HUNT FORD, INC 0772 LEGAL - ACCIDENT

MODEL: SALES CODE:

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FIRST NAME:

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**ESCAPE XLT 4X2** 

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ORIGIN: ACTION: DOCUMENT: CACI38 -791 -

US CONCERN CASE BASE COMMUNICATION: PHONE ADVISE CUSTOMER INFO WILL BE SENT TO OGC

ANALYST: PRYAN48 RYAN, PELE

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OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL

DATE: 12/16/2009 TIME: 12.12.55: ACTION DATA/COMMENTS:

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ORIGIN: CACI38 - US CONCERN CASE BASE COMMUNICATION: PHONE ACTION: 791 - ADVISE CUSTOMER INFO WILL BE SENT TO OGC ANALYST: SGOETZ2 GOETZ, SUSAN

DATE: 2011/01/24 TIME: 10.09.24: ACTION DATA/COMMENTS:

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# State Farm Insurance Companies



July 15, 2004

Fax: 888-309-8608 Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 4:30pn ECTION

State Farm Insurance PO Box 2340 Bloomington, IL 61709-2340 Phone: 630-541-4333

Ford Motor Credit PO Box 6248 Md-3Ne-B Dearborn, MI 48126

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RE: Claim Number:

Our Insured: Date of Loss: Amount Paid:

Our Payment:

Insured's Deductible:

Your Insured:

Address:

Claim Number: Policy Number: April 20, 2004

\$942.00 \$842.00

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Ford Motor

PO Box 6248 Md-3Ne-B Dearborn, MI 48126

RECALL # 04S13

FORD MOTOR COMPANY RECEIVED CLAIMS LINIT JUL 2 0 2004 OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL

Dear Ford Motor:

We have been informed that you are the insurance carrier for the party designated as your insured in the above caption.

Our investigation indicated that your insured is responsible for this loss.

In order to assist you in evaluating and processing the subrogation claim we are asserting, we may provide nonpublic personal information about our customer. We are sharing this information to effect, administer, or enforce a transaction authorized by the consumer. However, you are neither authorized nor permitted to: (1) use the customer information we provide for any purpose other than to evaluate and process the subrogation 4/20/04, 0/17/02 Police

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HOME OFFICES: BLOOMINGTON, ILLINOIS 61710-0001

Page 2 July 15, 2004

Please accept this letter as a notice of our subrogation rights and communicate with us in regard to your position on this matter.

Sincerely,

Team 2L Claim Representative 1-(630) 541-4333

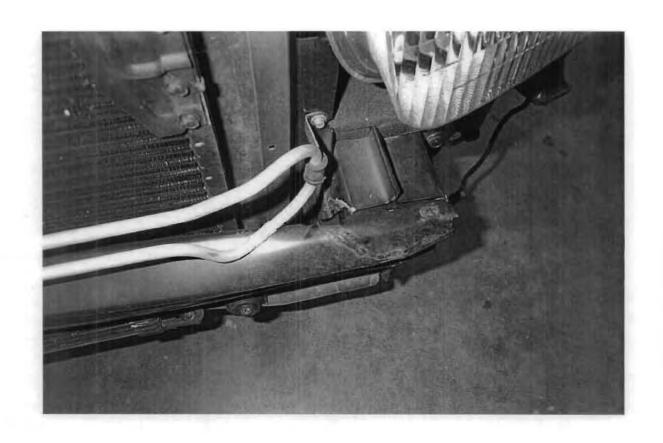
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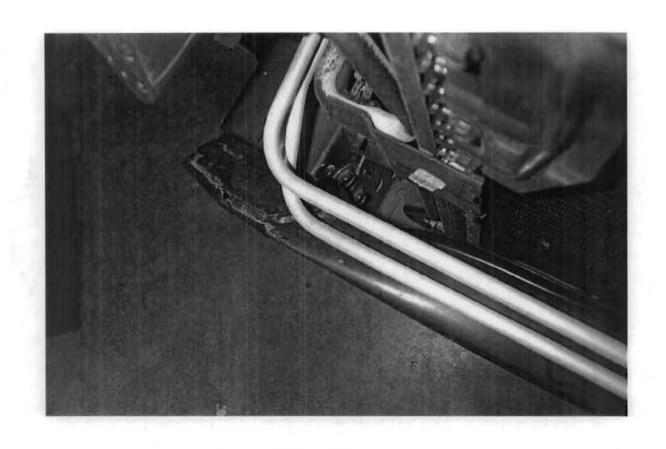
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Enclosure: \*payment log, \*estimate, \*photos, police report

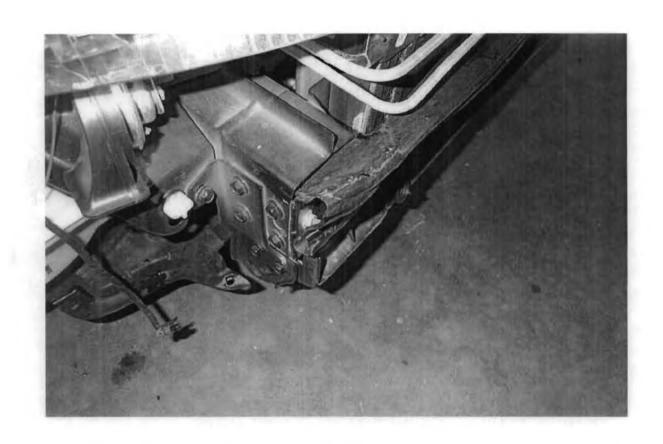
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P.O. Box 3068 | Bloomington, IL 61702 | Phone 888-879-6814 | Fax 309-820-2626

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GENERAL COUNSE

February 21, 2005

FORD MOTOR COMPANY ATTN CLAIMS DEPARTMENT P O. BOX 6251 DEARBORN, MI 48121

Re:

Our File #: 320760

Our Insured:

AMERICAN FAMILY INSURANCE Claim #:

Your Insured: FORD MOTOR COMP Date of Loss: December 4, 2004

Amount Claimed: \$10,608.41 (Vehicle Damage)

House Damage Pending

To Whom It May Concern:

We are contacting you today on behalf of AMERICAN FAMILY INSURANCE regarding a loss. We have been informed that Ford Motor Company is liable for a loss involving our insured's 2003 Ford Escape VIN# 1FMYU93103K The facts of the accident indicate our insured's accelerator stuck forcing the vehicle into a home and causing severe damage to the vehicle and home. Please see supporting documentation showing a recall for this type of vehicle on the accelerator cable.

All payments should be made payable to Afni, include the Afni file number and must be directed to the address listed above.

Please contact me at 1-888-879-6814 to discuss this situation.

Sincerely.

JIM NISCHBACH EXT 3665 Subrogation Specialist

PE12-019 002241LC SUBJECT

Attorneys at Law

3111 University Drive \* Suite 608 Coral Springs, Florida 33065 Phone 954-796-0085 \* Fax 954-796-8743 e-mail: ntfl@norychandtallis.com

May 18, 2005

Ford Motor Company P. O. Box 6251 Dearborn MI 48121 JUN 1 () 2005

Attention: Frank Ligon

RE: Claim of American Family Insurance a/s/o

Date of Loss - December 4, 2004 Amount of Loss - \$11,108,41

Our File No: 05-3749

Dear Mr. Ligon:

This firm was retained by American Family Insurance to recover money it paid to or on behalf of its insured, for a loss which occurred on the above referenced date.

This loss was caused by the negligence of yourself, your agents or employees. If you are insured, kindly refer this to your insurance company immediately. Otherwise, please call this office at (800) 637-7073 to discuss this matter. You may also use the enclosed self-addressed envelope to make payment directly to our office. Your checks should be made payable to NORYCH AND TALLIS as attorneys for American Family Insurance. Please note that we also accept payment with major credit cards and/or debit cards.

Failing to hear from you or your insurance company, we will take whatever steps are legally necessary to protect our client's rights.

Very truly yours,

NORYCH AND TALLIS, L.L.P.

Leslie Schiavo

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509(01) andrew

August 9, 2005

Ford Motor Company Attn: Shawn Norton Parklane Towers West Suite 300 Three Parklane Blvd Dearborn, MI 48126-2568

RE: Claim of American Family Ins. Co. a/s/o

Date of Loss:

December 4, 2004

Our File#:

05-3749

Amount of Loss: \$11,108.41

Dear Shawn Norton:

This law firm represents American Family Insurance Company in connection with the above-referenced matter.

Enclosed please find our proofs of loss in connection with the above matter. Kindly review same and contact me so this matter can be resolved amicably. In the alternative, please feel free to issue payment directly to this office, and make your check payable to NORYCH AND TALLIS.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours.

NORYCH AND TALLIS, L.L.P.

Leslie Schiavo

Claims Analyst, ext 143

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**ISSUE LIST** 

**Last Handling** Vin/ Model Year and Vehicle Issue Name/ Date/ Type Line Reason Desc Case No. Issue Status 1FMYU93103K 02 2003 ESCAPE 2/15/2005 LEGAL - INSURANCE COMPANY 1457890465 CLOSED SETTLEMENT

#### All Action Details for Issue

Print.

VIN: 1FMYU93103K

Name:

Year: 2003

Owner Status: Subsequent

Symptom Desc: SURGE ACCELERATION HOT ENGINE
Reason Desc: LEGAL - INSURANCE COMPANY SETTLEMENT
Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION Issue Status: CLOSED

Model: ESCAPE Case:
WSD: 2002-12-03
Primary Phone:
Secondary Phone:

Action: ADVISE CUSTOMER TO CONTACT THEIR INSURANCE COMPANY FOR ASSISTANCE

Dealer: Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

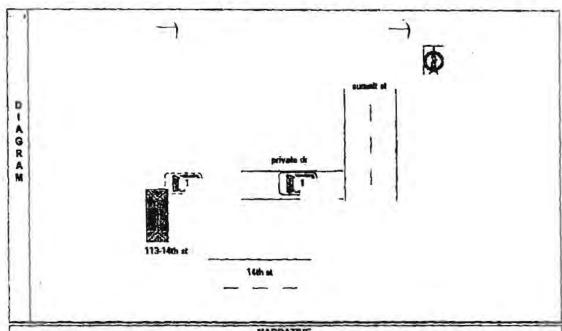
Odometer: 23000 MI Analyst Name: MCLELLAN JILL Action Date: 02/15/2005 Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: JMCLELL5

Action Time: 12.43.08.633

Action Data: No

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## RECORDED STATEMENT SUMMARY

POLI		RANSCRIBED: eve Fejfar	February 7, 2005
accid	is a recorded telephone interview between Steve Fejfar lent he was in on December 5, 2004, in Sioux City, low a about 5:35 PM.		Ah, it's regarding a car s December 20, 2004. The
Q: R:	Yeah. You said you were gonna record it.		
Q: R:	Do I have your permission to do so? Yep.		1.6
Q: R:	Could you state your name and address?  Street, Sloux City, Id	owa.	
Q: R:	And, ah, what is your date of birth?		
Q: R:	And are you married or single? Single.		
Q: R:	And where are you employed at? I'm retired.		
Q:	Okay. Um, what type of vehicle do you own?		
	(Break in the conversation)		
Q: R:	Okay. Um, what type of vehicle do you own a An '03 Escape, Ford Escape.	gain?	
Q: R:	And did you buy that vehicle brand new? I bought it as a demonstrator, I think it was.		
Q: R:	How many miles were on it, do you know, when you it had about 10,000 on it when I bought it.	bought it?	
Q: A:	And was it from a dealership? Yeah.		
Q: R:	What dealership? Team Ford.		
Q: A:	In Sioux City? Yep.		
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Q: R:	Any, um, any problems with it up to the point of the Yes. I took it into Ford about a month after I got it of		t the gas mileage and the fact.

that it felt like (cut out) accelerator stuck 'cause when you let up on the gas it never slowed down

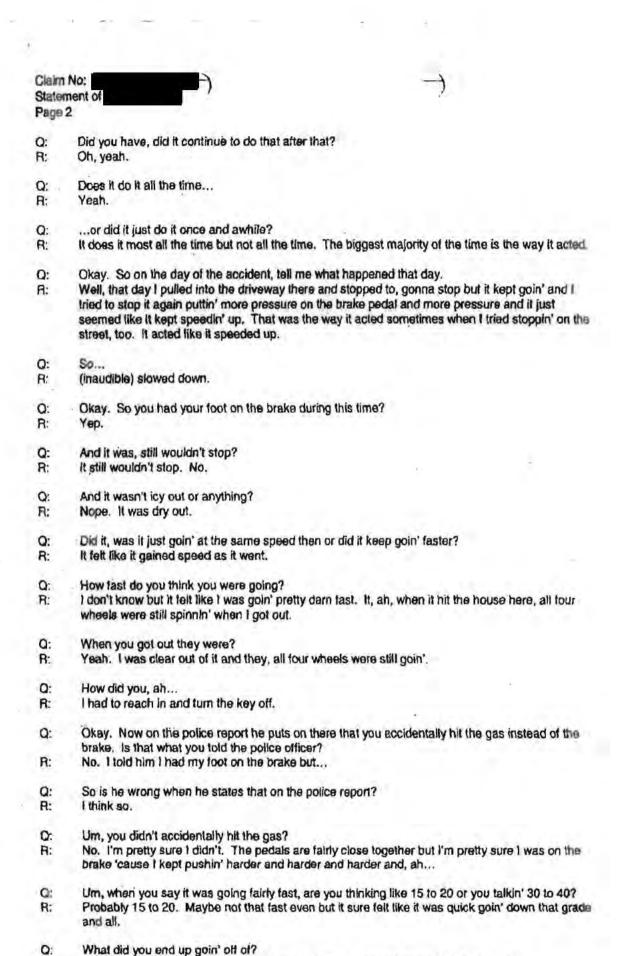
They said they checked it out and couldn't lind anything wrong with it.

unless you hit the brake first.

And what did they do?

Q:

R:



I went off, goin' off an embankment about five or six feet high and hit a house over...

R:

Claim No: Statement of Page 3 ... after it went off the embankment. How far, how far did the vehicle go after you hit the brake? How, how far did it have to travel? Q: R: Were, were you tryin' to stop at the beginning of the driveway or ... Q: Yeah. I was tryin' to stop the beginning of the driveway, and it's really not too steep a driveway, I R: didn't figure. I had parked up there several times before and never had any problem with it and, ah, so I was just really kinda shocked the way it went... Q: Okay. ...especially when it come to an abrupt halt like it did. R: Q: What part of the vehicle ended up bein' damaged? A: The front. And, ah, where did you end up repairing it at or what... It's down to Prestige Body Shop right now. R Okay. Um, are you gonna have Ford check it out again after that or is Prestige checkin' it out, or, Q: the accelerator? I don't know. Somebody's gotta check it out. I think I got the receipt from when I took it down to H. Ford to have it checked out in the glove compartment. Q: Okay. A: 1... Q: Um... ... bein's the vehicle ain't here, I can't look in the glove compartment to see what I all have in there R: but I put most the papers in there from everything I've had done to it. Have you ever had, now there was a recall out. Did you ever have the work done after that recall O: for the, for the, ah, accelerator? R: No. I just seen that recall thing last week or the week before. And that hasn't been done yet then? Q: R: Yeah. Q: It hasn't? It hasn't been done yet as far as I know. R: Okay. Um, were you injured in the accident? Q; A: No. Uhuh. Q: And were you alone in your vehicle? A: Yep. I was alone. Both air bags went off. That scared the hell outta me, too. Q: Okay. Um... I was already half panicked from droppin' off a that cliff and then hittin' a house and stoppin' that R: abruptly which is pretty excruciating, and then I got and somebody yelled at me that the thing was still runnin', I should turn it off, so then I reached in and shut it off but it, all four wheels were goin' around when I stepped out of it so I figured somethin' was wrong there. Q: Okay. Um, anything else you wanna add? A: Like what? 0: Um, if you have any, I have no more questions if that's all you have.

R:

All right.

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Okay. I'll go ahead and conclude this. This has been a recorded telephone interview between Steve Fejtar and Today's date is December 20, 2004. The time's about 5:50 PM.

Q: did you realize I recorded this?

A: Yes.

Q: And did I have your permission?

R: Yes.

Transcribed By: Lisa Serck

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STATE OF WISCONSIN :

CIRCUIT COURT :

MILWAUKEE COUNTY

03CV005365

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Plaintiff,

VS.

SUMMONS

Case No .:

Case Classification: other contracts

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FORD MOTOR COMPANY

a Delaware Corporation c/o C.T. Corporation Systems 44 East Mifflin Street Madison, Wisconsin 53703

BRAEGER FORD, INC.

a Wisconsin Corporation, c/o Lon Bahr 4100 South 27th Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53221

Defendants.

6 PERSON \$36.06 PAID

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, to each person named above as a Defendant:

JURY DEMAND FEE

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Plaintiff named above has filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you. The Complaint, which is attached, states the nature and basis of the legal action.

Within forty-five (45) days of receiving this Summons, you must respond with a written Answer, as that term is used in Chapter 802 of the Wisconsin Statutes, to the Complaint. The Court may reject or disregard an Answer that does not follow the requirements of the statutes. The Answer must be sent or delivered to the Court, whose address is: Milwaukee County Courthouse, 901 North 9th Street, Room 104, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53233, and to Consumer Legal Services, Plaintiff's attorneys, whose address is: 13000 Bluemound, Ste. 114, Elm Grove, Wisconsin 53122. You may have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not provide a proper Answer within forty-five (45) days, the Court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the Complaint, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the Complaint. A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of the property.

Dated: June 10, 2003

CONSUMER LEGAL SERVICES
Attorney for Plaintiff

mark Romano

MARK ROMANO State Bar No: 1031838 JASON CROWE

State Bar No: 1029493

POST OFFICE ADDRESS: 13000 W. Bluemound, Ste. 114 Elm Grove, WI 53122 (262) 780-0331

STATE OF WISCONSIN : CIRCUIT COURT :

MILWAUKEE COUNTY

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Defendants.



NOW COMES Plaintiff,

, by and through his attorneys CONSUMER

LEGAL SERVICES, by Mark Romano and Jason Crowe, who complains against the above-named Defendants as follows:

### **PARTIES**

Plaintiff is a resident of the State of Wisconsin and resides at

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

- 1. Defendant, Ford Motor Company (hereinafter referred to as "the Manufacturer"), is a Delaware Corporation authorized to do business in the State of Wisconsin, whose Registered Agent is C.T. Corporation Systems, located at 44 East Mifflin Street, Madison, Wisconsin 53703, and, at all times relevant hereto, was engaged in the manufacture, sale, distribution and/or importing of Ford Motor vehicles and related equipment in Madison, Wisconsin.
- 2. Defendant, Braeger Ford, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as the "Seller"), is a Wisconsin Corporation authorized to do business in the State of Wisconsin whose Resident Agent is Lon Bahr, located at 4100 South 27th, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53221, and, at all times relevant hereto, was an authorized agent for Manufacturer and was engaged in the business of selling and servicing Ford Motor vehicles in the City of Milwaukee, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin.

### **FACTS**

- 3. On or about March 21, 2002, Plaintiff purchased a new 2002 Ford Escape,

  Vehicle Identification Number1FMYU03132K

  (hereinafter referred to as the "2002

  Escape"), from the Seller which was manufactured by the Manufacturer (see copy of the Motor Vehicle Purchase Contract attached as Exhibit A).
- 4. The 2002 Escape was sold to Plaintiff with written warranties and other express and implied warranties including, by way of example and not by way of limitation, warranties from the Manufacturer and the Seller (a copy of the written warranty is in the possession of the Defendants).

5. Plaintiff has taken the 2002 Escape to the Manufacturer's authorized agents/dealers on at least five (5) separate occasions (see copy of repair orders attached as Exhibit B). By way of example and not by way of limitation, the defects with Plaintiff's 2002 Escape include the following:

Date	Mileage	Invoice#	Complaint
01/24/03	14,425	115804	STEERING DEFECT: steering is very difficult
03/03/03	15,830	117999	STEERING DEFECT: noise in steering column; cd player inoperative; rear wiper will not clear
03/13/03	16,609	118639	STEERING DEFECT: steering wheel noise
03/19/03	N/A	N/A	STEERING DEFECT: squeak from steering wheel
04/04/03	17,849	119982	STEERING DEFECT: squeak from steering wheel; rear wiper does not clear; weatherstrips on all doors hang down; cd player inoperative; accelerator sticks when depressing; popping noise on deceleration; popping noise from rear hatch

- This cause of action arises out of Defendants' various breaches of warranties
   and violations of statutes as hereinafter alleged.
- 7. The amount in controversy exceeds TWENTY FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$25,000.00), exclusive of interest and costs, for which Plaintiff seeks judgment against Defendants, together with equitable relief. In addition, Plaintiff seeks damages from Defendants for double the amount of incidental, consequential, collateral costs and actual damages, together with interest, costs and actual attorneys' fees.

## COUNT I BREACH OF EXPRESS WARRANTY

- 8. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 7 as though herein fully restated and realleged.
- Plaintiff is a "buyer" under the Wisconsin Uniform Commercial Code, W.S.A.
   402.103(1)(a).
- The Manufacturer and the Seller are "sellers" under the Wisconsin Uniform
   Commercial Code, W.S.A. 402.103(1)(d).
- 11. The 2002 Escape constitutes "goods" under the Wisconsin Uniform Commercial Code, W.S.A. 402.105(1).
- This is a "transaction in goods" to which W.S.A. 402.102 and W.S.A.
   402.105(1) is applicable.
- 13. Plaintiff's purchase of the 2002 Escape was accompanied by an express warranty, written and otherwise offered by the Manufacturer and the Seller. Whereby this warranty was part of the basis of the bargain of the contract, upon which Plaintiff relied, between Plaintiff and the Manufacturer/Seller for its sale of the 2002 Escape.
- 14. In this express warranty, the Manufacturer warranted that if any defects were discovered within certain periods of time, the Manufacturer and/or the Seller would provide repair of the 2002 Escape free of charge to Plaintiff under specific terms as stated in the express warranty.
- 15. In fact, Plaintiff discovered the 2002 Escape had defects and problems that were discovered after Plaintiff purchased this vehicle as discussed above.

- 16. Plaintiff notified the Manufacturer and the Seller of the aforementioned defects.
- Plaintiff provided the Seller and the Manufacturer with sufficient opportunities
   to repair or replace the 2002 Escape.
- 18. Plaintiff reasonably met all of the obligations and pre-conditions as provided in the express warranty.
- 19. The Manufacturer and the Seller have failed to adequately repair the 2002 Escape and/or have not repaired the 2002 Escape in a timely fashion, and the 2002 Escape remains in a defective condition.
- 20. Even though the express warranty provided to Plaintiff limited Plaintiff's remedy to repair, replace and/or adjust defective parts, the 2002 Escape's defects have rendered the limited warranty ineffective to the extent that the limited remedy of repair, replace and/or adjustment of defective parts failed of its essential purpose pursuant to W.S.A. 402.719(2); and/or the above remedy is not the exclusive remedy under W.S.A. 402.719(1)(b).
- 21. The 2002 Escape continues to contain defects which substantially impair the value of the automobile to the Plaintiff.
- 22. These defects could not reasonably have been discovered by Plaintiff prior to Plaintiff's acceptance of the 2002 Escape.
- 23. The Manufacturer and the Seller induced Plaintiff's acceptance of the 2002 Escape by agreeing, by means of the express warranty, to remedy, within a reasonable time, those defects which had not been or could not have been discovered prior to acceptance.

- 24. As a result of the 2002 Escape's many defects, Plaintiff has lost faith and confidence in the 2002 Escape and Plaintiff cannot reasonably rely upon the vehicle for the ordinary purpose of safe, efficient transportation.
- 25. If the finder of fact finds that revocation and/or rejection was improper, then, in the alternative, Plaintiff alleges that as of the date of revocation, the 2002 Escape was in substantially the same condition as at delivery except for damage caused by its own defects and ordinary wear and tear. Therefore, Plaintiff is entitled to damages for breach of warranty calculated by the difference at the time and place of acceptance between the value of the 2002 Escape accepted and the value it would have had if it had been as warranted.
- 26. The Manufacturer and the Seller have refused Plaintiff's demands and have refused to provide Plaintiff with the remedies to which Plaintiff is entitled pursuant to W.S.A. 402.313, 402.711, 402.714 and 402.715.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff demands judgment against all Defendants:

- Declaring that acceptance has been properly revoked by Plaintiff;
- B. For damages incurred by the breach of the express warranty;
- For a refund of the purchase price paid by Plaintiff for the 2002 Escape;
- D. To cancel the retail installment contract and pay the balance on the same;
- E. For incidental, consequential and actual damages;
- F. For costs, interest and actual attorneys' fees; and
- G. For such other equitable relief that this Court deems appropriate.

# COUNT II BREACH OF IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY

- 27. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 though 26 as though herein fully restated and realleged.
- 28. The Manufacturer and the Seller are "merchants" with respect to automobiles under the Wisconsin Uniform Commercial Code, W.S.A. 402.104(1).
- 29. The 2002 Escape was subject to implied warranties of merchantability under W.S.A. 402.314, running from the Manufacturer and the Seller to the benefit of Plaintiff.
- The 2002 Escape was not fit for the ordinary purpose for which such vehicles are used.
- The defects and problems hereinbefore described rendered the 2002 Escape unmerchantable.
- 32. The Manufacturer and the Seller failed to adequately remedy the defects in the 2002 Escape; and the 2002 Escape continues to be in an unmerchantable condition at the time of revocation.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff demands judgment against Defendants:

- For damages occasioned by the breach of the implied warranty;
- B. Declaring that acceptance has been properly revoked and for damages incurred in revoking acceptance;
  - C. For a refund of the purchase price paid by Plaintiff for the 2002 Escape;
  - To cancel the retain installment contract and pay the balance on the same;
  - E. For consequential, incidental and actual damages;

- F. Costs, interest and actual attorneys' fees; and
- G. Such other equitable relief that this Court deems appropriate.

# COUNT III REVOCATION OF ACCEPTANCE

- 33. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 32 as though herein fully restated and realleged.
- 34. Plaintiff accepted the 2002 Escape without discovering the above defects due to the fact Plaintiff was reasonably induced to accept the 2002 Escape by the difficulty of discovery of the above defects.
- 35. In the alternative, Plaintiff reasonably assumed, and the Manufacturer and the Seller represented, that all of the aforesaid defects and/or nonconformities would be cured within a reasonable time.
- 36. After numerous attempts by Defendants to cure, it has become apparent the nonconformities could not be seasonably cured.
- 37. The nonconformities substantially impaired the value of the 2002 Escape to Plaintiff.
- 38. Plaintiff previously notified the Manufacturer and the Seller of the nonconformities and Plaintiff's intent to revoke acceptance pursuant to W.S.A. 402.608 and demanded the refund of his purchase price for the 2002 Escape and out-of-pocket expenses. (See copy of Plaintiff's revocation of acceptance letter attached as Exhibit C).

39. The Manufacturer and the Seller have nevertheless refused to accept return of the 2002 Escape and have refused to refund any part of the sum equal to the purchase price and out-of-pocket expenses incurred by Plaintiff.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff demands judgment against the Manufacturer and the Seller:

- A. Declaring acceptance has been properly revoked by Plaintiff and for damages incurred in revoking acceptance;
  - For a refund of the purchase price paid by Plaintiff for the 2002 Escape;
  - C. For consequential, incidental and actual damages;
  - To cancel the retail installment contract and pay the balance on the same;
  - E. For costs, interest and actual attorneys' fees; and
  - F. Such other relief this Court deems appropriate.

# COUNT IV BREACH OF WRITTEN WARRANTY UNDER MAGNUSON-MOSS WARRANTY ACT

- 40. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 39 as though herein fully restated and realleged.
- 41. Plaintiff is a "consumer" as defined in the Magnuson-Moss Warranty Act (hereinafter referred to as the "Warranty Act") 15 USC 2301(3).
- 42. The Seller is a "supplier" and "warrantor" as defined by the Warranty Act, 15 USC 2301(4) and (5).
- 43. The Manufacturer is a "supplier" and "warrantor" as defined by the Warranty Act, 15 USC 2301(4) and (5).

- 44. 2002 Escape is a "consumer product" as defined in the Warranty Act, 15 USC 2301(1).
  - 45. 2002 Escape was manufactured, sold and purchased after July 4, 1975.
- 46. The express warranty given by the Manufacturer and adopted by the Seller pertaining to the 2002 Escape is a "written warranty" as defined in the Warranty Act, 15 USC 2301(6).
- 47. The Seller is an authorized agent/dealership of the manufacturer designated to perform repairs on vehicles under the Manufacturer's automobile warranties.
- 48. The above-described actions (failure to repair and/or properly repair the above-mentioned defects, etc.), including failure to honor the written warranty, constitute a breach of the written warranty contract by the Manufacturer and the Seller actionable under the Warranty Act, 15 USC 2310(d)(1) and (2).

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff demands judgment against the Manufacturer and the Seller:

- A. Declaring acceptance has been properly revoked by Plaintiff and for damages incurred in revoking acceptance;
  - B. For a refund of the purchase price paid by Plaintiff for the 2002 Escape;
  - C. To cancel the retail installment contract and pay the balance on the same;
  - D. For consequential, incidental and actual damages;
  - E. For costs, interest and actual attorneys' fees; and
  - F. Such other relief this Court deems appropriate.

# COUNT V BREACH OF IMPLIED WARRANTY UNDER MAGNUSON-MOSS WARRANTY ACT

- 49. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 48 as though herein fully stated and realleged.
- 50. The above-described actions on the part of the Manufacturer and Seller constitute a breach of the implied warranties of merchantability actionable under the Warranty Act, 15 USC 2301(7), 2308, 2310(d)(1) and (2).

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff demands judgment against the Manufacturer and the Seller:

- A. Declaring acceptance has been properly revoked by Plaintiff and for damages incurred in revoking acceptance;
  - B. For a refund of the purchase price paid by Plaintiff for the 2002 Escape;
  - C. To cancel the retail installment contract and pay the balance on the same;
  - D. For consequential, incidental and actual damages;
  - E. For costs, interest and actual attorneys' fees; and
  - F. Such other relief this Court deems appropriate.

### COUNT VI BREACH OF CONTRACT

51. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 50 as though herein fully restated and realleged.

- 52. An express limited warranty covering 36 months or 36,000 miles of use, whichever occurred first, accompanied the delivery of the 2002 Escape to Plaintiff. The limited warranty provided the Seller would repair or adjust all parts (except tires) found to be defective in factory-supplied materials or workmanship.
- 53. The limited warranty, given by the Manufacturer and adopted by the Seller when the Seller serviced and repaired the 2002 Escape created a contractual relationship between the Manufacturer/Seller and Plaintiff.
- 54. The Manufacturer and the Seller have breached the express limited warranty contract in that they have failed to repair or adjust defective parts covered under the limited warranty, have failed to do the same within the limited warranty coverage period and within a reasonable time.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff demands judgment against all Defendants:

- A. Damages incurred by Plaintiff created by Defendants' breach of contract,
   including all monies paid for the purchase of the 2002 Escape;
  - B. To refund Plaintiff's purchase contract;
- C. For return of an amount equal to Plaintiff's down payment and all payments made by Plaintiff to the Defendants;
  - D. To cancel the retail installment contract and pay the balance on the same;
  - E. For incidental, consequential and actual damages;
  - F. For costs and expenses, interest, and actual attorneys' fees; and
  - G. Such other relief this Court deems appropriate.

# COUNT VII VIOLATION OF REPAIR REPLACEMENT AND REFUND UNDER NEW MOTOR VEHICLE WARRANTIES ACT, W.S.A.218.0171 ET SEQ

- 55. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 54 as though herein fully restated and realleged.
- 56. Plaintiff is a "consumer" under the Wisconsin New Motor Vehicle Warranties

  Act (hereinafter referred to as "Lemon Law"), W.S.A. 218.0171 (1) (b).
- 57. The Manufacturer is a "manufacturer" under the Lemon Law, W.S.A. 218.0171 (1) (c).
- 58. The 2002 Escape is a "motor vehicle" under the Lemon Law, W.S.A. 218.0171(1) (d).
- The Seller is a "motor vehicle dealer" under the Lemon Law, W.S.A.
   218.0171 (1) (e).
- 60. Plaintiff's 2002 Escape has been subject to a reasonable attempt to repair the aforementioned nonconformities:
- (a) the same warranty nonconformity with the 2002 Escape has been subject to at least four repair attempts by Defendant the Manufacturer, through its authorized motor vehicle dealers within the term of the Manufacturers express warranty applicable to the 2002 Escape or within one year from the date of delivery to Plaintiff; and/or
- (b) the 2002 Escape was out of service thirty (30) or more days within the terms of the Manufacturer's express warranty applicable to the 2002 Escape, or within one year from the date of delivery to Plaintiff.

- 61. The 2002 Escape continues to manifest the aforementioned nonconformities.
- 62. The aforementioned nonconformities substantially impair the use, value or safety of the 2002 Escape to the Plaintiff.
- 63. On or about March 26, 2003, Plaintiff notified the Manufacturer of Plaintiff's request for a refund/replacement pursuant to the Lemon Law, W.S.A. 218, 015 (2) (c). (See copy of statutory offer letter attached as Exhibit D).
- 64. The Manufacturer has failed to refund or replace Plaintiff's 2002 Escape within thirty (30) days of Plaintiff's statutory offer. (Exhibit D)

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff demands the following relief against the Manufacturer;

- A. Replace the 2002 Escape with a comparable new replacement motor vehicle and refund any collateral costs; or
- B. The Manufacturer must accept return of the 2002 Escape and refund to Plaintiff and to any holder of a perfected security interest in the Plaintiff's 2002 Escape, as their interest may appear, the full purchase price, plus any sales tax, finance charges, amount paid by the Plaintiff at the point of sale and collateral costs, less a reasonable allowance for use. A reasonable allowance for Plaintiff's use of the 2002 Escape may not exceed the amount obtained by multiplying the full purchase price of the 2002 Escape by a fraction, the denominator of which is 100,000 and the numerator of which is the number of miles the 2002 Escape was driven before the Plaintiff first reported the nonconformity to the motor vehicle dealer;

- C. Pursuant to W.S.A. 218.0171(7), Plaintiff is entitled to a sum equal to twice the amount of any pecuniary loss, together with costs, disbursements and reasonable attorney fees and equitable relief the Court determines appropriate;
  - D. For prejudgment interest;
  - E. For such other relief as may be justified in this action.

# COUNT VIII VIOLATION OF REPAIR REPLACEMENT AND REFUND UNDER NEW MOTOR VEHICLE WARRANTIES ACT, W.S.A.218.0171 ET SEQ

- 65. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 64 as though herein fully restated and realleged.
- 66. Plaintiff's 2002 Escape does not conform to the Manufacture's express warranty due to the inability of the Manufacturer to repair the aforementioned nonconformities. [W.S.A. 218.0171 (2) (a)]
- 67. Plaintiff reported the aforementioned nonconformities to the Manufacturer and/or any of the Manufacturer's authorized motor vehicle dealers. [W.S.A. 218.0171 (2) (a)]
- 68. Plaintiff made the 2002 Escape available for repair before the expiration of the Manufacturer's Warranty and/or one year after first delivery of the 2002 Escape to Plaintiff. [W.S.A. 218.0171 (2) (a)]

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff demands the following relief against the Manufacturer.

- A. Damages for beach of warranty;
- B. All damages attributable to the Manufacturer's inability to repair the 2002
   Escape;

- C. Pursuant to W.S.A. 218.0171(7), Plaintiff is entitle to a sum equal to twice the amount of any pecuniary loss, together with costs, disbursements and reasonable attorney fees and any equitable relief the Court determines appropriate;
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### JURY DEMAND

Plaintiff demands a trial by jury on all issues triable by jury.

Dated: June 5, 2003

CONSUMER LEGAL SERVICES

Attorney for Plaintiff

MARK ROMANO

State Bar No: 1031838

JASON CROWE

State Bar No: 1029493

POST OFFICE ADDRESS: 13000 W. Bluemound, Ste. 114 Elm Grove, WI 53122 (262) 780-0331

# ISSUE LIST

Last Handling Date/ Issue Status	Name/ Reason Desc	Vin/ Case No.	Model Year and Vehicle Line	Issue Type
6/23/2003		1FMYU03132K	2002 ESCAPE	06
PENDING	DSB-REF'D PURCH PRICE ROST-DLR CAN'T REPAIR	1402690583	3000	
4/24/2003		1FMYU03132K	2002 ESCAPE	04
CLOSED	CI - WISCONSIN DEMAND LETTER	1402690583		
2/27/2003		1FMYU03132K	2002 ESCAPE	02
CLOSED	WARRANTY - COVERAGE INQUIRY	1402690583		

#### All Action Details for Issue

Print

VIN: 1FMYU03132K

Year: 2002

Name:

Owner Status: Original

Symptom Desc: STRG/HANDLING LEAKS PUMP

Reason Desc: DSB-REF'D PURCH PRICE RQST-DLR CAN'T REPAIR

Issue Type: 06 DSB

Issue Status: PENDING

Model: ESCAPE Case: WSD: 2002-03-21

Primary Phone:

Secondary Phone:



Action: OPEN-DEALER PROVIDED APPLICATION-NO ORAL PRESENTATION

Dealer: 01763 BRAEGER FORD, INC.

Odometer: 17500 MI

Analyst Name: BURGOS, JESSICA

Action Date: 04/01/2003

Comm Type: MAIL

Analyst: J-BURGO1

Action Time: 10.53.02.315

Action Data: No

Origin Desc: DEMARS

Comments ELIGIBLE: CONCERNS WITH: STEERING WHEEL PUMP, STEERING NOISE, CD PLAYER, WINDOW

PADDING, TRUNK HATCH, GAS PEDAL

Action: DEMARS MAILS REQUESTS FOR DEALER REPORTS

Dealer: 01763 BRAEGER FORD, INC.

Odometer: 17500 MI

Analyst Name: PETRIE, CRYSTAL

Action Date: 04/02/2003

Comm Type: MAIL

Analyst: C-PETRI2 Action Time: 14.17.35.148

BRAEGER FORD

Origin Desc: DEMARS

Action Data: Yes

Comments NO COMMENTS AVAILABLE

**Data Element Name** 

Data Value

DEALER NAME

Action: CSM - MAIL SENT - DSB

Dealer: 01763 BRAEGER FORD, INC.

Odometer: 17500 MI Analyst Name: ROE, JANNA Action Date: 04/04/2003

Comm Type: EMAIL Analyst: JROE5

Action Time: 12.30.30.838

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - DSB

Action Data: No

Comments DSB, JANNA ROE SENT CSM E-MAIL.

Action: ADD 40 DAY DELAY CODE

Dealer: 01763 BRAEGER FORD, INC. Odometer: 17500 MI

Analyst Name: ROE, JANNA

Comm Type: OTHER

Analyst: JROE5

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - DSB

Action Date: 04/04/2003

Action Time: 12.31.32.093

Action Data: Yes

Comments INSUFFICIENT PREP TIME - CODE 15

**Data Element Name** 

Data Value

DELAY CODE

15

Action: DEMARS RECEIVES DEALER REPORT

Dealer: 01763 BRAEGER FORD, INC.

Comm Type: MAIL Analyst: J-CAMPAU

Analyst Name: CAMPAU, JAMIE Action Date: 04/10/2003

Odometer: 17500 MI

Odometer: 17500 MI

Action Time: 17.25.14.239

Action Data: No

Origin Desc: DEMARS

Comments BRAEGER FORD

Action: RECORD DETAILS OF BOARD DECISION - REPAIRS

Dealer: 01763 BRAEGER FORD, INC.

Comm Type: EMAIL Analyst: R-CHARL7

Analyst Name: CHARLES,RYAN Action Date: 05/23/2003

Action Time: 15.25.31.797

Action Data: Yes

Origin Desc: DEMARS

Comments CONCERNS: STEERING WHEEL PUMP/STEERING NOISE; WINDOW PADDING; TRUNK HATCH; CD PLAYER; GAS PEDAL; REAR WIPER. REQUESTS: REFUND DECISION: FSE. BASED ON DLR REPORT, BD FINDS VEHICLE DOES NOT QUALIFY FOR LEMON LAW FOR NUMBER OF DAYS OUT OF SERVICE OR REPAIR ATTEMPTS IN THE FIRST YEAR. BASED ON CUSTOMER TESTIMONY, BD FINDS CD PLAYER, GAS PEDAL AND WINDOW PADDING CONCERNS HAVE BEEN RESOLVED; TRUNK HATCH, STEERING NOISE/STEERING WHEEL PUMP AND REAR WIPER CONCERNS HAVE NOT BEEN RESOLVED AND DIRECTS FSE SUPERVISED REPAIR. REFUND DENIED.

Data Element Name	Data Value			
NAME OF BOARD	MILW			
MEETING DATE	05-20-2003			
DECISION LETTER DATE	05-22-2003			
40 DAY DELAY CODE	15			
ORAL HEARING	YES			

Action: CUSTOMER DID NOT RETURN A/R FORM

Dealer: 01763 BRAEGER FORD, INC.

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - DSB

Odometer: 17500 MI Analyst Name: ROE, JANNA Comm Type: OTHER Analyst: JROE5

Action Date: 06/20/2003

Action Time: 10.32.06.471

Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER DID NOT RETURN THERE ACCEPTANCE LETTER WITH IN THE AMOUNTED TIME.

Action: RECORD DETAILS OF BOARD DECISION - REPAIRS

Dealer: 01763 BRAEGER FORD, INC.

Odometer: 17500 MI Analyst Name: RUEHL, CANDY

Action Date: 06/23/2003

Comm Type: EMAIL Analyst: C-RUEHL

Action Time: 17.01.57.561

Origin Desc: DEMARS

Action Data: Yes

Comments: CONCERNS: STEERING WHEEL PUMP/STEERING NOISE; WINDOW PADDING; TRUNK HATCH, CD PLAYER; GAS PEDAL; REAR WIPER. REQUESTS: REFUND DECISION: FSE. BASED ON DLR REPORT, BD FINDS VEHICLE DOES NOT QUALIFY FOR LEMON LAW FOR NUMBER OF DAYS OUT OF SERVICE OR REPAIR ATTEMPTS

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MEETING DATE	05-20-2003			
DECISION LETTER DATE	05-22-2003			
40 DAY DELAY CODE	15			
ORAL HEARING	YES			

#### All Action Details for Issue

Print

VIN: 1FMYU03132K

Year: 2002

Owner Status: Original

Model: ESCAPE

Case:

Name: Symptom Desc: SURGE ACCELERATION ALL ENGINE TEMP

WSD: 2002-03-21 Primary Phone:

Reason Desc: CI - WISCONSIN DEMAND LETTER Issue Type: 04 REGION

Issue Status: CLOSED

Secondary Phone:

Action: OPEN REGION CONTACT

Dealer: 01763 BRAEGER FORD, INC.

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - CONSUMER

INTERVENTION

Odometer: 17849 MI

Comm Type: MAIL

Analyst Name: BEASLEY, ALICIA

Analyst: ABEASLE1

Action Date: 04/11/2003

Action Time: 15.00.33,505

Action Data: No.

Comments \*\*\*DEMAND LETTER DATED: 04/08/03\*\*\*CI RECEIVED: 04/11/03\*\* \*\*\*CUSTOMER STATES: CUSTOMER HAS CONCERNS WITH MULTIPLE REPAIRS, CUSTOMER DIDN'T SPECIFY HIS EXACT CONCERN IN LETTER. \*\*\* CUSTOMER SEEKS: FINAL RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO WISCONSIN LEMON LAW. \*\*\* \*\*\*WISCONSIN RESIDENT\*\*\* \*\*\*PLEASE NOTE THAT IN THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, THE LEMON LAW ONLY ALLOWS 30 DAYS IN WHICH TO PROVIDE LEMON LAW REMEDIES\*\*\* \*\*\* CI SENT CUSTOMER ACKNOWLEDGMENT LETTER, SCANNED COPY OF CUSTOMER LETTER TO REGIONAL OFFICE FOR HANDLING\*\*\*

Action: LETTER FAXED TO REGION

Dealer: 01763 BRAEGER FORD, INC.

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - CONSUMER

INTERVENTION

Odometer: 17849 MI

Comm Type: MAIL

Analyst Name: BEASLEY, ALICIA

Analyst: ABEASLE1

Action Date: 04/11/2003

**Action Time:** 

15.08.10.644

Action Data: Yes

Comments NO COMMENTS AVAILABLE

**Data Element Name** Data Value REGION NUMBER 41 DATE RECEIVED 04-11-2003 TIME RECEIVED 13:45:00 DATE FAXED 04-11-2003 TIME FAXED 16:07:00

Action: FORD COVERED REPAIR MADE - WARRANTY

Dealer: 01763 BRAEGER FORD, INC.

Origin Desc: FIELD ORGANIZATION

Odometer: 17849 MI

Comm Type: INTERNET

Analyst Name: SCOTT DIPIETRO (SDIPIETR)

Analyst: SDIPIETR

Action Date: 04/24/2003

Action Time: 00.47.24.797 Action Data: No

Comments PER CUSTOMER SERVICE MANAGER: CUSTOMER HAD PREVIOUS CONCERNS WITH THE VEHICLE WHICH WERE ADDRESSED AND REPAIRED SUCCESSFULLY BY THE DEALERSHIP, CUSTOMER IS NOW MAKING NEW COMPLAINTS, AND THE CUSTOMER AND THE DEALERSHIP TOGETHER WERE UNABLE TO VERIFY OR DUPLICATE ANY OTHER CONCERNS WITH THE VEHICLE DURING THE CUSTOMER'S LAST SERVICE VISIT, THERE ARE NO CONCERNS WITH THE VEHICLE AT THIS TIME.

#### All Action Details for Issue

Print

VIN: 1FMYU03132K

Year: 2002

Model: ESCAPE WSD: 2002-03-21 Case:

Name: Symptom Desc: STRG/HANDLING NOISE WHEN TURNING

Owner Status: Original

Primary Phone:

Reason Desc: WARRANTY - COVERAGE INQUIRY

Issue Status: CLOSED

Secondary Phone:

Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION

Action: PROVIDE INFORMATION ACCORDING TO PHRASEOLOGY

Dealer: 01763 BRAEGER FORD, INC.

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Odometer: 10500 MI Analyst Name: MARK CAINE Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst: MCAINE

Action Date: 02/27/2003

Action Time: 11.10.54.680

Action Data: No

Caller Information If Different From Vehicle Owner:

**First Name** 

Middle Initial

Last Name

Day Phone

Relationship

Comments CUSTOMER SAYS: =THE CD PLAYER @ EJECTION DOESN'T COME OUT FAR ENOUGH THAT YOU HAVE TO FIDDLE W/ IT TO GET IT OUT AND THERE IS A SQUEEKING NOISE WHILE TURNING...THE POWER STEERING PUMP WAS RECENTLY WORKED ON AND THE SOUND SEEMS TO BE COMING FROM THE STEERING COLUMN AND IT'S MOST NOTICABLE WHILE TURNING PER CUSTOMER, DEALER SAYS: =NONE CAC ADVISED: - POSSIBLE WARRANTY/ESP COVERAGE FOR YOUR CONCERN. - PLEASE TAKE YOUR VEHICLE TO THE F/L/M DEALERSHIP OF YOUR CHOICE TO HAVE THE VEHICLE INSPECTED TO DETERMINE IF ANY WARRANTY/ESP WILL BE APPLICABLE INFERENCE CASE ID: 5409



February 15, 2005 RECEIVED

Ford P.O. Box 6251 Dearborn, Michigan 48121-6251

Dear Sir:

I am writing concerning the recall on the 2002-2004 Escape vehicles.

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So I would be very grateful if you would attend to this matter and please pay for the balance of the damaged property and the increase for the insurance.

State Farm Insurance increase: 1458.06 Balance of Daughter's Damages: 1441.00 Total: 2899.06

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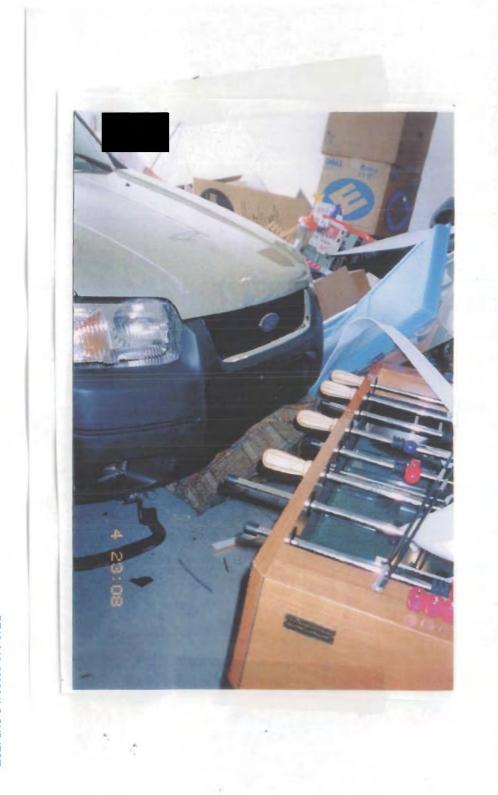


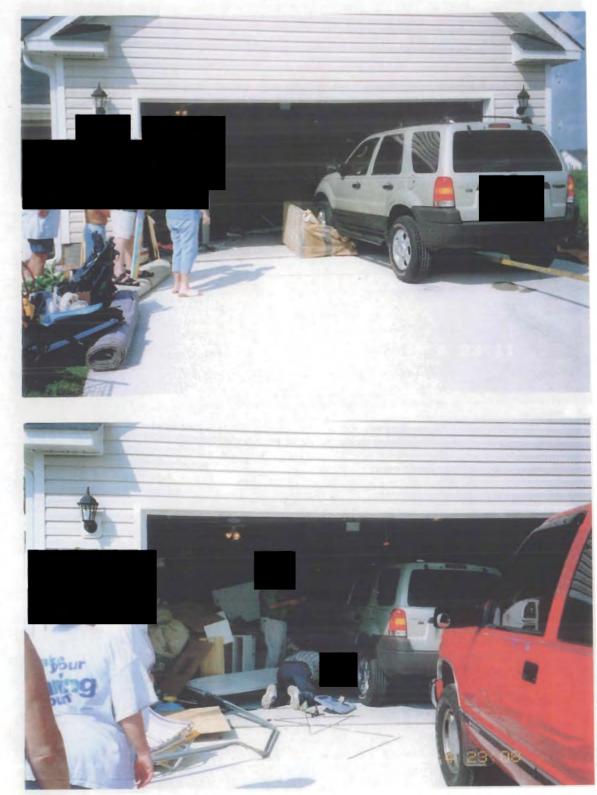
Greenville, NC 27858 Phone: (252) 758-0114 Fax: (252) 254-0753 Enclosed are copies of documents: Purchase of Vehicle Increase in Insurance Insurance Canceled check to (daughter) Recall from Hastings Ford Pictures to show damages Property Damage for property Thank you. Hastings Ford has all of this on record. If you need to contact me my phone numbers are: Home-Cell-Greenville, NC I expect Ford to take care of all the changes that my insurance didn't coner. For this relate . For your Recall litter

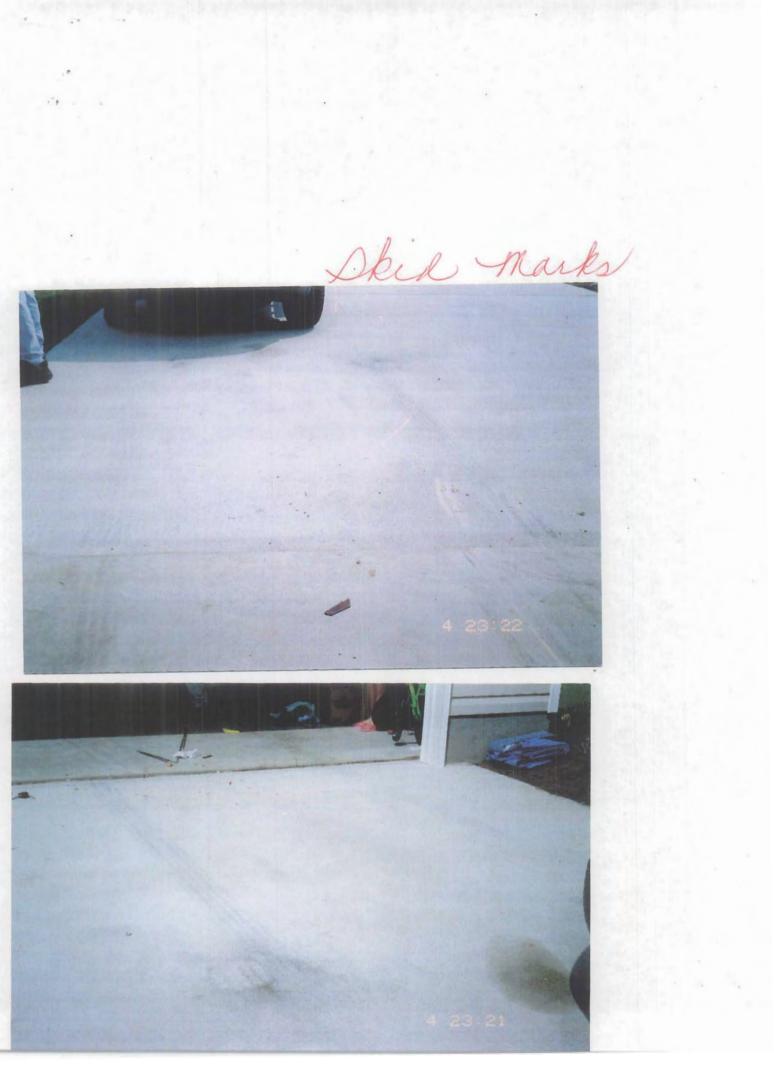
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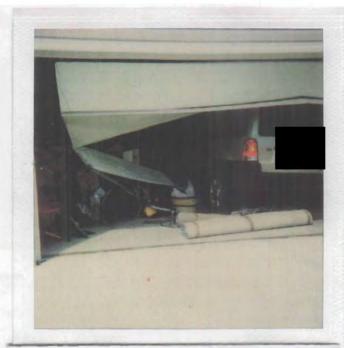














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Last Handling Date/ Issue Status

9/11/2003 CLOSED Name/ Reason Desc

RAV - REPAIRED/LOST CONFIDENCE

Vin/ Case No.

1FMYU03133K 1720362533 Model Year and Vehicle Line Issue Type

2003 ESCAPE

08

Print

### All Action Details for Issue

Model: ESCAPE

WSD: 2003-04-16

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - REACQUIRED

Case:

VIN: 1FMYU03133k Year: 2003 Name: Owner Status: Original

Symptom Desc: AUTO TRANS UPSHIFT ENGINE RACES

Reason Desc: RAV - REPAIRED/LOST CONFIDENCE Issue Status: CLOSED Issue Type: 08 RAV

Primary Phone: Secondary Phone

**VEHICLES** 

Action: ADD ADDITIONAL SYMPTOM CODE

Dealer: 06744 HASTINGS FORD, INC.

Comm Type: MAIL

Analyst Name: POLOCOSER.PERSIDE

Odometer: 5199 MI

Analyst: P-POLOCO

Action Date: 09/10/2003

Action Time: 20.00.11.288

Action Data: No

Comments .

Action: OPEN CASE FOR DISCRETIONARY REPLACEMENT - OWNED

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Comments .

**Data Element Name** 

UPLOAD DATE

TAG# VEHICLE VALUE AMOUNT **NET LOSS AMOUNT** REPLACEMENT VIN

**Data Value** 

08/21/2003 287B262 14400 6556

1FMZU62K73U

Action: RECORD CHECK ISSUANCE FOR DISCRETIONARY REPLACEMENT

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Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - REACQUIRED

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Action Date: 09/11/2003

Action Time: 20.00.09.420

Action Data: Yes

Comments .

**Data Element Name** 

**Data Value** 

CHECK REQUEST DATE CHECK ISSUANCE DATE CHECK AMOUNT

09/09/2003 09/11/2003 20956.21

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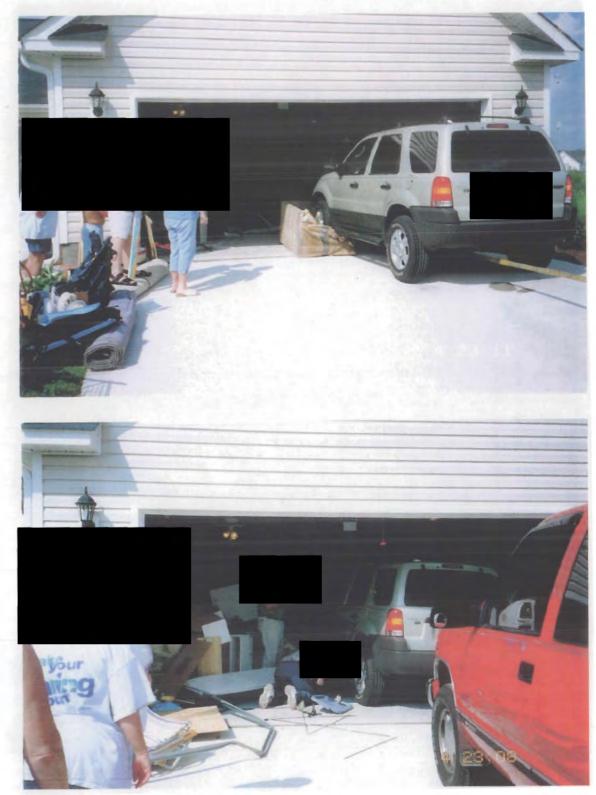
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Increase in Insurance
Insurance
Canceled check to daughter)
Recall from Hastings Ford
Pictures to show damages
Property Damage for property

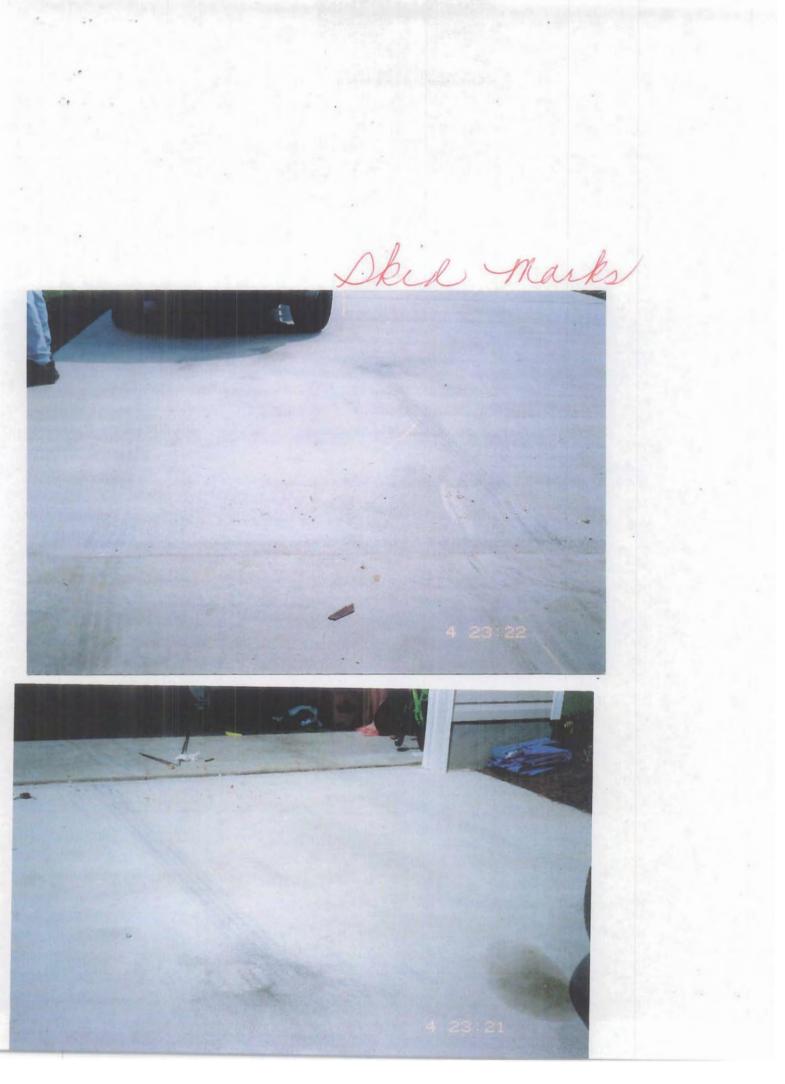
Thank you. Hastings Ford has all of this on record. If you need to contact me my phone numbers are: Home-

Greenville, NC

I en pect Ford to take care of an the danages that my insurance didn't coner. For this recall . For your Recall letter Marks

































# State Farm Insurance Companies



August 6, 2003

PO Box 9052 Charlottesville, VA 22906-9052

Phone 1-888-411-4185 Fax 1-888-296-2330 www.StateFarm.com

Greenville, NC

Re: Claim Number:

Date of Loss: August 5, 2003

Our Insured:

Dear

We have been notified that your property was damaged on August 5, 2003.

Please complete the Statement of Property Damage form and secure two itemized estimates of your damage.

After the report is completed and returned to this office, along with your estimates, we will contact you regarding this loss.

If you have any questions, please contact any member of Team 43 at the phone number below.

Sincerely,

Robin Wise

Claim Processor

Team 43

1-888-411-4185

State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company

Enclosures:

1. Statement of Property Damage

2. Return envelope

HOME OFFICES: BLOOMINGTON, ILLINOIS 61710-0001



Barcode Only

CLAIM NUMBER		INSURED	S NAME		
OUR NAME		1	a/A	*	PHON
ADDRESS		GREENVIlle	NC .	IF YES, GIV	E
OCCUPATION BANK 7	Eller	AGE	MARRIED	NAME OF S	
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February 07, 2005

Ford Motor Company

RE: Greenville, NC PN:

To Whom It May Concern,

This letter is to inform you of the increase in auto insurance premiums due to a loss that occurred 8-5-03 with their 2003 Ford Escape. The estimated cost of increase in premiums due to this loss is a total of \$1458.06 over a three year period.

If you should have any further questions, please contact our office.

Sincerely,

Polly D. Piland
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Polly D. Piland Agent **ISSUE LIST** 

Last Handling Date/ Issue Status

> 9/11/2003 CLOSED

Name/ Reason Desc

RAV - REPAIRED/LOST CONFIDENCE

Vin/ Case No. 1FMYU03133K

1720362533

Model Year and Vehicle Line Issue Type

2003 ESCAPE

08

### All Action Details for Issue

Print

VIN: 1FMYU03133K

Year: 2003

Name: Owner Status: Original

Symptom Desc: AUTO TRANS UPSHIFT ENGINE RACES
Reason Desc: RAV - REPAIRED/LOST CONFIDENCE

Issue Type: 08 RAV

Issue Status: CLOSED

Model: ESCAPE WSD: 2003-04-16 Case:

Primary Phone: Secondary Phone:

Action: ADD ADDITIONAL SYMPTOM CODE

Dealer: 06744 HASTINGS FORD, INC.

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - REACQUIRED

**VEHICLES** 

Odometer: 5199 MI Analyst Name:

Comm Type: MAIL

POLOCOSER, PERSIDE

Analyst: P-POLOCO

Action Date: 09/10/2003

Action Time: 20.00.11.288

Action Data: No

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Action: OPEN CASE FOR DISCRETIONARY REPLACEMENT - OWNED

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Action: RECORD CHECK ISSUANCE FOR DISCRETIONARY REPLACEMENT

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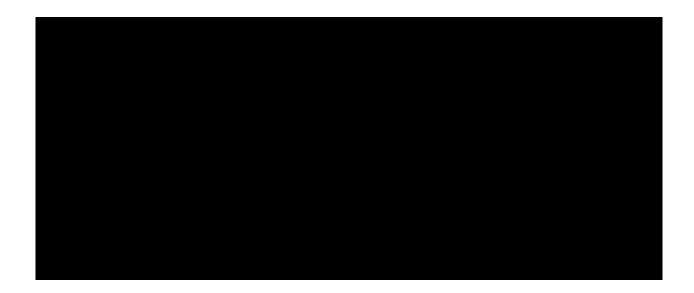
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## State Farm Insurance Companies



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State Farm Insurance PO Box 5020, Stn Aurora Main Aurora, Ontario L4G 0A9

FAX: 1-905-750-5002 1-888-633-0405

Ford Motor Company Attn Carmen Simonds PO Box 70 Dearborn, MI 48121-0070

Claim Number: Date of Loss: Our Insured:

Your File No:

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Dear Carmen:

This letter is being sent to put you on official notice that we will be looking to Ford Motor Company for reimbursement of this loss.

The above noted client was involved in a loss on June 8 2011 in which the accelertor pedal became stuck in the down position causing the vehicle to collide with a stopped vehicle infront of them.

Our investigation has revealed that there was a recall on the accelerator pedal in 2005. Our client did have this repaired by a Ford delearship, but appears to have suffered the same problem with the replaced part. Please contact me further to discuss.

Sincerely,

DRP 27884

x5302 Heather Turnbull Claim Representative

(888) 999-0750

State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company

HOME OFFICES: BLOOMINGTON, ILLINOIS 61710-0001

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Providing Insurance and Financial Services

Date: Thursday, July 07, 2011

Time: 4:10:24 PM

To: FORD

Fax number: 913133221450

From: Auto - Turnbull, x5302 Hea

Subject/Note:

60-0968-215 In regards to attached letter the client's name is vehicle is a 2002 FORD ESCAPE VIN 1FMYU04172K The attached letter describes the defect and end result. Please contact me ASAP.

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1-905-750-5002 FAX:

Ford Motor Company Attn Carmen Simonds PO Box 70 Dearborn, MI 48121-0070

RE: Claim Number: Date of Loss: Our Insured: Your File No:

June 8, 2011

Dear Carmen:

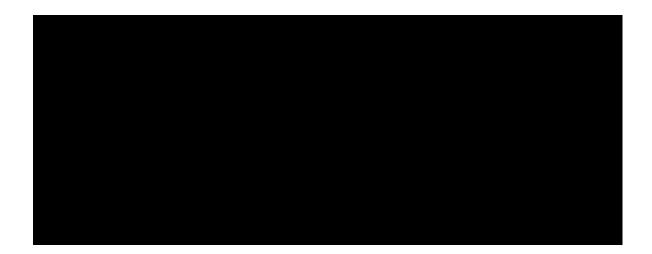
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IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, STATE OF NEVADA

## IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE

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#### FILED Electronically 10-26-2010:03:00:25 PM Howard W. Conyers CODE: \$1425 Clerk of the Court Kenneth J. McKenna Esq. Transaction # 1809211 State of Nevada Bar Number 1676 2 544 West First Street Reno, Nevada 89503 3 Telephone: (775) 329-6373 Facsimile: (775) 329-2414 4 Attorney for Plaintiff 5 6 IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE 8 9 Case No. , next friend and nother of 10 individually, Dept. No.: 11 Plaintiffs, VS. 12 FORD MOTOR COMPANY, 13 14 Defendant. COMPLAINT 15 COMES NOW, Plaintiffs, , by and through 16 their attorney of record, KENNETH J. MCKENNA, ESQ., on information and belief, hereby 17 18 alleges and pleads as follows: 19 PARTIES 20 1. Plaintiff is the mother of Plaintiff and resides in 21 Northern Nevada. All acts, statements, and omissions alleged herein occurred in Northern 22 Nevada. Plaintiffs hereby request a jury trial relative to all issues so triable. 23 2. Plaintiff is an adult competent female who resides in Northern 24 Nevada. All acts, statements, and omissions alleged herein occurred in Northern Nevada. 25 26 Plaintiffs hereby request a jury trial relative to all issues so triable. 27

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 Defendant FORD MOTOR COMPANY is a corporation engaged in the manufacturing and selling of automobiles. Defendant manufactured the vehicle at issue in the instant action.

## FACTS

- 4. Beginning in or about January of 2005, Defendant Ford Motor Company (hercinafter referred to as "Ford") began recalling some vehicles, including but not limited to, certain Ford Escape vehicles. Ford had identified that the vehicles possessed an acceleration cable which might prevent the throttle from returning to the idle position resulting in an unexpected increase in engine speed increasing stopping distance and may result in a crash.
- 5. In or about January of 2008, Plaintiff (hereinafter referred to as notified, as the registered owner of a 2004 Escape, of the recall directing to contact the Ford dealer to complete the necessary service procedures to fix the issue.
- 6. On or about May 14, 2008, Plaintiff serviced the vehicle and the required procedures identified as fixing the issue were performed.
- 7. On or about April 13, 2009, Plaintiff (hereinafter referred to as " was driving the 2004 Ford Escape when the vehicle began accelerating by itself. (attempted to stop the vehicle but the gas pedal seemed stuck and the brakes failed to work. After also attempting to pull the emergency brake to stop the vehicle, the vehicle crashed with Erica suffering injuries.

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# FIRST CLAIM FOR RELIEF (Strict Liability)

- 8. Plaintiff hereby incorporates the allegations contained in paragraphs 1 through 7 as though the same were stated fully herein.
- 9. Defendant's manufactured Ford Escape possessed a defective design in which the acceleration cable placement was such that the throttle might be prevented from returning to the idle position resulting in an unexpected increase in engine speed increasing stopping distance and may result in a crash.
- 10. Such defect made the Ford Escape vehicle unreasonably dangerous or dangerous beyond the contemplation of the ordinary consumer.
- 11. Such defect existed at the time the vehicle left the hands of the Defendant manufacturer.
- 12. Such defect proximately caused Plaintiffs injuries including, but not limited to, medical costs, rental car expenses and pain and suffering.
- 13. Plaintiffs have been required to retain the services of an attorney to pursue this action and should be granted reasonable costs and attorney's fees therefore.

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## PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHERFORE, Plaintiffs pray for judgment against the Defendant and their agent, and each of them, as follows:

- 1. For maximum award of compensatory and/or punitive damages available;
- 2. For an award of economic damages according to proof;
- 3. For an award of costs and a reasonable attorney's fee;
- 4. For such additional and further relief as may be deemed just and proper by this Court.
- 5. Plaintiff may seek leave to amend or supplement this Pleading if and when appropriate.

10 The undersigned hereby certifies that this document does not contain the social security number of 11 any person.

DATED: October 25, 2010.

544 West First Street Reno, Nevada 89503

/s/ Ken McKenna KENNETH J. McKENNA Telephone: (775) 329-6373 Attorney for Plaintiff

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MS. LISA CAVANAUGH
STATE FARM INSURANCE
8329 WEST SUNSET ROAD
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA 89113-2202

CONCERNING

STODDARD FORD UNWANTED ACCELERATION

CLAIM NO .:

OUR CASE NO.:

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April 21, 2009

Ms. Lisa Cavanaugh STATE FARM INSURANCE 8329 West Sunset Road Las Vegas, Nevada 89113-2202

Re: STODDARD FORD UNWANTED ACCELERATION

Date of Loss: 04/13/09

Your Insured: Claim No.: Our Case No.:

Dear Ms. Cavanaugh:

#### ASSIGNMENT:

GARRETT ENGINEERS, INC. was assigned to inspect the throttle system on the insured's 2004 Ford Escape, Vehicle Identification Number 1FMYU93174K

## CONCLUSIONS:

No manufacturing, mechanical, or service defects or failures were located in the vehicle's throttle system. The components of the throttle system were properly installed and in good, safe operating condition prior to the impact.

The throttle shaft in the throttle body was broken during impact while the throttle was closed.

This indicates that the throttle was not stuck open at the time of the impact.

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GARRETT ENGINEERS,INC. Re: Stoddard Ford Unwanted Acceleration - 2

# DISCUSSION:

The vehicle was inspected at Insurance Auto Auction, 4086 Peru Drive, McCarran, Nevada on April 17, 2009. The pertinent vehicle data is as follows:

YEAR, MAKE, AND MODEL:

2004 FORD ESCAPE XLT

COLOR AND BODY:

WHITE, FOUR - DOOR, S.U.V.

STOCK NUMBER:

5411744

LICENSE PLATE NUMBER: REGISTRATION STICKER:

AUG 2009

VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:

1FMYU93174K

DATE OF MANUFACTURE:

09/03

SERVICE STICKER:

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TRANSMISSION:

AUTOMATIC

DRIVE:

FOUR - WHEEL

DRIVABLE:

NO

AIR BAGS:

DUAL FRONT - DEPLOYED

The following documentation was reviewed during the preparation of this report:

- National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) Recall Notices.
- Ford Recall Internet Web Pago.
- CARFAX Vehicle History.
- ALLDATA Replacement Procedure of Throttle Cable.
- Notes and photographs of our April 17, 2009 inspection.

The vehicle sustained a frontal impact. The impact damaged the roof structure, windshield, hood,

Re: Stoddard Ford Unwanted Acceleration - 3

GARRETT ENGINEERS, INC.

front fenders, headlight assemblies, front bumper assembly, radiator, air conditioning components, and most of the engine compartment components.

The interior of the vehicle was examined and documented photographically. The driver's floor mat did not interfere with the throttle or the brake pedal operation. The throttle pedal was lying loose at the floor due to the impact damaged throttle cable guide components. The throttle pedal assembly was examined and found to be in good, safe operating condition and pivoted freely on its bracket. No manufacturing defects or pre-impact failures were located in the interior throttle system components.

The impact-damaged hood was opened to fully access the engine compartment. The force of the impact dislodged the brake master cylinder fluid reservoir from its mounting. The engine oil dipstick was removed for examination; the engine oil was found at its proper level.

The throttle components located in the engine compartment were examined. The throttle cable was in good operating condition and slid freely in its housing. The NHTSA Recall Campaign Number 04V574000 regarding a possible problem within the accelerator (throttle) cable did not cause or contribute to the date of loss incident. CARFAX indicates that the accelerator cable had been replaced by Lithia Lincoln Mercury on May 15, 2008. The Ford Motor Company Recall Internet Site did not list this recall as unresolved in the vehicle identified by the above documented Vehicle Identification Number.

The throttle cable attachment point was impact broken but in otherwise good condition prior to the impact. The throttle bell crank had been broken off the throttle body as a result of the

Re: Stoddard Ford Unwanted Acceleration - 4

GARRETT ENGINEERS, INC.

impact.

The force of the impact knocked the throttle body rearward into the engine compartment. The throttle shaft in the throttle body was broken during impact while the throttle was in the closed position (See Photograph 29). This indicates that the throttle was not stuck, or open, at the time of the impact. The throttle shaft return springs were broken loose during the impact. The idle speed control motor and the throttle position sensor were found intact and in place. The throttle position sensor was also found in the closed position. The throttle blade was found in normally dirty condition.

A large amount of impact debris and foreign material were found in the engine air intake system.

The intake manifold was broken into many pieces by the impact. The air filter was in normal condition. Numerous impact related cuts, tears, or cracks were found in the engine vacuum hoses.

The cruise control was found in the 'Off' position. The cruise control mechanism was impact damaged, but in place. A small kink was found in the cruise control cable past its bracket. This could have occurred during the throttle cable replacement to satisfy the NHTSA Recall. This slight kink in the lower end of the cable did not cause or contribute to the date of loss incident.

No manufacturing defects or pre-impact failures were located in the engine compartment throttle system components.

The fuel rail was bent, however, its fuel supply line clip connector was found in place.

GARRETT ENGINEERS, INC. Re: Stoddard Ford Unwanted Acceleration - 5

As of the date of this report, the NHTSA remaining recall issues that might be associated with this year, make, and model vehicle were not related to the throttle system. According to the Ford Motor Company website, no open recalls were listed for the vehicle identified by the above Vehicle Identification Number.

The conclusions expressed in this report are based on sound technical judgment and information available at the time of this report. Should additional or conflicting information become available at a later date, we reserve the right to modify our opinions and conclusions accordingly.

No evidence was retained or removed from the site.

Thank you for calling GARRETT ENGINEERS, INC. If you have any questions regarding this report, or if you need any further assistance, please contact our office.

Respectfully submitted, GARRETT ENGINEERS, INC.

In the absence of

Thomas J. Lepper
Automotive/Fire/Tire Consultant
This report and its conclusions were prepared
by Thomas J. Lepper, but signed and
shipped in his absence to capedite delivery.

TJL/jb

Enclosures:

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Attachment:

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Recall Notices

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# STATE OF NEVADA TRAFFIC ACCIDENT REPORT SCENE INFORMATION SHEET

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IT IS TO BE NOTED THAT UPON LOOKING AT THE INTERIOR OF THE VEHICLE OFFICERS NOTED THAT THE EMERGENCY BRAKE WAS IN THE UP POSITION AND THERE APPEARED TO NOTHING OBSTRUCTING THE GAS

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April 21, 2009

Ms. Lisa Cavanaugh STATE FARM INSURANCE 8329 West Sunset Road Las Vegas, Nevada 89113-2202

Re: Date of Loss: 04/13/09

Your Insured:

Claim No.

Our Case No.: 0409EW205810

Dear Ms. Cavanaugh:

## ASSIGNMENT:

GARRETT ENGINEERS, INC. was assigned to inspect the throttle system on the insured's 2004 Ford Escape, Vehicle Identification Number 1FMYU93174K

## CONCLUSIONS:

No manufacturing, mechanical, or service defects or failures were located in the vehicle's throttle system. The components of the throttle system were properly installed and in good, safe operating condition prior to the impact.

The throttle shaft in the throttle body was broken during impact while the throttle was closed.

This indicates that the throttle was not stuck open at the time of the impact.

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# DISCUSSION:

The vehicle was inspected at Insurance Auto Auction, 4086 Peru Drive, McCarran, Nevada on April 17, 2009. The pertinent vehicle data is as follows:

YEAR, MAKE, AND MODEL: 2004 FORD ESCAPE XLT

COLOR AND BODY: WHITE, FOUR - DOOR, S.U.V.

STOCK NUMBER: 5411744

LICENSE PLATE NUMBER:

REGISTRATION STICKER: AUG 2009

VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 1FMYU93174K

DATE OF MANUFACTURE: 09/03

SERVICE STICKER: TORN OFF

TRANSMISSION: AUTOMATIC

DRIVE: FOUR-WHEEL

DRIVABLE: NO

AIR BAGS: DUAL FRONT - DEPLOYED

The following documentation was reviewed during the preparation of this report:

- National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) Recall Notices.
- Ford Recall Internet Web Page.
- CARFAX Vehicle History.
- ALLDATA Replacement Procedure of Throttle Cable,
- Notes and photographs of our April 17, 2009 inspection.

The vehicle sustained a frontal impact. The impact damaged the roof structure, windshield, hood,

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front fenders, headlight assemblies, front bumper assembly, radiator, air conditioning components, and most of the engine compartment components.

The interior of the vehicle was examined and documented photographically. The driver's floor mat did not interfere with the throttle or the brake pedal operation. The throttle pedal was lying loose at the floor due to the impact damaged throttle cable guide components. The throttle pedal assembly was examined and found to be in good, safe operating condition and pivoted freely on its bracket. No manufacturing defects or pre-impact failures were located in the interior throttle system components.

The impact-damaged hood was opened to fully access the engine compartment. The force of the impact dislodged the brake master cylinder fluid reservoir from its mounting. The engine oil dipstick was removed for examination; the engine oil was found at its proper level.

The throttle components located in the engine compartment were examined. The throttle cable was in good operating condition and slid freely in its housing. The NHTSA Recall Campaign Number 04V574000 regarding a possible problem within the accelerator (throttle) cable did not cause or contribute to the date of loss incident. CARFAX indicates that the accelerator cable had been replaced by Lithia Lincoln Mercury on May 15, 2008. The Ford Motor Company Recall Internet Site did not list this recall as unresolved in the vehicle identified by the above documented Vehicle Identification Number.

The throttle cable attachment point was impact broken but in otherwise good condition prior to the impact. The throttle bell crank had been broken off the throttle body as a result of the

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impact.

The force of the impact knocked the throttle body rearward into the engine compartment. The throttle shaft in the throttle body was broken during impact while the throttle was in the closed position (See Photograph 29). This indicates that the throttle was not stuck, or open, at the time of the impact. The throttle shaft return springs were broken loose during the impact. The idle speed control motor and the throttle position sensor were found intact and in place. The throttle position sensor was also found in the closed position. The throttle blade was found in normally dirty condition.

A large amount of impact debris and foreign material were found in the engine air intake system.

The intake manifold was broken into many pieces by the impact. The air filter was in normal condition. Numerous impact related cuts, tears, or cracks were found in the engine vacuum hoses.

The cruise control was found in the 'Off' position. The cruise control mechanism was impact damaged, but in place. A small kink was found in the cruise control cable past its bracket. This could have occurred during the throttle cable replacement to satisfy the NHTSA Recall. This slight kink in the lower end of the cable did not cause or contribute to the date of loss incident.

No manufacturing defects or pre-impact failures were located in the engine compartment throttle system components:

The fuel rail was bent, however, its fuel supply line clip connector was found in place.

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As of the date of this report, the NHTSA remaining recall issues that might be associated with this year, make, and model vehicle were not related to the throttle system. According to the Ford Motor Company website, no open recalls were listed for the vehicle identified by the above Vehicle Identification Number.

The conclusions expressed in this report are based on sound technical judgment and information available at the time of this report. Should additional or conflicting information become available at a later date, we reserve the right to modify our opinions and conclusions accordingly.

No evidence was retained or removed from the site.

Thank you for calling GARRETT ENGINEERS, INC. If you have any questions regarding this report, or if you need any further assistance, please contact our office.

Respectfully submitted, GARRETT ENGINEERS, INC.

In the absence of

Thomas J. Lepper
Automotive/Fire/Tire Consultant
This report and its conclusions were prepared
by Thomas J. Lepper, but signed and
shipped in his absence to expedite delivery.

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Enclosures:

40 Photographs

Attachment:

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Recall Notices

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# ATTACHMENT I National Highway Traffic Safety Administration Recall Notices v. Ford 000241

Make: FORD

Model Year: 2004

Manufacturer: FORD MOTOR COMPANY

NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID Number: 04V574000

Component: VEHICLE SPEED CONTROL:CABLES

Potential Number of Units Affected: 470245

Summary

ON CERTAIN SPORT UTILITY VEHICLES BUILT WITH 3.0L V6 ENGINES, THE ACCELERATOR CABLE MAY PREVENT THE THROTTLE FROM RETURNING TO THE IDLE POSITION.

Model: ESCAPE

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Mfr's Report Date: DEC 17, 2004

NHTSA Action Number: N/A

Mfr's Report Date: DEC 06, 2004

NHTSA Action Number: N/A

Consequence:

AN UNEXPECTED INCREASE IN ENGINE IDLE SPEED MAY INCREASE STOPPING DISTANCE AND MAY RESULT IN A VEHICLE CRASH.

Remedy

DEALERS WILL REPLACE THE ACCELERATOR CABLE. THE RECALL BEGAN ON JANUARY 10, 2005. OWNERS SHOULD CONTACT FORD AT 1-866-436-7332.

Notes:

FORD RECALL NO. 04S25, CUSTOMERS CAN ALSO CONTACT THE NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION & AUTO SAFETY HOTLINE AT 1-888-DASH-2-DOT (1-888-327-4236),

Make: FORD

Model Year: 2004

Manufacturer: FORD MOTOR COMPANY

NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID Number: 04V602000

Component: LATCHES/LOCKS/LINKAGES:DOORS:LATCH

Potential Number of Units Affected: 262113

Summary:

CERTAIN 2004-2005 SPORT UTILITY VEHICLES AND CERTAIN 2001-2003 SPORT UTILITY VEHICLE HAVING REAR LIFTGATE COMPONENTS SERVICED WITH 2004 EQUIVALENT COMPONENTS FAIL TO COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF FEDERAL MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY STANDARD NO. 206, 'DOOR LOCKS AND DOOR RETENTION COMPONENTS.' THE REAR LIFTGATE LATCHING SYSTEM DOES NOT MEET THE INERTIA LOAD REQUIREMENT IN ONE DIRECTION.

Consequence:

IF THE LIFTGATE IS LEFT UNLOCKED, THERE IS THE POTENTIAL THAT IT MAY OPEN DURING A CRASH.

Remedy

DEÁLERS WILL REPLACE THE REAR LIFTGATE LATCH RELEASE ROD, THE RELEASE ROD ATTACHMENT CLIP AND THE DOOR HANDLE RETURN SPRING. THE RECALL BEGAN ON MARCH 31, 2005. OWNERS SHOULD CONTACT FORD AT 1-800-392-3673.

Notes

FORD RECALL NO. 04C09. CUSTOMERS CAN ALSO CONTACT THE NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION'S AUTO SAFETY HOTLINE AT 1-888-327-4236.

Make: FORD Model Year: 2004

Manufacturer: CARDONE INDUSTRIES, INC. NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID Number: 07E023000

Component: SERVICE BRAKES, HYDRAULIC: FOUNDATION COMPONENTS: MASTER CYLINDER

Potential Number of Units Affected: 13128

Summary:

CERTAIN CARDONE MASTER CYLINDERS WITH DATE CODES LOWER THAN DCA7078 SOLD AS REPLACEMENT EQUIPMENT FOR USE ON THE VEHICLES LISTED ABOVE. THE SEAL ON MASTER CYLINDER CAN FAIL AND LEAK BRAKE FLUID.

Consequence:

LOSS OF BRAKE FLUID CAN RESULT IN POOR BRAKING PERFORMANCE, POSSIBLY RESULTING IN A VEHICLE CRASH.

Remedy:

CARDONE WILL NOTIFY OWNERS AND OFFER TO REPURCHASE ANY DEFECTIVE MASTER CYLINDERS. THE RECALL BEGAN DURING APRIL 2007, OWNERS CAN CONTACT CARDONE AT 1-800-777-4780.

Notes:

THIS RECALL ONLY PERTAINS TO AFTERMARKET CARDONE MASTER CYLINDERS AND HAS NO RELATION TO ANY ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT INSTALLED ON THE VEHICLES LISTED ABOVE. CUSTOMERS MAY CONTACT THE NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION'S VEHICLE SAFETY HOTLINE AT 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153); OR GO TO HTTP://WWW.SAFERCAR.GOV.

Make: FORD

Model: ESCAPE

Model Year: 2004

Manufacturer: FORD MOTOR COMPANY NHTSA CAMPAIGN ID Number: 07V156000 Mfr's Report Date: MAR 30, 2007 NHTSA Action Number: PE06048

Component: SERVICE BRAKES, HYDRAULIC: ANTILOCK: CONTROL UNIT/MODULE

Potential Number of Units Affected: 446460

Summary:

ON CERTAIN SPORT UTILITY VEHICLES EQUIPPED WITH ANTILOCK BRAKES (ABS), THE ABS MODULE CONNECTOR MAY HAVE MISSING OR DISLODGED WIRE SEALS. THIS CONDITION COULD ALLOW CONTAMINATION TO ENTER THE MODULE CONNECTOR, CREATING A POTENTIAL FOR AN ELECTRICAL SHORT.

Consequence:

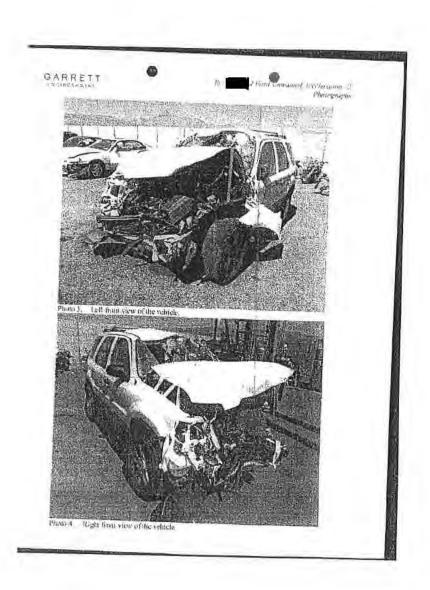
AN ÉLECTRICAL SHORT MIGHT CAUSE AN ABS MALFUNCTION THAT WOULD ILLUMINATE THE ABS WARNING LIGHT, AND IN SOME CASES, THE MODULE MAY OVERHEAT RESULTING IN BURNING ODOR, SMOKE, AND/OR FIRE. THIS CONDITION COULD OCCUR EITHER WHEN THE VEHICLE IGNITION SWITCH IS IN THE OFF POSITION OR WHILE THE VEHICLE IS BEING OPERATED.

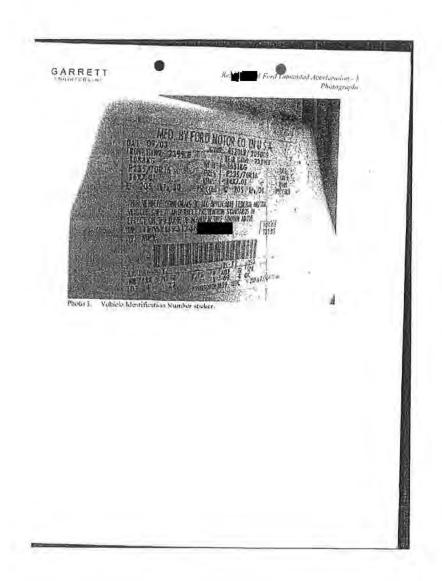
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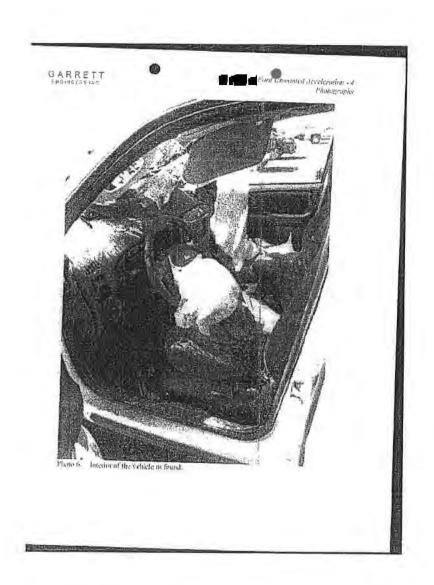
DEALERS WILL INSPECT THE WIRE HARNESS CONNECTOR TO THE ABS MODULE FOR MISSING OR DISLODGED WIRE SEALS, AND REPAIR OR REPLACE THE HARNESS CONNECTOR AS APPROPRIATE, THE DEALER WILL ALSO INSPECT THE CONNECTOR ON THE ABS MODULE AND REPLACE IT IF IT IS FOUND TO BE CORRODED OR DAMAGED. THE RECALL BEGAN ON APRIL 23, 2007. OWNERS MAY CONTACT FORD AT 1-800-392-3673.

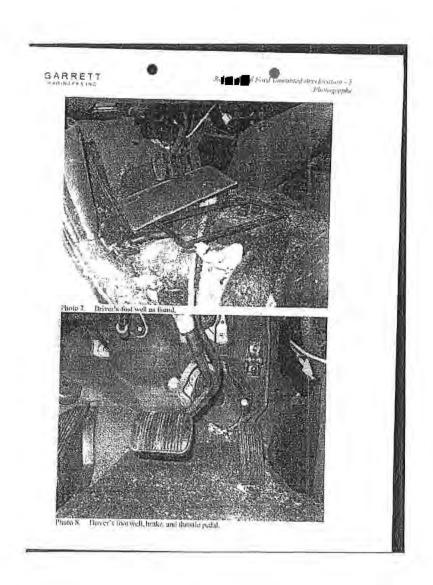


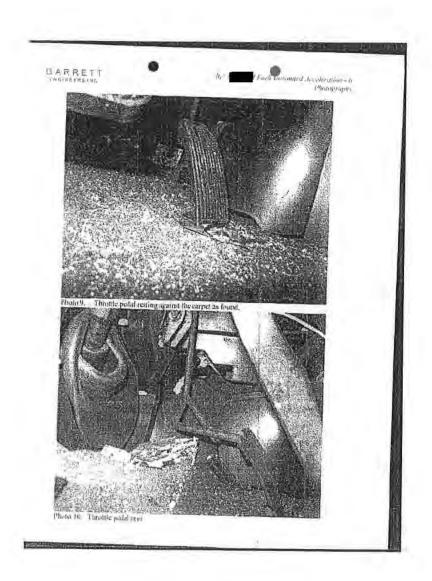


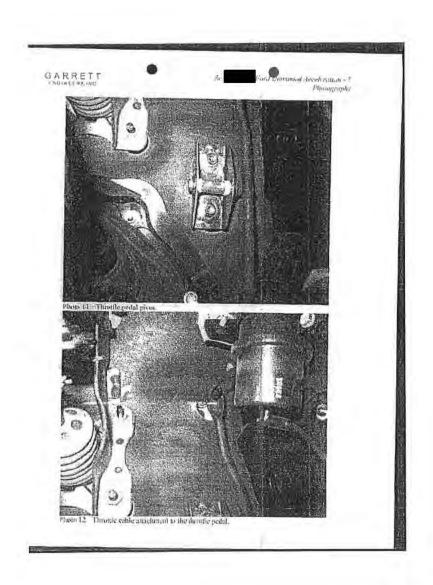




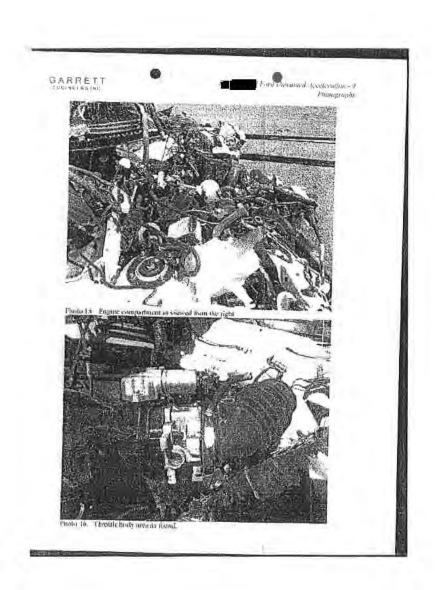


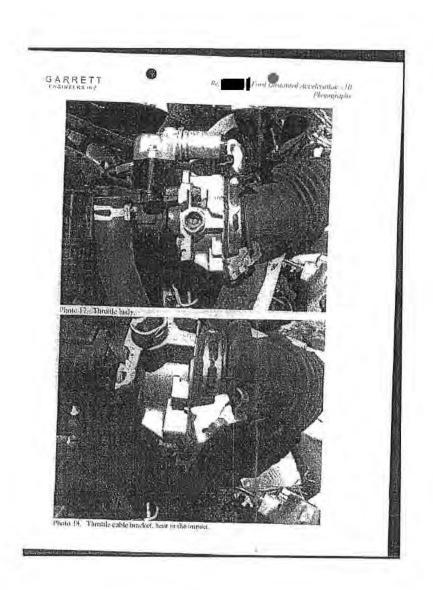


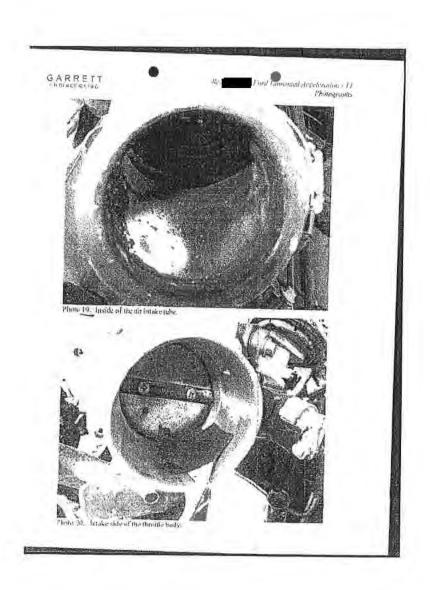


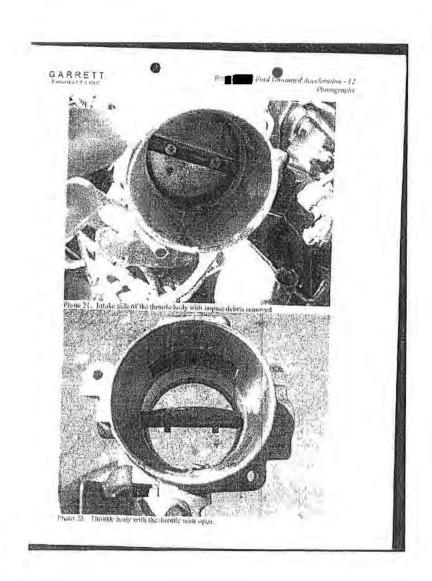


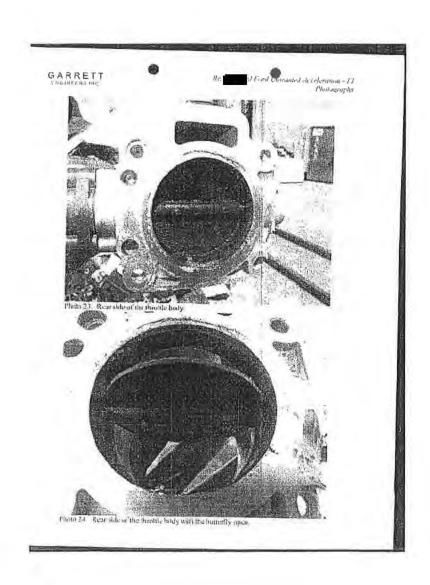


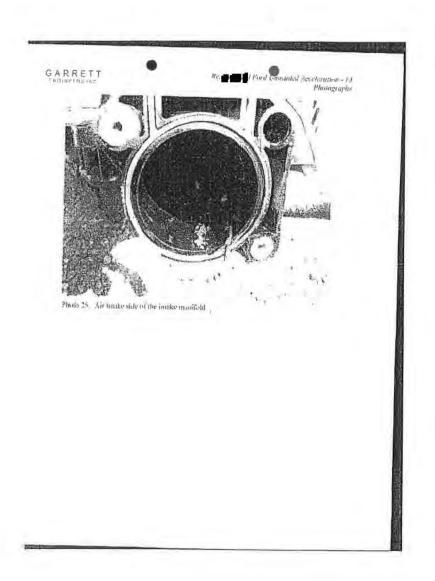


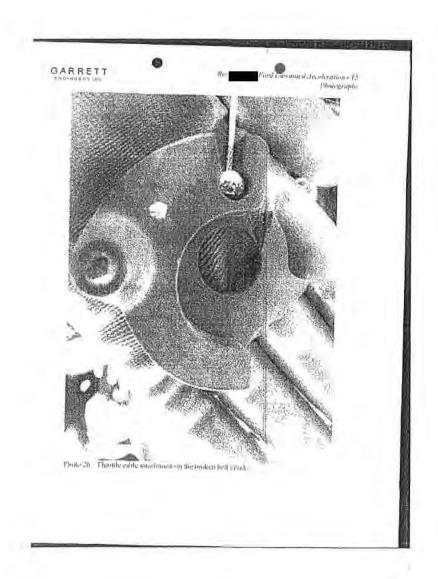


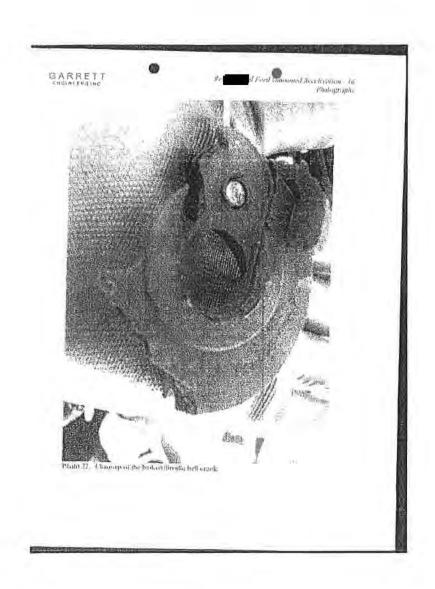


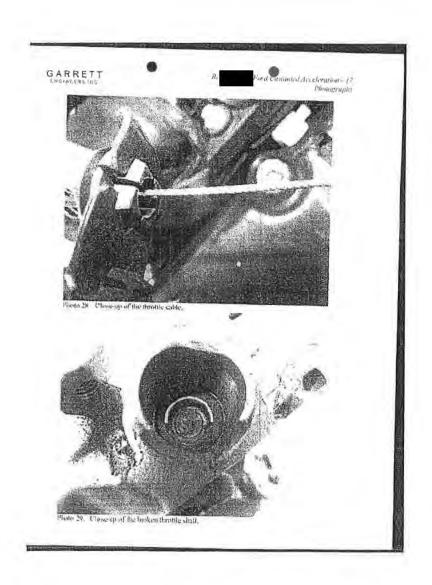


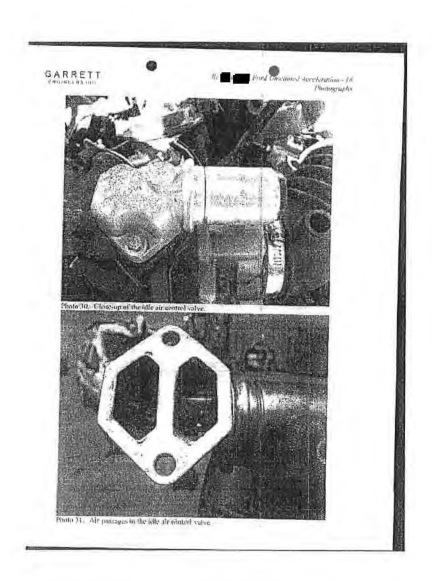


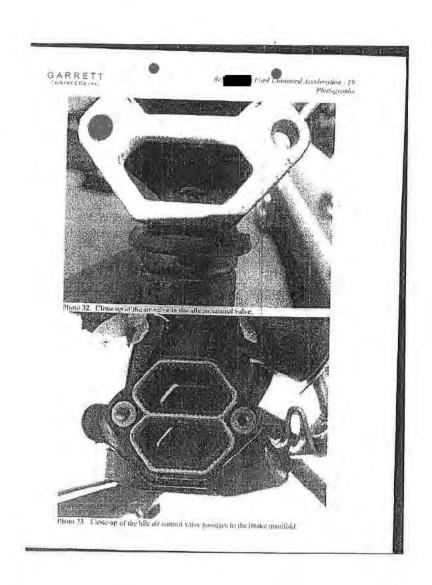


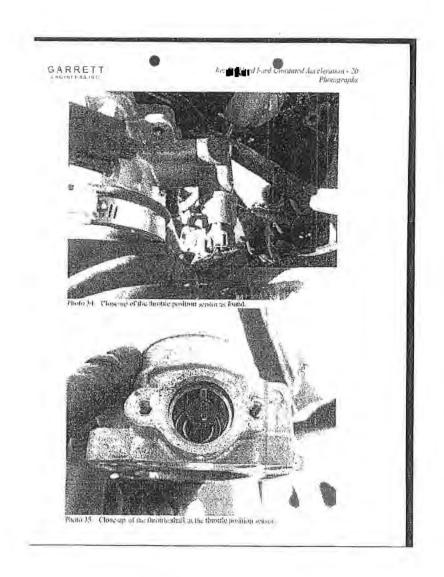


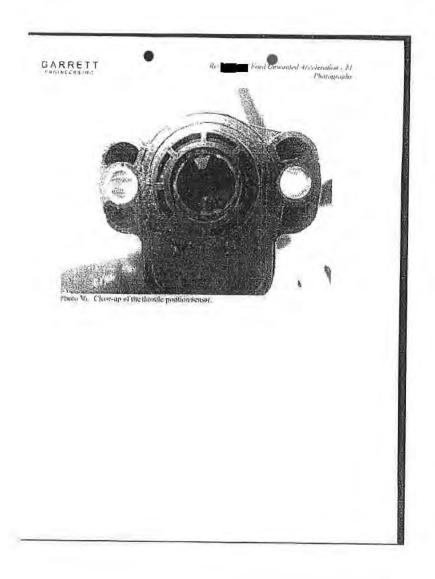


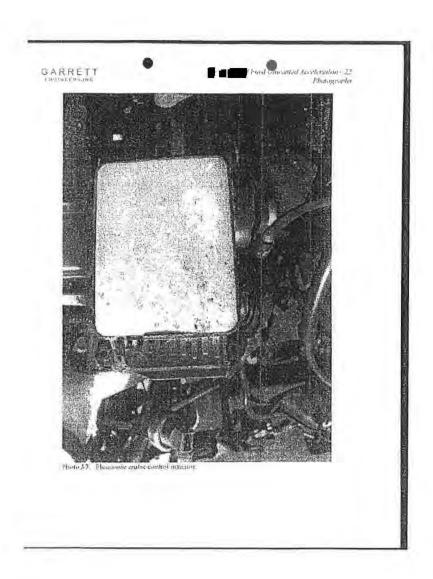


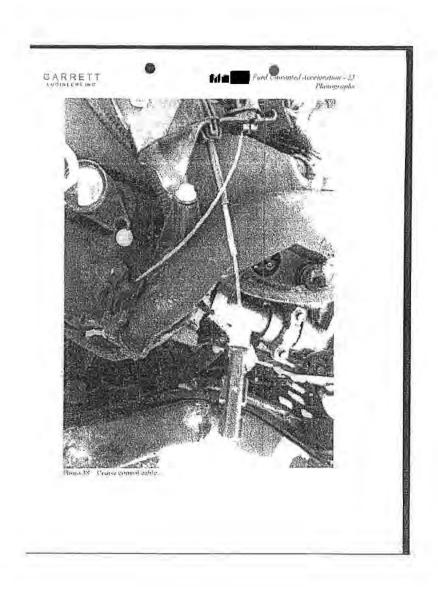


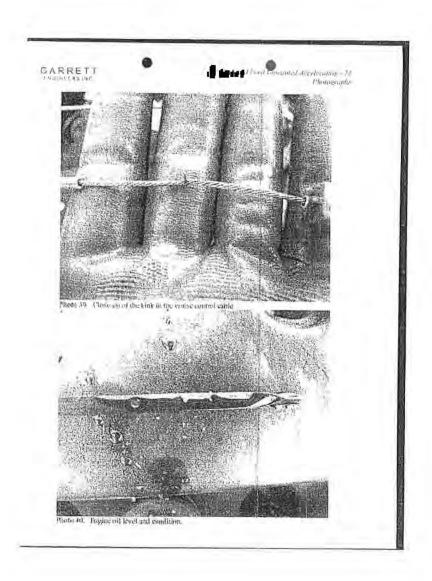














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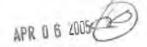
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# Interinsurance Exchange of the Automobile Club

P. O. Box 25024, Santa Ana, CA 92799-5024



March 29, 2005

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ATTN: CONSUMER AFFAIRS DEPT.

PO BOX 6248, MD-3NE-B

DEARBORN MI 48126

TCL. Tour moureur Direct . 14/11	RE:	Your	Insured /	Driver		N/A
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Your Claim Number : UNK

Our Insured

Our Policy Number

Date of Loss



: January 10, 2005



The Interinsurance Exchange of the Automobile Club of Southern California has a claim against your insured as a result of the accident that has occurred on the above date. The claim consists of:

UMC	\$0.00
AUTO / PROPERTY	\$9,896.80
DEDUCTIBLE	\$1,000.00
ACSC RENTAL	\$0.00
INSURED RENTAL/MISC.	\$0.00
TOTAL	\$10,896.80

Enclosed are the necessary documents to support our subrogation claim.

Please show Our Policy Number and Date of Loss on your draft. FOR YOUR INFORMATION: VEHICLE ACCELERATED AS INSURED RELEASED THROTTLE UPON ENCOUNTERING A WATER PUDDLE WHICH RESULTED IN VEHICLE HYDROPLANING & LOSING CONTROL. WIRED ESTIMATE, EMITCHELL

ADJUSTER: Dean Danganan (714)850-5474

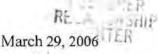
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SIGNATURE & DATE		

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# Interinsurance Exchange of the Automobile Club

P. O. Box 25024, Santa Ana, CA 92799-5024





1 2005 1 -5 A 8: 3rd REQUEST

FORD MOTOR CO.

ATTN: CONSUMER AFFAIRS DEPT.

PO BOX 6248, MD-3NE-B DEARBORN MI 48126

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RE: Your Insured / Driver: N/A

Your Claim Number : UNK

Our Insured

Our Policy Number

Date of Loss : January 10, 2005

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TOTAL	\$10,896.80

THIS IS THE THIRD AND FINAL REQUEST FOR PAYMENT PRIOR TO REFERRING TO COUNSEL.

Please show Our Policy Number and Date of Loss on your draft. FOR YOUR INFORMATION: VEHICLE ACCELERATED AS INSURED RELEASED THROTTLE UPON ENCOUNTERING A WATER PUDDLE WHICH RESULTED IN VEHICLE HYDROPLANING & LOSING CONTROL. WIRED ESTIMATE, EMITCHELL

ADJUSTER: Dean Danganan (714)850-5474

REPLY:		
SIGNATURE & DATE		

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# Interinsurance Exchange of the Automobile Club

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April 13, 2005

## 2nd REQUEST

FORD MOTOR CO. ATTN: CONSUMER AFFAIRS DEPT. PO BOX 6248, MD-3NE-B DEARBORN MI 48126

RE: Your Insured / Driver: N/A

Your Claim Number : UNK

Our Insured

Our Policy Number

Date of Loss : January 10, 2005

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DEDUCTIBLE	\$1,000.00
ACSC RENTAL	\$0.00
INSURED RENTAL/MISC,	\$0.00
TOTAL	\$10,896.80

You have previously been provided the necessary documents to support our loss. Payment is expected within 15 days.

Please show Our Policy Number and Date of Loss on your draft. FOR YOUR INFORMATION: VEHICLE ACCELERATED AS INSURED RELEASED THROTTLE UPON ENCOUNTERING A WATER PUDDLE WHICH RESULTED IN VEHICLE HYDROPLANING & LOSING CONTROL. WIRED ESTIMATE, EMITCHELL

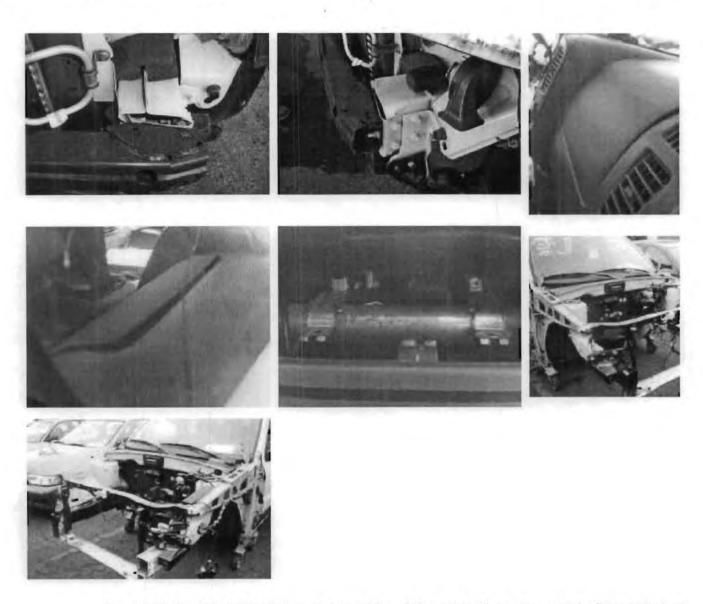
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ISSUE LIST

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Last Handling Date/ Issue Status	Name/ Reason Desc	Vin/ Case No.	Model Year and Vehic	le Line Issue Type
1/25/2005		1FMYU921X3K	2003 ESCAPE	07
CLOSED	LEGAL - ACCIDENT / FIRE	620300205		
1/24/2005		1FMYU921X3K	2003 ESCAPE	.03
CLOSED	RECALL/ONP - VEHICLE INVOLVEMENT	620300205		

#### All Action Details for Issue

Print

VIN: 1FMYU921X3K

Year: 2003

Owner Status: Original

Name:

Symptom Desc: GENERAL INQUIRIES REQUEST/NON-VEHICLE RELATED

Reason Desc: LEGAL - ACCIDENT / FIRE

Issue Type: 07 LEGAL

Action Date: 01/20/2005

Issue Status: CLOSED

WSD: 2003-03-21 **Primary Phone** 

Model: ESCAPE

Secondary Phone:

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Case:

Action: ADVISE CUST INFORMATION WILL BE SENT TO CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Dealer: 05492 BUERGE FORD

Comm Type: PHONE

Odometer: 27000 MI Analyst Name: HYLTON ROSEMARIE

Analyst: RHYLTON2

Action Time: 17.13.49.478

Action Data: Yes

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: -SHE IS CALLING REGARDING A RECALL NOTICE 04S25 SHE RECEIVED ON HER VEHICLE LAST NIGHT -HER ACCIDENT DAMAGE AMOUNT IS \$8000 -SHE WAS NOT INJURED -BOTH AIR BAGS DEPLOYED -SHE ACCELERATED UNEXPECTEDLY WHILE DRIVING -THE VEHICLE IS CURRENTLY AT MARINA AUTOBODY IN MARINA DEL RAY CALIFORNIA -THE ACCIDENT OCCURRED ON JANUARY 10TH AT 10:15 PM -IT HAPPENED ON THE 110 FREEWAY HEADING SOUTH IN LOS ANGELES -WHILE DRIVING AT THE SPEED LIMIT WHILE IT WAS RAINING, SHE LOST CONTROL OF THE CAR AND HYDROPLANED. SHE HIT THE CENTER DIVIDER OF THE HIGHWAY -THE IMPACT WAS SO SEVERE THAT THE ENTIRE FRONT OF THE VEHICLE WAS DAMAGED AND THE -SHE RECEIVED THE RECALL NOTICE ON JAN 18TH-SHE CONTACTED HER INSURANCE COMPANY ON THE MORNING AFTER THE ACCIDENT THE INSURANCE COMPANY SAYS THIS IS HER PROBLEM TO DEAL WITH WITH FORD MOTOR COMPANY -SHE WOULD LIKE THE REPAIR AND OTHER EXPENSES TO BE TAKEN CARE OF AND THIS NOT TO BE ON HER DRIVING RECORD -THERE WAS NO POLICE REPORT FILED -AN AMBULANCE WAS DRIVING BEHIND HER ON THE FREEWAY AND SHE WAS EXAMINED ON THE SCENE -SHE WAS ABLE TO DRIVE THE VEHICLE HOME AFTER THE ACCIDENT -IT WILL TAKE 4 TO 6 WEEKS TO HAVE HER VEHICLE REPAIREDDEALER SAID: -NONE BUERGE FORD11800 SANTA MONICAW LOS ANGELES, CA 90025TEL: (310) 820-2631CRC ADVISED: - I WILL FORWARD THIS INFORMATION TO OUR CONSUMER AFFAIRS GROUP, SOMEBODY FROM CONSUMER AFFAIRS WILL CONTACT YOU IN 2 BUSINESS DAYS. PLEASE NOTIFY YOUR INSURANCE CARRIER AND REPORT THIS INCIDENT.

Data Element Name	Data Value
FIRE/ACCIDENT	A

Action: MAKE OUTBOUND CALL TO CUSTOMER

Dealer: 05492 BUERGE FORD

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION

PREVENTION

Odometer: 27000 MI

Analyst Name: VALMA SANDERS

(VSANDERS)

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst: VSANDERS

Action Date: 01/25/2005

**Action Time:** 

17.19.41.270

Action Data: No

Comments LPA CALLED THE CUSTOMER. THE CUSTOMER SAYS SHE THINKS THE RECALL CAUSED HER ACCIDENT. THE UNIT IS AT A NON-FORD COLLISION SHOP NOW AND REPAIRS HAVE STARTED HER INSURANCE COMPANY WILL PAY THE CLAIM FOR REPAIRS..THE CUSTOMER WANTS FORD TO ACCEPT RESPONSIBILITY SO THAT SHE DOES NOT HAVE THIS ACCIDENT ON HER DRIVING RECORD..LPA ADVISED THIS IS AN INSURANCE ISSUE HER INSURANCE COMPANY CAN SUBROGATE FORD IF THEY CHOOSE

Action: DENY ASSISTANCE - REFER TO INSURANCE CARRIER

Dealer: 05492 BUERGE FORD

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION

PREVENTION

Odometer: 27000 MI

Analyst Name: VALMA SANDERS

Comm Type: PHONE

(VSANDERS)

Analyst: VSANDERS

4/12/2005

Action Date: 01/25/2005

Action Time: 17.20,46.474

Action Data: No

Comments INSURANCE CARRIER IS ALREADY INVOLVED. LPA ASVISED THIS IS AN INSURANCE ISSUE THEY CAN SUBROGATE FORD IF THEY CHOOSE

Action: DENY ASSISTANCE - REFER TO INSURANCE CARRIER

Dealer: 05492 BUERGE FORD

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION

**PREVENTION** 

Odometer: 27000 MI

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst Name: VALMA SANDERS

Analyst: VSANDERS

(VSANDERS)

Action Date: 01/25/2005

Action Time: 17.20.51.704

Action Data: No

Comments INSURANCE CARRIER IS ALREADY INVOLVED..LPA ASVISED THIS IS AN INSURANCE ISSUE THEY CAN SUBROGATE FORD IF THEY CHOOSE

#### All Action Details for Issue

Print

VIN: 1FMYU921X3K

Year: 2003

Name:

Owner Status: Original

Symptom Desc: GENERAL INQUIRIES REQUEST/NON-VEHICLE RELATED

Reason Desc: RECALL/ONP - VEHICLE INVOLVEMENT Issue Type: 03 CONCERN

Issue Status: CLOSED

Initial Customer Contact: 01/24/2005

Action: ADVISE CUST OF FSA/CSP; DOCUMENT CAMPAIGN NUMBER

Dealer: 05492 BUERGE FORD

Odometer: 27000 MI

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst Name: HYLTON ROSEMARIE

Analyst: RHYLTON2

Action Date: 01/20/2005 Action Time: 17.16.10.990

Action Data: Yes

Model: ESCAPE

WSD: 2003-03-21

Primary Phone:

Secondary Phone:

Origin Desc: US INQUIRY CASE BASE

Case

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: -SHE RECEIVED THE RECALL LETTERDEALER SAID: -NONEBUERGE FORD11800 SANTA MONICAW LOS ANGELES, CA 90025TEL: (310) 820-2631CRC ADVISED: PLEASE ADVISE THE CUSTOMER OF THE INFORMATION FOUND IN THE CUSTOMER LETTER OR THE SEARCH ENGINE Q&A. PLEASE DOCUMENT ANY INFORMATION YOU PROVIDE TO THE CUSTOMER.04S25 3.0L LHD ACCELERATOR CABLE REPLACEMENT

**Data Element Name** 

Data Value

FSA/CSP CAMPAIGN NUMBER

04S25

Action: CUSTOMER REFUSES TO HAVE WORK DONE

Dealer: 05492 BUERGE FORD

Comm Type: PHONE

Odometer: 27000 MI Analyst Name: KEVIN CONNOLLY

Analyst: K-CONNE5

Action Date: 01/24/2005

Action Time: 16.53.33.158

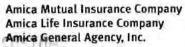
Action Data: No

Origin Desc: DEALER

Comments CALLED CUSTOMER STATES VEHICLE AT BODY SHOP POSSIBLY CUSTOMER TO COME IN AT A LATER DATE

4/12/2005







GREENVILLE REGIONAL OFFICE Five Independence Pointe, Suite 140 Greenville, South Carolina 29615-4538

Mail: PO Box 26838, Greenville, SC 29616-1838

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Claims Fax: (864) 234-0939 Production Fax: (864) 234-9058

September 20, 2005

Ford Motor Company Attn: Andrew A. Chabot P.O. Box 1904 Dearborn, MI 48121

AUTO HOME

DCT 0 3 2005

Our File Number: L36200303389S

Our Insured:

Vehicle: 2002 Ford Escape

VIN Number: 1FMYU03192K

Date of Loss: October 24, 2003

Amount of Loss: \$3888.87

Dear Mr. Chabot:

This follows our initial notice of subrogation relating to the accident identified above.

Enclosed is all of the paperwork we regarding the above incident. The parts are no longer available as the repairs to the vehicle have already been made. This loss occurred on October 24, 2003 and our insured was not aware of any recalls until he received a notice from Ford Motor Company in January 2005.

Are you able at this time to give proper consideration to our claim and forward your settlement check?

Very truly yours,

Kristine H. Drake, AIC

Claims Service Representative

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ACCIDENT DESCRIPTION (ATTACHED PAGE)

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failed to brake properly and struck Vehicle #2.

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DIAGRAM HSMV #: 2003017467 seeded urb area RECEIVED NOV 042003 GREENVILLE

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Amica Mutual Insurance Company Amica Life Insurance Company Amica General Agency, Inc. GREENVILLE REGIONAL OFFICE Five Independence Pointe, Suite 140 Greenville, South Carolina 29615-4538

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June 4, 2005

Ford Motor Company P.O. Box 1904 Dearborn, MI 48121

Our File Number: L36200303389D

Our Insured:

Vehicle: 2002 Ford Escap

VIN Number: 1FMYU03192K

Date of Loss: October 24, 200

Amount of Loss: \$3888.87

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To Whom It May Concern:

We are subrogated to the rights of our insured(s) due to the payment of a collision and liability loss.

The amount of damage to the vehicles involved in the above loss is shown above. This amount includes both our loss and our insured's deductible.

Enclosed are copies of our supporting papers.

Your prompt action regarding payment would be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Kristine H. Drake, AIC

Claims Service Representative

1-888-887-9308 Ext. 62227

Amica Mutual Insurance Company

kdrake@amica.com

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Kristine, CAN you review of subro FLOTERINO Thomas if subro Will be place FLOTERINOUSE

February 15, 2004



AMICA Greenville Regional Office Five Independence Pointe, Suite 140 Greenville, SC 29616

ATTN:

RE: Policy
Ford Escape VIN#1FMTU03192K
Accidents October 24, 2003 and February 17, 2004

Enclosed please find a copy of your recent letter about the above accidents and a copy of a recall notice from Ford Motor Company. The escape has been recall for a defect in the accelerator cable (see enclosed letter) and as we had previously stated, this defect was directly involved in causing these accidents.

Therefore, we request a review of the points assigned and the fee increases resulting from these accidents.





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PA

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**ESCAPE XLT 4X2** 

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US CONCERN CASE BASE COMMUNICATION: PHONE

**OGC ISSUE** 

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ZONE:

ENGINE:

ADVISE CUSTOMER INFO WILL BE SENT TO OGC ANALYST: CGRAY75 CYNTHIA GRAY (CGRAY75)

DATE: 06/23/2008 TIME: 13.16.15: ACTION DATA/COMMENTS:

> FIRE / ACCIDENT CUSTOMER SAID: -FIRST ACCIDENT MAY 11,2008-REAR ENDED VEH-BR AKES DIDN'T TAKE-SECOND ACCIDENT JUNE 19,2008-VEH SURGED FOR EWARD-HIT SMALL METAL ROD STICKING UP OUT OF CEMENT-AIR BAG DEPLOYED-NO INJURIES IN EITHER ACCIDENT-VEH HAD NOT GONE TO DLRHSP-NO POLICE REPORT-SEEKING INFORMATION ABOUT WHY THIS O COURREDDEALER SAID: WOLTZ & WIND FORD2100 WASHINGTON PIKE HE IDELBERG, PA 15106TEL: (412) 279-4551CRC ADVISED: - I WILL FO RWARD THIS INFORMATION TO THE FORD OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COU NSEL YOU WILL RECEIVE WRITTEN NOTIFICATION WITHIN 10 BUSIN ESS DAYS WHICH YOU WILL NEED TO RESPOND TO IN WRITING NOTE T O CCR: REMEMBER TO VERIFY ALL CUSTOMER CONTACT INFORMATION B EFORE SENDING ISSUE.103 PINEWOOD DRBRIDGEVILLE, PA 15017

CASE NBR: 1477791758 OPENED: 06/23/2008 CLOSED: 06/23/2008 ---------

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CLAIMS UNIT JUN 2 4 2008

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### Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

5050 W Tilghman St Suite 200 Allentown PA 18104

Tel: (610) 398-9800 / (800) 521-0986

March 11, 2005

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FORD MOTOR COMPANY BOX 6248 DEARBORN MI 48126

OUR INSURED: OUR CLAIM NUMBER:

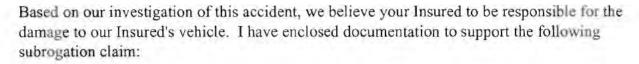
FORD CO.

YOUR INSURED:

YOUR CLAIM NUMBER:

DATE OF LOSS: 11/02/2004 PLACE OF MAIN STREET LOSS: NORFOLK, MA

Dear sir or madam:



Amount we have paid 1755,00 Salvage (if applicable) \$ 0.00 Our Insured's deductible 500.00 Total amount of damages 2255.00

Please include our claim number on your check for the total amount of damages shown above and send your payment to my attention. If you have any questions, please contact me at the number listed above, extension 495.

Sincerely,

CAROL STETTLER Subrogation Department

Enclosure

This is collision subro fro \$2255.00. Our insd. states she put her 2003 Ford Escape in park and was preparing to exit when it lunged forward and hit a building. She believes this to be a mechanical malfunction.



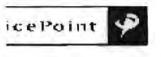












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## Commonwealth of Massachusetts Motor Vehicle Crash

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DATE 12/11/2009 TIME, 13,23.07 : ACTION DATA/COMMENTS: FORD MOTOR COMPANY RECEIVED CLAIMS UNIT

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OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL

FIRE / ACCIDENT
CUSTOMER SAID: 1 SUDDEN ACCELERATION-FIRST NOTICED 12/11/09STATES HER DAUGHTER WAS IN AN ACCIDENT AND HIT THE VEH IN FR
ONT OF HER -STATES SHE WAS ADVISED THERE WAS A RECALL AT ONE
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## UNITED SERVICES AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION 9800 Fredericksburg Road, San Antonio, TX 78288

FORD MOTOR COMPANY CONSUMER AFFAIRS 16800 EXCUTIVE PLZ DR MD#3NE-B DEEBOURNE MI 48126-4207

August 26, 2004

Policyholder:

1689108-7105-17-7644 Reference Number:

Date Of Loss: April 21, 2004

Loss Location: Eatontown, New Jersey

USAA Tax ID Number:

Ford Recall Your Policyholder:

Your Reference Number: RECAL #04S13

Dear LaShawn Rudolph:

This is to advise that we have made a supplemental payment to our insured in the amount of \$576.48. Our revised subrogation demand is \$1,359.68.

Please forward your check, referencing # in the amount of our total subrogation demand. Make your check payable to USAA as subrogee of our policyholder. Please include our reference number on your check to allow us to identify your payment to our claim and avoid additional demands or an arbitration filing.

Remit Payment To: USAA

ATTN: Insurance Claims

P.O. Box 33490

San Antonio, TX 78265-3490

Be aware that no partial payment to USAA that is less than the full amount claimed herein will be considered in any way a satisfaction of this claim without an express written release of our claim executed by an individual who identifies himself/herself as a member of our Subrogation Department. Therefore, our legal rights to enforce collection on the remaining amount of the claim shall not be waived or estopped due to a partial payment by you or someone acting on your behalf.

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OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSE If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Natali Moreno

Claims Subrogation Specialist Claims - East Zone Subrogation

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# UNITED SERVICES AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION P.O. Box 33490, San Antonio, TX 78265

FORD MOTOR COMPANY

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OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSE

FORD MOTOR COMPANY CONSUMER AFFAIRS 15800 EXCUTIVE PLS DR MD#3NE-B DEEBOURNE MI 48126-4207

August 16, 2004

Policyholder: Reference Number:

Date Of Loss: April 21, 2004

Loss Location: Eatontown, New Jersey

USAA Tax ID Number: 74-0959140

Your Policyholder: Ford Recall caused accident

Your Reference Number: See police report

Dear Claims:

Our investigation reveals that your insured is responsible for damages sustained in this loss.

This is to notify you of our subrogation interests and to request that you not make any settlements on this claim without protecting our recovery rights.

Our claim payments are documented below:

Collision Amount Paid PENDING
PD for Drvr 2: \$ 783.20

Total Subrogation Demand \$ 783.20

Please forward your check, referencing # \_\_\_\_\_\_, in the amount of our total subrogation demand. Make your check payable to USAA as subrogee of our policyholder. Please include our reference number on your check to allow us to identify your payment to our claim and avoid additional demands or an arbitration filing.

Remit Payment To: USAA

ATTN: Insurance Claims

P.O. Box 33490

San Antonio, TX 73265-3490

Be aware that no partial payment to USAA that is less than the full amount claimed herein will be considered in any way a satisfaction of this claim without an express written release of our claim executed by an individual who identifies

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himself/herself as a member of our Subrogation Department. Therefore, our legal rights to enforce collection on the remaining amount of the claim shall not be waived or estopped due to a partial payment by you or someone acting on your behalf.

If you wish to discuss this matter, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Natali Moreno

Claims Subrogation Specialist Claims - East Zone Subrogation

Phone: 1-800-531-8222, ext. 2-2460

Fax Phone: 1-800-531-8008

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Encl: Support Docs





#### SAFECO PROPERTY & CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANIES

SAFECO Insurance Company of Illinois Recovery Management P. O. Box 461 St. Louis, MO 63166-0461 Phone: (800) 332-3226 Fax: (888) 268-8840

www.safeco.com

Mailing address: P. O. Box 461 St. Louis, MO 63166-0461

May 6, 2005

Ford Motor Company Consumer Affairs Attn: Frank M. Ligon Po Box 6248 Md-3ne-b Dearborn, MI 48126

## SUBROGATION NOTICE

Our Insured Name:

Our Claim Number: Loss Date:

November 19, 2004

Dear Mr. Ligon:

We have completed our investigation of the above loss. Our investigation indicates that your insured is liable for the damages to our insured's property. Under our insured's policy, we have become legally subrogated to the right of our insured to recover from your policyholder. As such, we are seeking reimbursement from you for the damages we paid out on behalf of our insured.

Enclosed please find the documentation that will support the claim.

 Collision:
 \$3,780.21

 Rental:
 461.98

 Deductible:
 500.00

Property Damage TOTAL: \$4,742.19

Please issue your check payable to SAFECO Insurance Company of Illinois, Attn: Subrogation Cashier, PO Box 461, St. Louis, MO 63166.

Please acknowledge receipt of this notice in writing within the next 45 days. We look forward to receiving your immediate payment for the property damage claim.

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Please direct all future subrogation correspondence to **Sharon DeVault** at the mailing address noted above. If you have any questions **Sharon** can be reached at (800) 332-3226 extension 483189.

Sincerely,

Recovery Management SAFECO Insurance Company of Illinois (800) 332-3226 Fax: (888) 268-8840









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March 29, 2005

Ford Motor Company Attn: Frank M. Ligon, Director Service Engineering Operations PO Box 1904 Dearborn, MI 48121

#### SUBROGATION NOTICE

Our Insured Name:

Claim Number:

149541652015

Loss Date: November 19, 2004

Dear Mr. Ligon:

We have completed our investigation of the above loss. Our investigation indicates that you are liable for the damages our insured has sustained. Under our insured's policy, we have become legally subrogated to the right of our insured to recover from you. As such we are seeking reimbursement from you for the damages we paid out on behalf of our insured.

It is our desire to resolve this matter in an amicable fashion. If you were insured at the time of this loss, please refer this matter to your insurance company so the claims adjuster can contact me directly. If you were uninsured at the time of the loss, please send your payment to the address below (please remember to put the claim # on your check).

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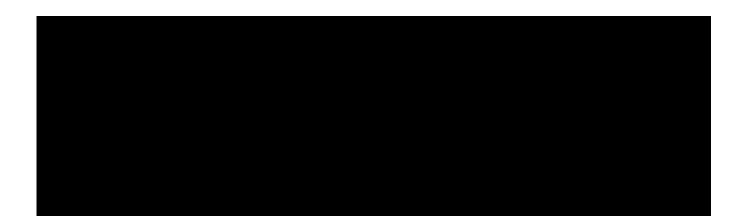
We look forward to receiving your immediate payment for the property damage claim.

Please issue your check payable to SAFECO Insurance Company of Illinois, Attn: Subrogation Cashier, PO Box 461, St. Louis, MO 63166.

If you are unable to pay the above amount within the next 14 days, please contact **Sharon DeVault at (800) 332-3226 extension 483189** so that we can establish a reasonable repayment plan. Thank You.

Sincerely,

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BEGINNING OF CONTACT

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RUSS DARROW FORD

0792 LEGAL - ACCIDENT / FIRE 111645 PANELS/UNIBODY DENT/DING HOOD

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ANALYST: NBURKE6 BURKE NOVELETTE

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### Liberty Mutual Insurance Company

5050 W Tilghman St Ste 200 Allentown PA 18104-9154

Tel: (800) 521-0986 / (800) 521-0986

Fax: (603) 334-0372

August 12, 2008

FORD MOTOR COMPANY CONSUMER AFFAIRS PO BOX 6248 DEARBORN MI 48121-6248

YOUR INSURED:

YOUR CLAIM NUMBER:

DATE OF LOSS:

06/03/2008

LOSS LOCATION:

1387 CASTLE PINES CIRCLE

SAINT AUGUSTINE, FL

OUR CLAIM NUMBER:

OUR INSURED:

ADDRESS:

CLEMMONS NC

OUT OF POCKET:

(if known)

Dear Claims Manager:

Based on our investigation of this accident, we believe your Insured to be responsible for the damage to our Insured's vehicle. I have enclosed documentation to support the following subrogation claim:

Amount we have paid	\$ 3295.46
Our Insured's deductible	\$ 250.00
Total amount of damages	\$ 3545.46
Salvage (if applicable)	\$ 0.00
Rental (if applicable)	\$ 0.00
<b>Total Subrogation Amount Due</b>	\$ 3545.46

Please include our claim number on your check for the total amount of damages shown above. Please deal directly with our insured to discuss any out of pocket expenses they may have incurred. Payment for out of pocket expenses should be made directly to our insured.

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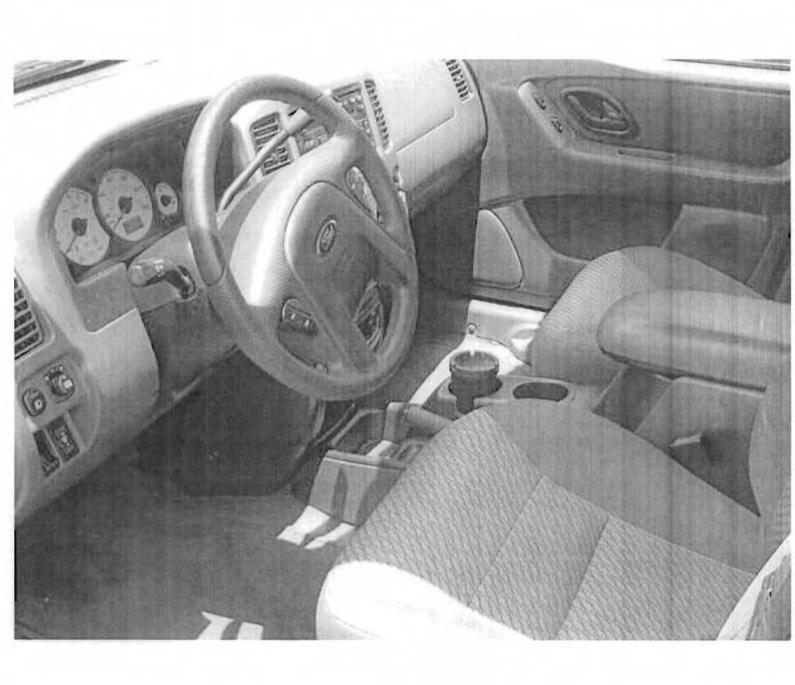
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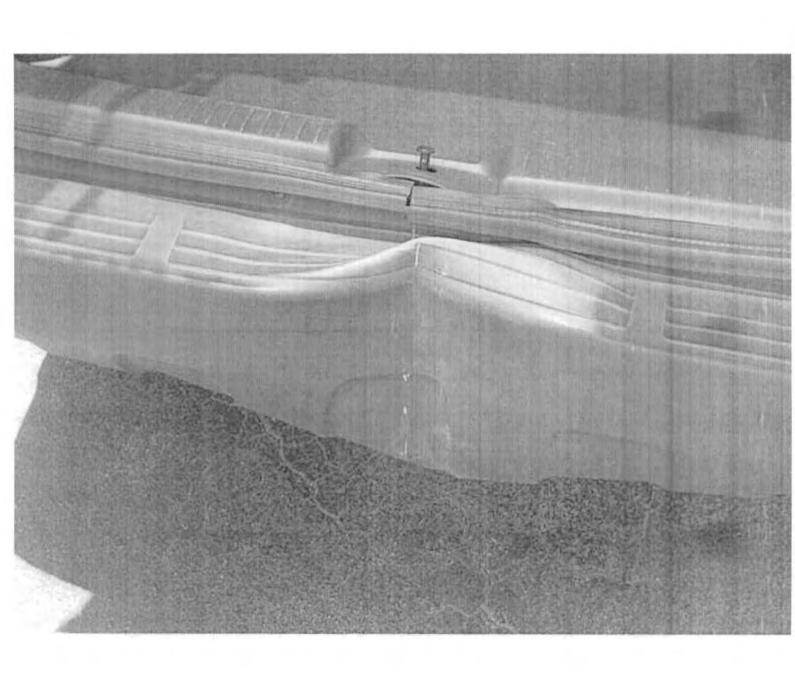


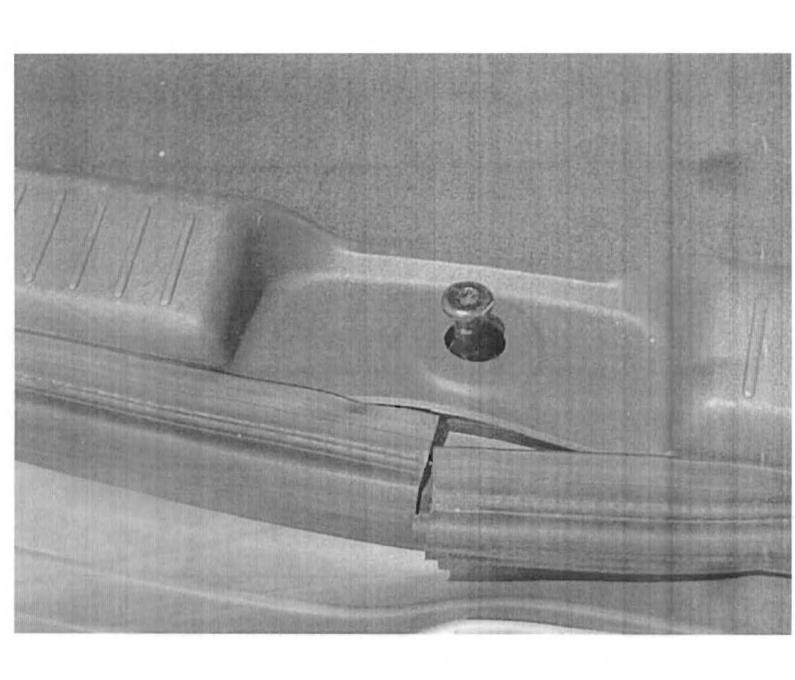




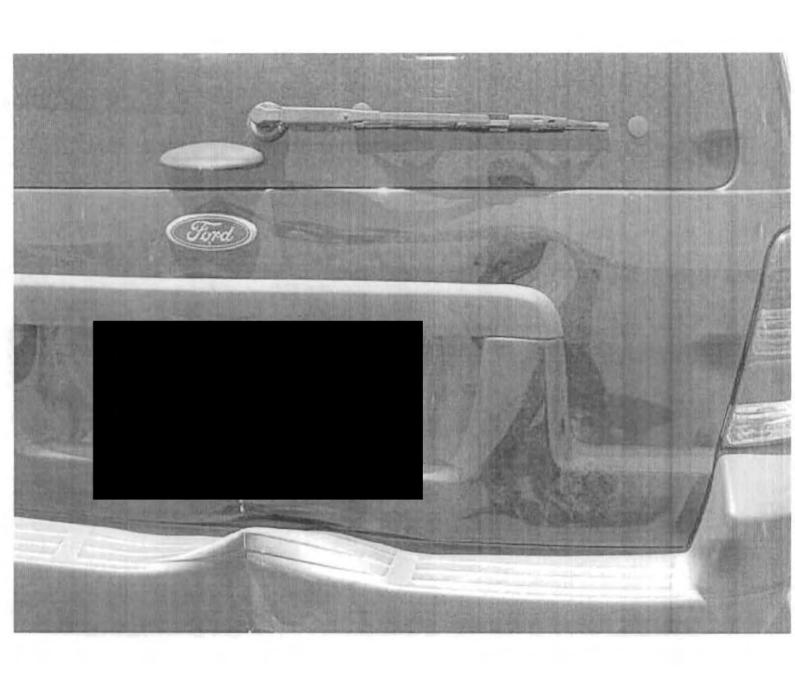


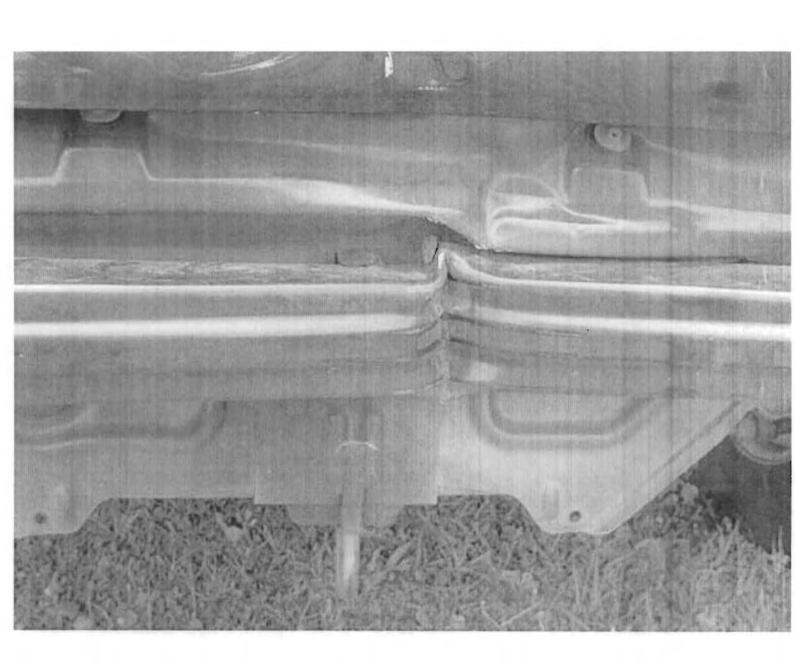


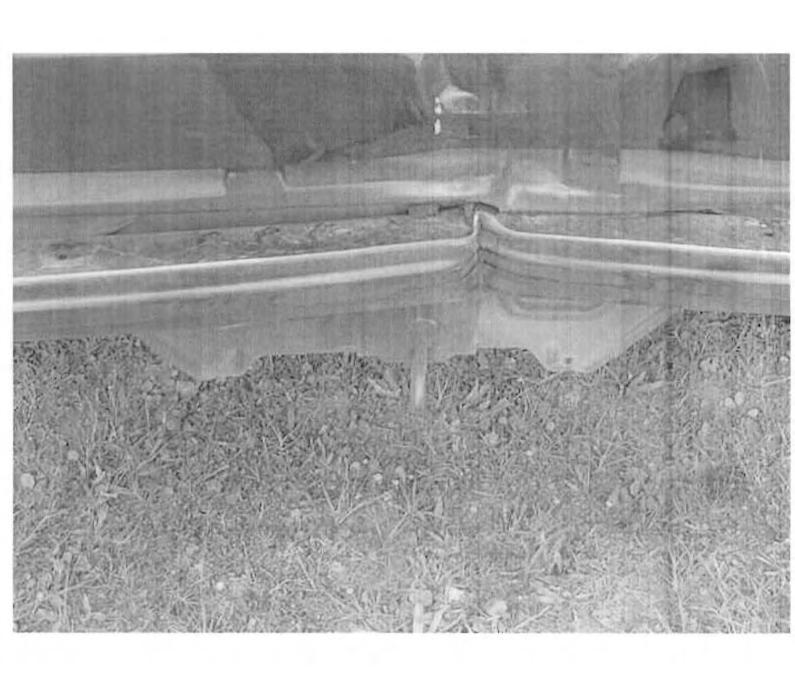


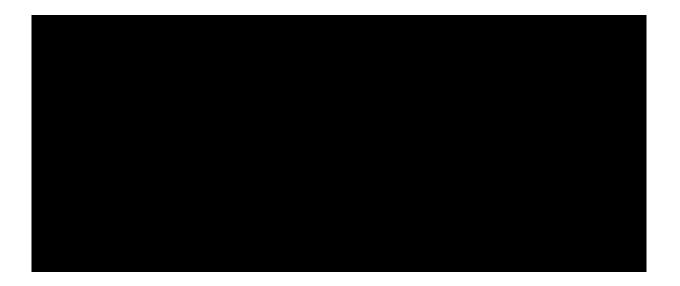












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Court of Common Pleas of Philadelphia County For Prothonotary Use Only (Docket Number) SEPTEMBER 2008 Trial Division Civil Cover Sheet PLAINTIFF'S NAME DEFENDANT'S NAME FORD MOJOR COMPANY Administrator of the Estate of Domagod DEFENDANT'S ADDRESS CO CT Corporation 116 Pine Street, Suite 320 Media, PA Harrisburg, PA 17101 PLAINTIFF'S NAME DEFENDANT'S NAME MURPHY FORD COMPANY DEFENDANT'S ADDRESS PLAINTIFF'S ADDRESS 3310 Township Line Road Chester, PA 19013 DEFENDANT'S NAME PLAINTIFF'S NAME PLAINTIFFS ADDRESS DEFENDANT'S ADDRESS TOTAL NUMBER OF PLAINTIFFS TOTAL NO. OF DEFENDANTS COMMENCEMENT OF ACTION Notice of Appeal Complaint Petition Action Writ of Summons Transfer From Other Jurisdictions AMOUNT IN CONTROVERSY COURT PROGRAMS Arbitration \$50,000.00 or less Mass Tort Commerce Settlement Minors Minor Court Appeal XXMore than \$50,000.00 Savings Action Jury Non-Jury Petition Statutory Appeals W/D/Survival Other: CASE TYPE AND CODE (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) Negligence 2P Product Liability and 2V Motor Vehicle Accident STATUTORY BASIS FOR CAUSE OF ACTION (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) HIDY FEE PAID Section 402A Restatement (Second) Torts RELATED PENDING CASES (LIST BY CASE CAPTION AND DOCKET NUMBER) IS CASE SUBJECT TO N/A Yes No TO THE PROTHONOTARY: Kindly enter my appearance on behalf of Plaintiff/Petitioner/Appellant: Papers may be served at the address set forth below. NAME OF PLAINTIFF'S/PETITIONER'S/APPELLANT'S ATTORNEY ADDRESS (SEE INSTRUCTIONS) Jaime D. Jackson, Esquire Atlee Hall & Brookhart, IIP P O Box 449 PHONE NUMBER FAX NUMBER Lancaster, PA 17608-0449 717-393-9596 717-393-2138 SUPREME COURT IDENTIFICATION NO. E-MAIL ADDRESS 80448 jdjackson@atlechall.com SIGNATURE 01-101 (Rev. 2/00)

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#### THIS IS NOT AN ARBITRATION CASE

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Court I.D. Nos. 06919, 80448 & 70274

Attorneys for Plaintiff, Raymond J. Vivacqua, M.D.

SEPTEMBER 2008

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IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF PHILADELPHIA COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA CIVIL ACTION - LAW

ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF DECEASED

Plaintiff

FORD MOTOR COMPANY

c/o CT Corporation 116 Pine Street Suite 320 Harrisburg, PA 17101

Media, PA

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and

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

# MURPHY FORD COMPANY

3310 Township Line Road Chester, PA 19013

Defendants

COMPLAINT

#### NOTICE

You have been sued in court. If you wish to defend against the claims set forth in the following pages, you must take action within twenty (20) days after this complaint and notice are served, by entering a written appearance personally or by attorney and filing in writing with the court your defenses or objections to the claims set forth against you. You are warned that if you fail to do so the case may proceed without you and a judgment may be entered against you by the court without further notice for any money claimed in the complaint or for any other claim or relief requested by the plaintiff. You may lose money or property or other rights important to you.

YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS PAPER TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A LAWYER (OR CANNOT AFFORD ONE), GO TO OR TELEPHONE THE OFFICE SET FORTH BELOW TO FIND OUT WHERE YOU CAN GET LEGAL HELP.

#### THIS OFFICE CAN PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT HIRING A LAWYER

Lawyer Referral and Information Service Philadelphia Bar Association 1101 Market Street, 11th Floor Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19107 Telephone Number: (215) 238-6333

IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO HIRE A LAWYER, THIS OFFICE MAY BE ABLE TO PROVIDE YOU WITH INFORMATION ABOUT AGENCIES THAT MAY OFFER LEGAL SERVICES TO ELIGIBLE PERSONS AT A REDUCED FEE OR NO FEE.

#### AVISO

Le han demandado en corte. Si usted quiere defenderse contra las demandas nombradas en las paginas siguientes, tiene viente (20) dias a partir de recibir esta demanda y notificacion para entablar personalmente o por un abogado una comparecencia escrita y tambien para entablar con la corte en forma escrita sus defensas y objeciones a las demandas contra usted. Sea advisado que si usted no se defiende, el caso puede continuar sin usted y la corte puede incorporar un juicio contra usted sin previo aviso para conseguir el dinero demandado en el pleito o para conseguir cualquier otra demanda o alivio solicitados por el demandante. Usted puede perder dinero o propiedad u otros derechos importantes para usted.

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USTED DEBE LLEVAR ESTE DOCUMENTO A SU ABOGADO INMEDIATAMENTE. SI USTED NO TIENE ABOGADO (O NO TIENE DINERO SUFICIENTE PARA PAGAR A UN ABOGADO), VAYA EN PERSONA O LLAME POR TELEFONO LA OFICINA NOMBRADA ABAJO PARA AVERIGUAR DONDE SE PUEDE CONSEGUIR ASSISTENCIA LEGAL. ESTA OFICINA PUEDE PROPORCIONARLE LA INFORMACION SOBRE CONTRATAR A UN ABOGADO.

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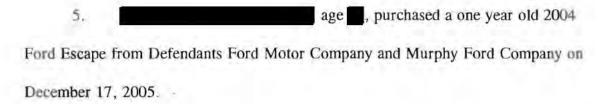
#### Parties to the Cause of Action

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, Media, Pennsylvania	a has been appointed the
Administrator of the Estate of Mary Jo	sephine DelVescovo. A copy of the Letters
Testamentary and of Administration ev	idencing appointment is attached
hereto as Exhibit "A".	. brings this action on behalf of
the Estate of Mary Josephine DelVesco	ovo, as well as for the benefit of her wrongful
death beneficiaries.	

- Defendant Ford Motor Company (hereinafter "Ford"), is a Delaware corporation with its principal place of business at Ford World Headquarters, The American Road, Dearborn, Michigan 48121. Ford's mailing address at that location is P.O. Box 1899, Dearborn, Michigan 48121-0000.
- Defendant Ford Motor Company regularly conducts business within the City and County of Philadelphia, is licensed to do business in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and is engaged in the business of designing, manufacturing and selling automobiles. Ford Motor Company's registered agent for service of process in Pennsylvania is CT Corporation, 116 Pine Street, Suite 320, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17101.
- 4. Defendant Murphy Ford Company is a Pennsylvania corporation with a principal place of business at 3310 Township Line Road, Chester, Pennsylvania 19013.
  Defendant Murphy Ford Company regularly conducts business within the City and County of Philadelphia.

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## Summary of the Causes of Action



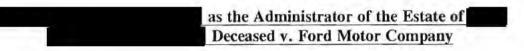
- The vehicle identification number for the 2004 Ford Escape purchased
   is 1FMCU93104K
- 7. Upon information and belief, the 2004 Ford Escape purchased by had been subject to a recall by Defendant Ford Motor Company.
- 8. Specifically, it is believed and therefore averred that Defendant Ford issued a recall related to the accelerator cable of the 2004 Ford Escape on or about December 6, 2004.
- 9. On certain Ford Escape vehicles built with 3.0 liter V6 engines, including the subject 2004 Ford Escape, Ford acknowledged that the vehicle's accelerator cable may prevent the throttle from returning to the idle position, presenting a crash risk.
- 10. Upon information and belief, the recall work on the vehicle purchased by was performed by Defendant Murphy Ford Company on or about December 13, 2005, just before its sale to
- Murphy Ford performed the recall repair and replaced the accelerator cable.

- her seatbelt and driving the subject Ford Escape in an easterly direction in Lower

  Merion Township, in the area of Lancaster Pike and Bryn Mawr intersection.
- 13. As she was driving her vehicle, the Escape's throttle system became stuck in the open position and would not return to the idle position.
- 14. The Escape would not slow and continued to accelerate because the cruise control cable was kinked thereby preventing the accelerator cable to return to the idle position.
- and attempted to avoid hitting other vehicles in the proximity.
- Despite attempts to bring the vehicle to a stop, the vehicle would not slow down.
- 17. was unable to control her vehicle and despite her best efforts, the vehicle swerved, flipping on the driver's side, only coming to a stop after sliding into a school bus.
- 18. Immediately after the collision, was extricated from the vehicle and transported to University of Pennsylvania Hospital where she ultimately succumbed to her accident injuries on August 8, 2007. The cause of death was listed as brain trauma.
- 19. Post-crash the Escape's throttle system was found positioned at the half open point in the throttle's travel.

20. As part of the recall related to the accelerator cable, Ford issued a technical service bulletin advising Ford dealerships to be careful not to cause damage to the cruise control cable when replacing the accelerator cable.

## COUNT I



## Negligence

21. Plaintiff incorporates by reference the allegations set forth in paragraphs1-20 as though same were set forth at length herein.

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  C.S.A. §3373, and the Pennsylvania Judicial Code, 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8302.
- 23. Defendant Ford Motor Company was negligent in the manufacturer, design, assembly, distribution and sale of the 2004 Ford Escape purchased by on December 17, 2005.
- 24. The aforesaid injuries and damages sustained by Plaintiff's decedent were caused as a direct and proximate cause of the negligence, carelessness and other liability producing conduct of the Defendant Ford which consisted of the following:
  - (a) Failing to design, manufacture and sell the Ford Escape and/or the cruise control and throttle cables contained in the vehicle's acceleration system in a manner so as to render them safe for their intended purpose by providing a safe and adequate design;

- (b) Failing to design the Ford Escape to prevent accelerator and/or speed control cables from getting stuck in an open position;
- (c) Failing to design the vehicle's cruise control cable in such a way to prevent it from getting stuck and affecting the accelerator cable of the vehicle;
- (d) Failure to test its acceleration system to determine whether it provided a reasonably adequate design;
- (e) Failing to warn that the acceleration system may not operate properly;
- (f) Failure to provide for a reasonable design of the vehicle's acceleration system, particularly in connection with the location of the cruise control and accelerator cables, and failing to provide sufficient clearance room for the cables to operate in a safe and proper manner;
- (g) Failing to equip the subject Ford Escape with cruise control and accelerator cables which were reasonably designed and manufactured;
- (h) Failing to provide sufficient warnings as to the reasonably foreseeable dangers intended in the use or operation of the Ford Escape;
- Misrepresenting the safety of the 2004 Ford Escape;
- (j) Failing to exercise due care and reasonable care under the circumstances in view of the foreseeable dangers and foreseeable accidents and injuries that could occur as a result of using or operating the Ford Escape;
- (k) Manufacturing the 2004 Ford Escape with defective cruise control and accelerator cables;
- Manufacturing the 2004 Ford Escape with insufficient clearance room for the cruise control and accelerator cables to function properly;
- (m) Failing to adequately and effectively warn authorized repair centers on the dangers and problems associated with causing

damage to the cruise control cable when replacing the accelerator cable; and

- (n) Designing, manufacturing and selling the subject Ford Escape that was not crashworthy.
- 25. As a direct and proximate result of the negligent conduct of

  Defendant Ford, Plaintiff sustained costs and expenses for medical, surgical and
  nursing care for formula to the negligent conduct of the negligent conduct
- 26. As a direct and proximate result of the negligent conduct of

  Defendant Ford, suffered a loss of earnings and
  earning capacity, for all of which damages are claimed.
- 27. As a direct and proximate result of the negligent conduct of Defendant Ford, sustained permanent and catastrophic injuries requiring in her death, for all of which damages are claimed.
- 28. As a direct and proximate result of the negligent conduct of

  Defendant Ford, endured extreme pain, suffering,

  mental and emotional distress and anxiety, for all of which damages are

  claimed.

# Wrongful Death

29. As a direct and proximate result of the defective design of the Ford Escape and conduct of Defendant, as described above,

sustained grievous injuries which resulted in her death on August 8, 2007.

30. As a result of the wrongful death of Plaintiff's Decedent, Plaintiff brings this action pursuant to the Pa. Judiciary Code, 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8301 and Rule 2202(a) of the Pennsylvania Rules of Civil Procedure, on behalf of those beneficiaries of estate who are entitled to bring this wrongful death cause of action as follows:

- 31. death occurred on August 8, 2007, and no action for her injuries was concluded during her lifetime.
- 32. As a direct and proximate result of the conduct of Defendant Ford and the defective condition of the Ford Escape causing the death of the death of the wrongful death beneficiary has suffered pecuniary losses and incurred expenses, and will incur such losses in the future, for all of which damages are claimed as follows:
  - a. Funeral and burial expenses;
  - b. Loss of financial contributions;
  - c. Loss of the love, society, tutelage, comfort and companionship of

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, as as Administrator of the Estate of

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demands judgment against Defendant, Ford Motor Company, for damages in excess of \$50,000.00, together with interest and costs thereon as allowed by law.

#### COUNT II

# Administrator of the Estate of , Deceased v. Ford Motor Company

## Strict Liability

33. Plaintiff incorporates by reference the allegations set forth in paragraphs 1-32 as though same were set forth at length herein.

- of the Estate of house of the Probate and Fiduciary Code, Pa.

  C.S.A. §3373, and the Judicial Code, 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8302.
- 35. As a direct and proximate result of the defective condition of the 2004 Ford Escape, sustained serious injuries resulting in her death.
- 36. The 2004 Ford Escape was in a defective condition at the time it left the possession and control of Defendant Ford and was not substantially changed prior to the time of the subject accident.
- 37. The defects and/or defective condition of the Ford Escape were the cause or a substantial factor in causing Plaintiff's injuries.

- 38. Defendant Ford, by its agents, servants, workmen and/or employees is strictly liable under 402A, Restatement of Torts (Second) by:
  - (a) Designing, manufacturing and selling the Ford Escape and/or the cruise control and accelerator cables contained in the vehicle's acceleration system in a manner so as to render them unsafe for their intended purpose;
  - (b) Designing, manufacturing and selling the Ford Escape that permitted the accelerator cables to remain stuck in an open position;
  - (c) Designing, manufacturing and selling the subject Ford Escape with cruise control cable that would not permit the accelerator cable to return to the idle position;
  - (d) Designing, manufacturing and selling the subject vehicle with an accelerator cable that may prevent the accelerator from returning to the idle position.
  - (e) Designing, manufacturing and selling the vehicle's cruise control cable in such a way to permit it to get stuck and affecting the accelerator cable of the vehicle;
  - (f) Designing, manufacturing and selling the subject vehicle with an accelerator cable that would not return to the idle position;
  - (g) Failure to test the 2004 Ford Escape's acceleration system to determine whether it provided a reasonably adequate design;
  - (h) Failure to warn that the acceleration system may not operate properly;
  - (i) Designing, manufacturing and selling the vehicle's acceleration system with the location of the cruise control and accelerator cables in a manner that failed to provide sufficient clearance room for the cables to operate in a safe and proper manner;
    - (j) Failing to equip the subject Ford Escape with cruise control and accelerator cables which were safely designed and manufactured;
    - (k) Failing to provide sufficient warnings as to the dangers intended in the use or operation of the Ford Escape;

- (I) Misrepresenting the safety of the 2004 Ford Escape;
- (m) Manufacturing the 2004 Ford Escape with defective and unsafe cruise control and accelerator cables:
- (n) Designing and manufacturing the 2004 Ford Escape with insufficient clearance room for the cruise control and accelerator cables to function properly; and
- (o) Failing to effectively warn authorized repair centers on the dangers and problems associated with damaging the cruise control cable when replacing the accelerator cable.
- resulted from the Defendant's failure to adequately warn of the dangerous, hazardous and defective condition of the Ford Escape.
- 40. The catastrophic injuries sustained by resulted from the Defendant's misrepresentations of the safety of the subject Ford Escape.
- 41. As a direct and proximate result of the defective condition of the subject Ford Escape, subject Ford Escape subject Ford Escape, subject Ford Escape subject Ford Escape.
- 42. As a direct and proximate result of the defective condition of the subject Ford Escape. In the subject Ford Escape incurred costs and expenses for medical, surgical and nursing care, for all of which damages are claimed.
- 43. As a direct and proximate result of the defective condition of the subject Ford Escape, suffered a loss of earnings and earning capacity, for all of which damages are claimed.

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- 44. As a direct and proximate result of the defective condition of the subject Ford Escape, sustained permanent and catastrophic injuries resulting in her death.
- 45. As a direct and proximate result of the defective condition of the subject Ford Escape, endured extreme pain, suffering, mental and emotional distress and anxiety, for all of which damages are claimed.

## Wrongful Death

- 46. As a direct and proximate result of the defective design of the

  Ford Escape and conduct of Defendant, as described above,

  sustained grievous injuries which resulted in her death on August 8,

  2007.
- 47. As a result of the wrongful death of Plaintiff's Decedent, Plaintiff
  brings this action pursuant to the Pa. Judiciary Code, 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8301 and
  Rule 2202(a) of the Pa. Rules of Civil Procedure, on behalf of those
  beneficiaries of Estate who are entitled to bring
  this wrongful death cause of action as follows:

48. death occurred on August 8, 2007, and no action for her injuries was concluded during her lifetime.

49.	As a direct and proximate result of the conduct of Defendant and the
defective cor	ndition of the Ford Escape causing the death of
	her wrongful death beneficiary has suffered pecuniary losses and incurred
expenses, an	d will incur such losses in the future, for all of which damages are claimed
as follows:	
	a. Funeral and burial expenses;
	b. Loss of financial contributions;
	and
	c. Loss of the love, society, tutelage, comfort and companionship of
WHE	EREFORE, Plaintiff, Administrator
of the Estate	of, demands judgment against
Defendant, I	Ford Motor Company for damages in excess of \$50,000.00,
together with	h interest and costs thereon as allowed by law.
	COUNT III
	dministrator of the Estate of
	, Deceased v. Ford Motor Company
	Breach of Warranty
50.	Plaintiff incorporates by reference the allegations of paragraphs 1-49 as
though same	were set forth at length herein.
Survival Ac	tion
51.	Plaintiff, the duly qualified Administrator
of the Estate	, brings this action on behalf of the Estate

of \_\_\_\_\_, by virtue of the Probate and Fiduciary Code, Pa. C.S.A. §3373, and the Judicial Code, 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8302.

- 52. At the time Defendant Ford sold the subject 2004 Ford Escape to Plaintiff, Defendant warranted, both expressly and impliedly, that the Ford Escape was free from defects, was of merchantable quality, and was safe and suitable for the uses for which it was intended.
- 53. Defendant Ford breached the aforesaid warranties, both express and implied, by providing Plaintiff with a Ford Escape which was defective as more fully described above, and that was unmerchantable and unfit for the ordinary purpose for which it was intended.
- 54. As a direct result of Defendant, Ford's breach of its contracts and its breach of its express and implied warranties, Plaintiff's decedent was fatally injured.

  Wrongful Death
- 55. As a direct and proximate result of the defective design of the

  Ford Escape and conduct of Defendant, as described above,

  sustained grievous injuries which resulted in her death on August 8,

  2007.
- 56. As a result of the wrongful death of Plaintiff's Decedent, Plaintiff brings this action pursuant to the Pa. Judiciary Code 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8301 and Rule 2202(a) of the Pa. Rules of Civil Procedure, on behalf of those beneficiaries of Estate who are entitled to bring this wrongful death cause of action as follows:

RELATIONSHIP	ADDRESS	NAME
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57.		death occurred on August 8, 2007, at	nd no
action for he	r injuries was concluded during	ng her lifetime.	

- 58. As a direct and proximate result of the conduct of Defendant and the defective condition of the Ford Escape causing the death of her wrongful death beneficiary has suffered pecuniary losses and incurred expenses, and will incur such losses in the future, for all of which damages are claimed as follows:
  - a. Funeral and burial expenses;
  - b. Loss of financial contributions;
  - c. Loss of the love, society, tutelage, comfort and companionship of

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, Administrator of the Estate of Motor Company for damages in excess of \$50,000, together with interest and costs thereon as allowed by law.

#### COUNT IV

# Administrator of the Estate of , Deceased v. Murphy Ford Company

#### Negligence

59. Plaintiff incorporates by reference the allegations set forth in paragraphs1-58 as though same were set forth at length herein.

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- of the Estate of by virtue of the Probate and Fiduciary Code, Pa.

  C.S.A. §3373, and the Pennsylvania Judicial Code, 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8302.
- Defendant Murphy Ford Company was negligent in the inspection,
   repair, replacement of parts, assembly, distribution and sale of the subject Ford Escape.
- 62. The aforesaid injuries and damages sustained by Plaintiff were caused as a direct and proximate cause of the negligence, carelessness and other liability producing conduct of the Defendant Murphy Ford Company which consisted of the following:
  - Selling and distributing the Ford Escape and/or the cruise control and throttle cables contained in the vehicle's acceleration system that were not safe for their intended purpose;
  - (b) Selling and distributing the Ford Escape with acceleration and/or speed control cables that may get stuck in an open position;
  - (c) Selling and distributing the vehicle's cruise control cable in such a way to prevent it from getting stuck and affecting the throttle cable of the vehicle;
  - (d) Failure to test its acceleration system to determine whether it provided a reasonably adequate design;
  - (e) Failing to warn that the acceleration system may not operate properly;
  - (f) Failure to provide for a reasonable design of the vehicle's acceleration system, particularly in connection with the location of the cruise control and accelerator cables, and failing to provide sufficient clearance room for the cables to operate in a safe and proper manner;

- (g) Failing to equip the subject Ford Escape with cruise control and accelerator cables which were reasonably designed and manufactured;
- (h) Failing to provide sufficient warnings as to the reasonably foreseeable dangers intended in the use or operation of the Ford Escape;
- (i) Misrepresenting the safety of the 2004 Ford Escape;
- (j) Failing to exercise due care and reasonable care under the circumstances in view of the foreseeable dangers and foreseeable accidents and injuries that could occur as a result of using or operating the Ford Escape;
- (k) Selling and distributing the 2004 Ford Escape with defective cruise control and throttle cables:
- Selling and distributing the 2004 Ford Escape with insufficient clearance room for the cruise control and accelerator cables to function properly; and
- (m) Selling and distributing the subject Ford Escape that was not crashworthy.
- 63. As a direct and proximate result of the negligent conduct of the Defendant Murphy Ford Company, sustained severe and extensive personal injuries resulting in her death.
- 64. As a direct and proximate result of the negligent conduct of the Defendant Murphy Ford Company incurred costs and expenses for medical, surgical and nursing care, for all of which damages are claimed.

- 65. As a direct and proximate result of the negligent conduct of the Defendant Murphy Ford Company, suffered a loss of earnings and earning capacity, for all of which damages are claimed.
- Defendant Murphy Ford Company, sustained sustained permanent and catastrophic injuries resulting in her death, for all of which damages are claimed.
- 67. As a direct and proximate result of the negligent conduct of the Defendant Murphy Ford Company, end endured extreme pain, suffering, mental and emotional distress and anxiety, for the defective design of the subject Ford Escape and conduct of Defendant, as described above. sustained grievous injuries which resulted in her death on August 8, 2007.
- 68. As a result of the wrongful death of Plaintiff's Decedent, Plaintiff brings this action pursuant to the Pa. Judiciary Code, 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8301 and Rule 2202(a) of the Pa. Rules of Civil Procedure, on behalf of those beneficiaries Estate who are entitled to bring this wrongful death cause of action as follows:

RELATIONSHIP	ADDRESS	NAME
Daughter		
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69. death occurred on August 8, 2007, and no action for her injuries was concluded during her lifetime.

70.	As a	direct and proximate result of the conduct of Defendant and the
defective cor	idition	of the subject Ford Escape causing the death of
	her w	rongful death beneficiary has suffered pecuniary losses and incurred
expenses, an	d will i	incur such losses in the future, for all of which damages are claimed
as follows:		
	a.	Funeral and burial expenses;
	b.	Loss of financial contributions;
	and	
	c.	Loss of the love, society, tutelage, comfort and companionship of
WHE	EREFO	RE, Administrator
of the Estate	of	, deceased, demands judgment
against Defe	ndant,	Murphy Ford Company, for damages in excess of
\$50,000.00,	togeth	er with interest and costs thereon as allowed by law and
requests pun	itive da	amages.
		COUNT V
		Administrator of the Estate of Deceased v. Murphy Ford Company
		Strict Liability
71.	Plair	ntiff incorporates by reference the allegations set forth in
paragraphs 1	1-70 as	though same were set forth at length herein.
Survival Ac	tion	
72.	Plair	ntiff, the duly qualified Administrator
of the Estate		, brings this action on behalf of the Estate

virtue of the Probate and Fiduciary Code, Pa. C.S.A. §3373, and the Judicial Code, 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8302.

- 73. As a direct and proximate result of the defective condition of the subject Ford Escape, sustained serious injuries resulting in her death.
- 74. The subject Ford Escape was in a defective condition at the time it left the possession and control of Defendant Murphy Ford Company and was not substantially changed prior to the time of the subject accident.
- 75. The defects and/or defective condition of the subject Ford Escape was the cause or a substantial factor in causing Plaintiff's injuries.
- 76. Defendant Murphy Ford Company, by its agents, servants, workmen and/or employees is strictly liable under 402A, Restatement of Torts (Second) by:
  - (a) Selling and distributing the Ford Escape and/or the cruise control and accelerator cable contained in the vehicle's acceleration system that were unsafe for their intended purpose;
  - (b) Selling and distributing the Ford Escape that permitted the accelerator cables to get stuck in an open position;
  - (c) Selling and distributing the subject Ford Escape with cruise control cable that would not permit the accelerator cable to return to the idle position;
  - (d) Selling and distributing the subject vehicle with an accelerator cable that may prevent the throttle from returning to the idle position;
  - (e) Selling and distributing the vehicle's cruise control cable in such a way to permit it to get stuck and affecting the accelerator cable of the vehicle:

- (f) Selling and distributing the subject vehicle with an accelerator cable that would not return to the idle position;
- (g) Failure to test the 2004 Ford Escape's acceleration system to determine whether it was safe;
- (h) Failure to warn that the acceleration system may not operate properly;
- (i) Selling and distributing the vehicle's acceleration system with the location of the cruise control and accelerator cables in a manner that failed to provide sufficient clearance room for the cables to operate in a safe and proper manner;
- (j) Failing to sell and equip the subject Ford Escape with cruise control and accelerator cables which were safe;
- (k) Failing to provide sufficient warnings as to the dangers intended in the use or operation of the Ford Escape;
- (1) Misrepresenting the safety of the 2004 Ford Escape;
- (m) Selling and distributing the 2004 Ford Escape with defective and unsafe cruise control and accelerator cables; and
- (n) Selling and distributing the 2004 Ford Escape with insufficient clearance room for the cruise control and throttle cables to function properly.
- 77. The catastrophic injuries sustained by resulted from Defendant Murphy Ford Company's failure to adequately warn of the dangerous, hazardous and defective condition of the 2004 Ford Escape.
- 78. The catastrophic injuries sustained by resulted from Defendant Murphy Ford Company's misrepresentations of the safety of the subject Ford Escape.

79. As a	direct and proximate result of the defective condition of the
2004 Ford Escape,	sustained severe injuries
resulting in her dea	th.
80. As a	direct and proximate result of the defective condition of the
2004 Ford Escape,	incurred costs and expenses for
medical, surgical ar	nd nursing care, for all of which damages are claimed.
81. As a	direct and proximate result of the defective condition of the
2004 Ford Escape,	suffered a loss of earnings and
earning capacity, fo	or all of which damages are claimed.
82. As a	direct and proximate result of the defective condition of the
2004 Ford Escape,	sustained permanent and
catastrophic injurie	s resulting in her death, for all of which damages are
claimed.	
83. As a	direct and proximate result of the defective condition of the
2004 Ford Escape	endured extreme pain,
suffering, mental as	nd emotional distress and anxiety, for all of which damages
are claimed.	
Wrongful Death	
84. As a	direct and proximate result of the defective condition of the
2004 Ford Escape	and the conduct of Defendant, as described above,
	sustained grievous injuries which resulted in her death on
August 8, 2007.	

85.	As a result of the wrong	gful death of Plaintiff's Decedent, Plaintiff
brings this a	ction pursuant to the Pa. J	udiciary Code, 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8301 and
Rule 2202(a)	) of the Pa. Rules of Civil	Procedure, on behalf of those
beneficiaries	of	Estate who are entitled to bring
this wrongfu	l death cause of action as	follows:

- 86. death occurred on August 8, 2007, and no action for her injuries was concluded during her lifetime.
- 87. As a direct and proximate result of the conduct of Defendant and defective condition of the 2004 Ford Escape, wrongful death beneficiary has suffered pecuniary losses and incurred expenses, and will incur such losses in the future, for all of which damages are claimed as follows:
  - a. Funeral and burial expenses;
  - b. Loss of financial contributions;
  - c. Loss of the love, society, tutelage, comfort and companionship of

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, Administrator of the Estate of , deceased, demands judgment against Defendant, Murphy Ford Company, for damages in excess of \$50,000.00, together with interest and costs thereon as allowed by law and requests punitive damages.

#### COUNT VI

# Administrator of the Estate of , Deceased v. Murphy Ford Company

## **Breach of Warranty**

88. Plaintiff incorporates by reference the allegations of paragraphs 1-87 as though same were set forth at length herein.

- 89. Plaintiff, the duly qualified Administrator of the Estate of brings this action on behalf of the Estate of the Probate and Fiduciary Code, Pa. C.S.A. §3373, and the Judicial Code, 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8302.
- 90. At the time Defendant Murphy Ford Company sold the subject 2004 Ford Escape to Plaintiff, Defendant warranted, both expressly and impliedly, that the vehicle was free from defects, was of merchantable quality, and was safe and suitable for the uses for which it was intended.
- 91. Defendant Murphy Ford Company breached the aforesaid warranties, both express and implied, by providing Plaintiff with the 2004 Ford Escape which was defective as more fully described above, and that was unmerchantable and unfit for the ordinary purpose for which it was intended.
- 92. As a direct result of Defendant Murphy Ford Company's breach of its contracts and its breach of its express and implied warranties, Plaintiff was fatally injured.

## Wrongful Death

- 93. As a direct and proximate result of the defective design of the subject Ford Escape and conduct of Defendant Murphy Ford Company, as described above, sustained grievous injuries which resulted in her death on August 8, 2007.
- 94. As a result of the wrongful death of Plaintiff's Decedent, Plaintiff brings this action pursuant to the Pa. Judiciary Code, 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8301 and Rule 2202(a) of the Pa. Rules of Civil Procedure, on behalf of those beneficiaries Estate who are entitled to bring this wrongful death cause of action as follows:

- 95. death occurred on August 8, 2007, and no action for her injuries was concluded during her lifetime.
- 96. As a direct and proximate result of the conduct of Defendant Murphy

  Ford Company and the defective condition of the 2004 Ford Escape,

  wrongful death beneficiary has suffered pecuniary losses and incurred expenses, and will incur such losses in the future, for all of which damages are claimed as follows:
  - a. Funeral and burial expenses;
  - b. Loss of financial contributions:

c. Loss of the love, society, tutelage, comfort and companionship o
WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, Administrator of the
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Murphy Ford Company, for damages in excess of \$50,000, together with interest and
costs thereon as allowed by law.
COUNT VII
Administrator of the Estate of Deceased v. Murphy Ford Company
Negligent Repair
97. Plaintiff incorporates by reference the allegations set forth in paragraphs
1-96 as though same were set forth at length herein.
Survival Action
98. Plaintiff, Plaintiff, the duly qualified Administrator
of the Estate of the Estate , brings this action on behalf of the Estate
of the Probate and Fiduciary Code, Pa.
C.S.A. §3373, and the Judicial Code, 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8302.
99. Defendant Murphy Ford Company owed the purchasers (consumers?) of
its vehicles, specifically, a duty to use reasonable care in
repairing its vehicles.
100. Defendant Murphy Ford Company owed
duty to use reasonable care in complying with recall instructions from the vehicle's
manufacturer.

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- 101. Defendant Murphy Ford Company was negligent in its repair of the subject vehicle, the 2004 Ford Escape with VIN 1FMCU93104K in the following particulars:
  - (a) Failing to ensure that the vehicle's accelerator or speed cables were properly repaired;
  - (b) Failing to comply with the manufacturer's warnings set forth in the recall technical bulletin when repairing and/ or replacing the vehicle's accelerator cable;
  - Failing to use reasonable care in repairing and/ or replacing the 2004
     Ford Escape's accelerator cable;
  - (d) Failing to ensure that the cruise control cable was not damaged or kinked during the recall repair of the accelerator cable on the subject 2004 Ford Escape;
  - Negligently damaging the cruise control cable when performing the recall repair on or about December 13, 2005;
  - (f) Negligently failed to make necessary repairs to the subject 2004 Ford Escape;
  - (g) Failing to inspect and/or test the 2004 Ford Escape after making repairs to ensure that no damage was done to the vehicle's acceleration cables during the performance of the repair work;
  - (h) Negligently performing the recall repair work on the subject vehicle's accelerator cable;
  - (1) Negligently replacing the accelerator cable on the subject vehicle;
  - (j) Replacing the accelerator cable on the subject vehicle in a manner which caused damage and/or kinking to the vehicle's cruise control cable;
  - (k) Negligently repairing and servicing the vehicle's accelerator cable and cable assembly;

- Negligently causing damage to the subject vehicle's cruise control cable resulting in the cable kinking and preventing the accelerator cable from returning to the closed position;
- (m) Failing to adequately test the subject vehicle following the performance of the recall repair work on the vehicle's accelerator cable; and
- (n) Failing to adequately inspect the subject vehicle following the performance of the recall repair work on the vehicle's accelerator cable.
- 102. As a direct and proximate result of the negligence, carelessness and other liability producing conduct of Defendant Murphy Ford Company, Plaintiff sustained damages set forth herein.
- 103. As a direct and proximate result of the negligent conduct of Defendant

  Murphy Ford Company

  sustained severe injuries

  resulting in her death.
- Defendant Murphy Ford Company, incurred costs and expenses for medical, surgical and nursing care, for all of which damages are claimed.
- 105. As a direct and proximate result of the negligent conduct of

  Defendant Murphy Ford Company, suffered a loss
  of earnings and earning capacity, for all of which damages are claimed.
- 106. As a direct and proximate result of the negligent conduct of Defendant Murphy Ford Company, sustained

permanent and catastrophic injuries requiring medical treatment and incidental expenses, for all of which damages are claimed.

Defendant Murphy Ford Company endured endured extreme pain, suffering, mental and emotional distress and anxiety, for all of which damages are claimed.

## Wrongful Death

- 108. As a direct and proximate result of the defective design of the Ford Escape and conduct of Defendant, as described above, sustained grievous injuries which resulted in her death on August 8, 2007.
- brings this action pursuant to the Pa. Judiciary Code, 42 Pa. C.S.A. §8301 and Rule 2202(a) of the Pa. Rules of Civil Procedure, on behalf of those beneficiaries of Estate who are entitled to bring this wrongful death cause of action as follows:

- 110. death occurred on August 8, 2007, and no action for her injuries was concluded during her lifetime.
- 111. As a direct and proximate result of the conduct of Defendant and the defective condition of the Ford Escape causing the death of the beautiful her wrongful death beneficiary has suffered pecuniary losses and incurred

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expenses, and will incur such losses in the future, for all of which damages are claimed as follows:

Funeral and burial expenses;

b. Loss of financial contributions;

and

c. Loss of the love, society, tutelage, comfort and companionship of

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff,

Administrator

of the Estate of

, deceased, demands judgment

against Defendant, Murphy Ford Company, for damages in excess of

\$50,000.00, together with interest and costs thereon as allowed by law.

Dated: 9/16/08

Respectfully submitted:

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## VERIFICATION

I hereby verify that the facts contained in the foregoing document are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. I understand that false statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S.A. § 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

Dated: 7/87/08

of the Estate of Deceased

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August 30, 2007

Doug Thomas State Farm Insurance Company P.O. Box 142 Concordville, PA 19331

> RE: 2004 FORD ESCAPE XLT Date of Accident: 7/19/07

Vehicle Owner:

Our File #: 07-13711E

Your Claim #:

Dear Mr. Thomas:

I have prepared this correspondence as my initial engineering setting forth a summary of the results of our engineering investigation and analysis at this writing, which have included consideration of:

- nondestructive inspection on the damaged vehicle on Monday,
   August 8, 2007 at Plisinski Brothers in Rosemount, PA;
- motor vehicle specifications and NHTSA recalls; and
- ASTM standards (e.g., ASTM E678-98) and related file materials and information.

### ENGINEERING DISCUSSION

## Report Appendices

'A' Photographs #E1 - #E15, including narratives. General reference is made to these photographs for visual orientation of the subject vehicle (the details of which are not repeated in this discussion).

The subject vehicle was identified as follows:

Biomechanical	Methanical
Civil	Marerials
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Manufacturer: Fork Motor Corporation

Model: Escape XLT

VIN: 1FMCU93104K

Manufacture Date: 9/03

Registration: PA

Exterior vehicle inspection revealed crash damage to the front right corner of the vehicle that damaged the bumper, fender, headlamp assembly, right front tire and engine compartment hood (Photograph #E4). The left side of the vehicle was damaged from sliding contact with the ground (Photographs #E1 and E2). The vehicle's roof had been separated from the vehicle by rescue personnel, but both "B" pillars were collapsed inward. The roof of the vehicle has sustained a heavy impact that collapsed the roof into the passenger compartment (Photographs #E1 through E4). The roof impact had enough energy to crush the passenger's doors on the right side and bend the vehicle's frame.

We also observed that the vehicle's restraint systems did not provide assistance in this accident. The vehicle was equipped with seat belts and supplemental air bags (Photographs #E5 and E6).

My inspection centered upon the vehicle's mechanical system, specifically steering, brake, and throttle.

The vehicle's throttle system was inspected and found positioned at the half open point in the throttle's travel (Photograph #E7). This was confirmed by the position of the accelerator pedal (Photograph #E8). During nondestructive inspection of the stuck throttle position, we removed the plastic engine cover (Photograph #E9). During the removal of the engine cover the throttle returned to its fully closed position as evidenced by the position of the accelerator peddle and the position of the throttle (Photographs #E10 and E11). A photograph (#E12) was taken after the engine cover was replaced for the purpose of comparison. The throttle cable was not damaged (Photographs #E11). The throttle

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return springs were not damaged (Photograph #E13). The accelerator pedal was not being prevented from moving either to accelerate or decelerate by any obstruction (Photographs #E8 and E10).

We inspected the underside of the engine cover finding a mark on the cover (Photograph #E14 and E15). We identified a corresponding mark on the top of the cruise control throttle cable (Photograph #E13). When the throttle is opened fully the top of the cruise control throttle cable contacts the underside of the engine cover. This contact between the cruise control throttle cable and the underside of the engine cover does not explain the half open throttle initially observed. We were unable to recreate the half open throttle position after replacement of the engine cover.

Our inspection of the hydraulic brake system showed that the system was still operational after the accident. The hydraulic system was still leak tight and the reservoir was full of hydraulic fluid (Photograph #E9). The front brake rotor disks were in good condition, the brake pads were in good condition and there were no leaks at the wheel cylinders. The condition of the rear brake shoes and drums appeared to be functional during inspection and testing.

Inspection of the steering system showed it to be functional after the accident.

#### Summary of Dove Engineering Findings

In particular, my engineering investigation and evaluation at this date have determined that:

- 1. the vehicle's throttle was found in the half open position;
- 2. the vehicle's throttle control system was functional when tested;
- when examined the throttle was initially stuck, and we were unable to replicate this stuck condition;

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- the vehicle's hydraulic brake system was functional after the accident; and
- the vehicle's mechanical steering system was functional after the accident.

#### Conclusions

In summary, it is our professional opinion at this date with reasonable scientific and engineering certainty that the throttle control, steering, and braking systems in the subject vehicle were functioning properly at the time of my engineering inspection (as discussed above).

I reserve the right to supplement this initial engineering report if further detail or comment is requested at this time or a later date, and as any additional information becomes available (e.g., Police Report ...). File materials including photographs are to be considered a supplement to my report, and may be utilized by me in support of my conclusions.

This is,

Respectfully submitted,

LAWRENCE J. DOVE ASSOCIATES

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#### DOVE ASSOCIATES

## GLENN C. FREDERICK, P.E. Mechanical Engineer

#### PERSONAL DATA

Year of Birth:

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- <u>Automotive</u>: Installed, serviced, rebuilt and modified to improve operation of all types of automotive systems such as, but not limited to, braking, steering, suspension, power transmission, engine, electrical, exhaust, and control. Have been involved in this type of activity for the past 38 years.
- <u>Trucks</u>: Investigated, diagnosed, and offered improvements to design of all types of truck systems such as, but not limited to, braking, steering, suspension, power transmission and transfer, engine, fuel, electrical, exhaust, hydraulic and control. Have been involved in this type of activity for a period of eight years. Last major project restored a 1948 GMC flatbed truck to commercial service.
- <u>Stationary Engines</u>: Conceptual design, design, installation, repair, service, maintain and modify engine driven systems for the generation of electricity or the production of hot water, steam, chilled water, and/or direct expansion refrigeration.
- <u>Physics</u>: Calculation, designs and studies involving force vectors, rigid body motion, Newton's Laws of Motion, impulse, momentum, free bodies, elastic and inelastic collision, kinetic and potential energy, hydrodynamics, thermodynamics, heat transfer, gas laws, fluid flow, acoustics, magnetic and electron flow.
- <u>Combustion</u>: Combustion experience with coal, oil, gasoline, kerosene, diesel, natural gas, propane, manufactured gas and wood. This has included the combustion of these fuels in boilers, chillers, turbines, engines, and all types of heating of mechanical equipment related and/or associated with the above mentioned types of equipment. This ranges from a simple unit heater to an electric generation station.
- <u>Electric Controls</u>: Design, development, testing, construction, operational analysis, inspection, failure analysis, and repair of low and medium voltage systems used for operation, control, and monitoring of all types of mechanical equipment (including computerized systems).

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- Mechanical: Design, development, operational analysis, testing, construction, inspection, failure analysis, and repair of Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Equipment and Systems. Combustion experience with coal, oil, gasoline, kerosene, diesel, natural gas, propane, manufactured gas and wood. Refrigeration expertise with steam, water, air, refrigerants and engineered fluids. Design, operational analysis, testing, construction, inspection, repair, and failure analysis of transportation equipment including automotive passenger vehicles, trucks, buses, and material handling equipment; machine tool equipment including drills, saws, punch stamping, and forming presses, brakes, shears and lathes; material conveying equipment including pneumatic, belt, spiral, and gravity conveyers, cyclones, and piping systems. Experience with storage and transportation systems for fuels.
- <u>Pneumatic Controls</u>: Design, development, testing, construction, operational analysis, inspection, failure analysis and repair of systems used for operation, control and monitoring of all types of mechanical equipment.
- <u>Safety and Human Factors</u>: Inspection, design review, value engineering and human factors design considerations for mechanical equipment.
- <u>Utility Management</u>: Usage management, allocation, operational management, cost containment, source management and source selection.

#### SELECTED EXPERIENCE

- Forensic Engineer: Failure analysis and testing of vehicles, material handling equipment, machine tool equipment, production equipment, construction equipment, mechanical systems including heating, ventilation, cooling, refrigeration equipment, gas, oil and kerosene fired boilers and furnaces, internal combustion engines, high pressure gas systems, energy supply systems (steam, water, air, etc.) construction, utility, design and equipment code compliance and evaluation (i.e., BOCA, NFPA, ANSI, ASME, ASHRAE, AGA, SAE).
- <u>Building Inspection</u>: Pennsylvania Municipality utilizing 1987 version of The BOCA Code within the municipality. Also conduct independent inspections for insurance, financial and environmental concerns.
- <u>Teacher</u>: County Community College teaching an evening course in HVAC control theory, motor applications and advanced electric.

Glenn C. Frederick, P.E.

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- <u>Chief Engineer</u>: Departmental responsibilities included equipment selection and design, programming, debugging and commissioning of systems. The department also did engineering studies and designs. Developed department of 6 prior to leaving for independent venture.
- <u>Design Engineer:</u> Functioned as sole engineer for design and build mechanical contractor.

  Provided assistance to fledging energy management operation and to established service operation when diagnoses of problem was beyond technician's ability.
- <u>Facilities Engineer</u>: Created a facilities maintenance department with responsibility for expansion, repair and upgrade of 10 residence facilities, a mental hospital and a commercial laundry.
- Mechanical Engineer: Design engineer for any and all types of mechanical systems required by a railroad such as HVAC, plumbing, under and above ground piping for air, fuel, water, boiler house design, crane design and other similar facilities.
- <u>Mechanical Engineer</u>: Design engineer of materials handling systems existing within industrial plants which included air transport and drying systems, monorail crane/trolley transport system, dryers, conveyers, silos, bag houses and similar type systems.
- <u>Applications Engineer</u>: Created a design department to upgrade and improve the non-sound reinforcement electronic/telephonic product line of the corporation. Finished design on 11 products with department of four full time and up to 11 part time employees.
- <u>Project Engineer:</u> Responsible for the completion of sound reinforcement projects in commercial, institutional and industrial facilities.

#### ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

Bachelor of Science, Drexel University.

#### COURSES/SEMINARS

HVAC Systems and Applications (SMACNA)
Energy Recovery Equipment and Systems (SMACNA)
Combustion Efficiency (AEE)
Simplified Energy Analysis MBM (ASHRAE)

Provided upon request.





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One GEICO Center Macon, Georgia

31296-0001

LOSS DATE: 01/24/05

April 1, 2005

FORD MOTOR COMPANY FECEIVED APR 1 1 2005 GENERAL COUNSEL

Ford Motor Company P.O. Box 1904 Dearborn, MI 48121-1904

CLAIM NUMBER:

INSURED: YOUR INSURED: Ford Motor Company

YOUR CLAIM #: Unknown YOUR VEHICLE: 04 FORD

TAG #: Unk

Dear Ford Motor Company:

Our investigation shows your insured to be at fault in the accident.

- Payment for repairs has been made. Documentation is attached. Please honor our claim.

CO's Interest: \$4,604.23 Insured's Deductible: \$500

Rental: \$525.00 TOTAL: \$5,579.23

THANKS FOR YOUR PROMPT ATTENTION.

Sincerely,

DEBORAH COLEMAN 5707R

PAYMENT RECOVERY UNIT 800-841-9160 x5313 GRICO General Insurance Company

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PLEASE REFER TO OUR CLAIM NUMBER WHEN WRITING OR CALLING ABOUT THIS CLAIM

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One Geico Center Macon, GA 31296-0001

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Ford Motor Company To Whom It May Concern PO Box 1904 Dearborn, MI 48121

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Company Name:

GEICO General Insurance Company

Claim Number:

Loss Date:

Policyholder:

Claimant Name: Claimant Policy No.:

Claimant Claim No.: Claimant Vehicle: Claimant Driver: Ford Motor Company

January 24, 2005

Dear To Whom It May Concern,

Supporting papers for our subrogation interest have been sent to your office. Please send your check made payable to GEICO Direct as subrogee of little litt

If payment is to be delayed, kindly indicate below the present status of your file or call me at the number below.

Bodily Injuries Pending	Follow up in days			
Litigation Pending Other	Plaintiff			
Date	Signed			

Sincerely,

Deborah Coleman S707 (800)841-9160X5313 Payment Recovery Unit



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This notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

Ford Motor Company has decided that a defect, which relates to motor vehicle safety, exists in all 2002 through 2004 Escape vehicles.

We apologize for this situation and want to assure you that, with your assistance, we will correct this condition. Our commitment, together with Ford dealers, is to provide you with the highest level of service and support.

What is the issue?

On your vehicle, it is possible that the accelerator cable may prevent the throttle from returning to the idle position, possibly resulting in elevated engine speeds while driving. An unexpected increase in engine idle speed may increase stopping distance and may result in a vehicle crash without warning.

What will Ford and your dealer do?

Ford Motor Company and your dealer will replace the accelerator cable free of charge (parts and labor). We urge you to return to your dealer for this service.

How long will it take?

The time needed for this repair is less than one-half day. However, due to service scheduling requirements, your dealer may need your vehicle for a longer period of time.

What are we asking you to do?

Please call your dealer without delay and request a service date for Recall 04S25. Provide the dealer with the Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) of your vehicle. The VIN is printed near your name at the beginning of this letter.

If you do not already have a servicing dealer, you can access <a href="http://www.genuineflmservice.com">http://www.genuineflmservice.com</a> for dealer addresses, maps, and driving instructions.

Please note: Federal law requires that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within ten days.



## State Farm Insurance Companies



FORD MOTOR COMPAN' RECEIVED CLAMS UNIT

SEP 25 2008

Salem Operations Center P. O. Box 221 DuPont, WA 98327-0221

GENERAL COUNSEL

PHONE (800) 423-9879 FAX (877) 449-5794

Ford Motor Company Claims Dept, Attn Micki Lynn PO Box 70

Dearborn, MI 48121

September 17, 2008

RE: Claim Number:

Date of Loss:

Our Insured:

September 4, 2008

Dear Mr Lynn:

Our insured's 2004 Ford Ecsape suddenly accelerated into a wall causing damage to the vehicle and wall. Once collision repairs are completed, this vehicle will then go to a repair shop to diagnose the mechanical problem.

If you would like to have a Ford representative meet our engineer at the shop, please let me know. We expect the vehicle to go to a mechanical shop around October 3, 2008.

Sincerely,

Bob Dillon Claim Representative (503) 463-3726 State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company

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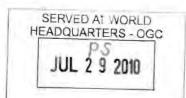
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DOROTHY BROWN, CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT, LAW DIVISION

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Plaintiff,	)	
v.	).	
FORD MOTOR CO. and LANDMARK FORD OF NILES,	) No.	
Defendants.		TAME 40:00

## COMPLAINT

NOW COMES the Plaintiff, (hereinafter referred to as "Example of the Plaintiff, of the Plaintiff, (hereinafter referred to as "Example of the Plaintiff, of

## COMMON ALLEGATIONS

- 1. On or about September 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, which owned and resided at the property located at the property l
- At all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, was a Delaware corporation with its principal place of business at 1 American Road, Dearborn, Michigan.
- At all times relevant, FORD was in the business of, among other things, designing, manufacturing, distributing and/or selling automobiles for LANDMARK including a model known as the Escape.

- Prior to September 8, 2008, FORD designed, manufactured and/or distributed a
   Ford Escape (hereinafter referred to as "ESCAPE") which was then bought by
- At all times relevant, LANDMARK was in the business of, among other things, of selling, leasing and/or repairing automobiles from FORD, including the ESCAPE bought by WASHINGTON.
- On or about December 10, 2004, service was done by LANDMARK on the ESCAPE involving RECALL 04S25 Accelerator Pedal Replacement requiring work done to the throttle.
- On or about September 8, 2008, a malfunction in the throttle position sensor occurred in the ESCAPE.
- 6. On or about September 8, 2008 was in a church parking lot at 5330 W. Division, Chicago, Illinois, when he started his ESCAPE, placed his ESCAPE in gear and the ESCAPE accelerated uncontrollably sending the vehicle through a brick wall of the church.
- During the mentioned collision, the ESCAPE's air bags failed to deploy despite hitting and running through a brick wall.
- The incident resulted in significant property damage and bodily injuries sustained by WASHINGTON.

### COUNT I - NEGLIGENCE (FORD MOTOR CO.)

Plaintiff realleges and reincorporates Paragraphs 1 through 8 of the Common
 Allegations as though set forth fully here in Paragraph 9 of Count I.

- 10. On or before September 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, FORD, owed the september 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, Defendant,
- 11. On or before September 8, 2008, FORD breached the aforementioned duty in one or more of the following respects:
  - Negligently and/or carelessly designed, manufactured and/or distributed the ESCAPE in a condition which caused involuntary acceleration;
  - Negligently and/or carelessly designed, manufactured, distributed and/or sold the ESCAPE with inadequate throttle position sensor to prohibit involuntary acceleration;
  - Negligently and/or carelessly designed, manufactured, distributed and/or sold the ESCAPE without proper warnings as to the lack of any controls or safeguards to prevent involuntary acceleration;
  - Negligently and/or carelessly designed, manufactured, distributed and/or sold the ESCAPE with an improper or inadequate throttle position sensor so as to prevent involuntary acceleration; and
  - e. Otherwise was negligent and/or careless.
- 12. On September 8, 2008, as a direct and approximate result of one or more of the foregoing acts or omissions, an involuntary acceleration caused by an improper or inadequate throttle position sensor caused a collision resulting in damages in excess of \$50,000.00.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, present the property of the property of

## COUNT II - PRODUCT LIABILITY (FORD MOTOR CO.)

13. Plaintiff realleges and reincorporates Paragraphs 1 through 8 as though set forth fully here in Paragraph 13 of Count II.

- 14. On or before September 8, 2008, and at the time the ESCAPE left the control of FORD, the throttle position sensor was defective and unreasonably dangerous in that it was:
  - Designed, manufactured, distributed and/or sold the ESCAPE in a condition that permitted involuntary acceleration;
  - Designed, manufactured, distributed and/or sold the ESCAPE with inadequate throttle position sensors to prohibit involuntary acceleration;
  - Designed, manufactured, distributed and/or sold the ESCAPE without proper warnings as to the lack of any controls or safeguards to prevent involuntary acceleration; and
  - d. Designed, manufactured, distributed and/or sold the ESCAPE with an improper or inadequate throttle position sensor so as to prevent involuntary acceleration.
- 15. On September 8, 2008, as a direct and approximate result of one or more of the foregoing defective and unreasonably dangerous conditions, an involuntary acceleration caused by an improper or inadequate throttle position sensor caused a collision resulting in damages in excess of \$50,000.00.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, present in its favor and against, Defendant, FORD MOTOR CO., for costs and for any further relief deemed appropriate.

# COUNT III - BREACH OF THE IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY (FORD MOTOR CO.)

- 16. Plaintiff realleges and reincorporates Paragraphs 1 through 8 as though set forth fully here in Paragraph 16 of Count III.
- 17. At all times relevant, FORD was a merchant in the business of, distributing and/or selling automobiles including, but not limited to Escapes.

- 18. Pursuant to the sale of the ESCAPE to pursuant, FORD impliedly warranted that the ESCAPE would be merchantable and fit for the ordinary purpose for which it was to be used.
- 19. FORD breached its implied warranty of merchantability in that it distributed and/or sold the ESCAPE:
  - a. In a condition which permitted involuntary acceleration;
  - With an inadequate throttle position sensor to prohibit involuntary acceleration;
  - Without proper warnings as to the lack of any controls or safeguards to prevent involuntary acceleration; and
  - d. With an improper or inadequate throttle position sensor so as to prevent involuntary acceleration.
- 20. As a direct and approximate result of one or more of the foregoing breaches an involuntary acceleration caused by an improper or inadequate throttle position sensor caused a collision resulting in damages in excess of \$50,000.00.
- 21. After September 8, 2008, WASHINGTON notified FORD of its breaches and FORD has subsequently failed to cure or compensate Plaintiff or breaches and damages.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, respectfully requests judgment in its favor and against, Defendant, FORD MOTOR CO., for costs and for any further relief deemed appropriate.

## COUNT IV - NEGLIGENCE (LANDMARK FORD OF NILES)

22. Plaintiff realleges and reincorporates Paragraphs 1 through 8 of the Common Allegations as though set forth fully here in Paragraph 22 of Count IV.

- 23. On or before September 8, 2008, and at all times relevant, Defendant, LANDMARK, owed the selling, leasing and/or repairing of the ESCAPE so as to avoid harming the selling.
- 24. On or before September 8, 2008, LANDMARK breached the aforementioned duty in one or more of the following respects:
  - Negligently and/or carelessly sold, leased and/or repaired the ESCAPE in a condition which caused involuntary acceleration;
  - Negligently and/or carelessly sold, leased and/or repaired the ESCAPE with inadequate throttle position sensors to prohibit involuntary acceleration;
  - Negligently and/or carelessly sold, leased and/or repaired the ESCAPE without proper warnings as to the lack of any controls or safeguards to prevent involuntary acceleration;
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  - e. Otherwise was negligent and/or careless.
- 25. On September 8, 2008, as a direct and approximate result of one or more of the foregoing acts or omissions, an involuntary acceleration caused by an improper or inadequate throttle position sensor caused a collision resulting in damages in excess of \$50,000.00.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, respectfully requests judgment in its favor and against, Defendant, LANDMARK FORD OF NILES, for costs and for any further relief deemed appropriate.

## COUNT V - PRODUCT LIABILITY (LANDMARK FORD OF NILES)

26. Plaintiff realleges and reincorporates Paragraphs 1 through 8 as though set forth fully here in Paragraph 26 of Count V.

- 27. On or before September 8, 2008, and at the time the ESCAPE left the control of LANDMARK, the throttle was defective and unreasonably dangerous in that it was:
  - Sold, leased and/or repaired the ESCAPE in a condition that permitted involuntary acceleration;
  - Sold, leased and/or repaired the ESCAPE with inadequate throttle position sensors to prohibit involuntary acceleration;
  - Sold, leased and/or repaired the ESCAPE without proper warnings as to the lack of any controls or safeguards to prevent involuntary acceleration; and
  - Sold, leased and/or repaired the ESCAPE with an improper or inadequate throttle position sensor so as to prevent involuntary acceleration.
- 28. On September 8, 2008, as a direct and approximate result of one or more of the foregoing defective and unreasonably dangerous conditions, an involuntary acceleration caused by an improper or inadequate throttle position sensor caused a collision resulting in damages in excess of \$50,000.00.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, present the property of the property of

# COUNT VI - BREACH OF THE IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY (LANDMARK FORD OF NILES)

- Plaintiff realleges and reincorporates Paragraphs 1 through 8 as though set forth fully here in Paragraph 29 of Count VI.
- 30. At all times relevant, FORD was a merchant in the business of, selling, leasing and/or repairing automobiles including, but not limited to Escapes.

- Pursuant to the sale of the ESCAPE to LANDMARK impliedly warranted that the ESCAPE would be merchantable and fit for the ordinary purpose for which it was to be used.
- 32. LANDMARK breached its implied warranty of merchantability in that it sold, leased and/or repaired the ESCAPE:
  - In a condition which permitted involuntary acceleration;
  - With inadequate throttle position sensors to prohibit involuntary acceleration;
  - Without proper warnings as to the lack of any controls or safeguards to prevent involuntary acceleration; and
  - With an improper or inadequate throttle position sensor so as to prevent involuntary acceleration.
- 33. As a direct and approximate result of one or more of the foregoing breaches an involuntary acceleration caused by an improper or inadequate throttle position sensor caused a collision resulting in damages in excess of \$50,000.00.
- 34. After September 8, 2008, notified LANDMARK of its breaches and LANDMARK has subsequently failed to cure or compensate Plaintiff or for said breaches and damages.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff, present the property of the state o

Respectfully submitted,

APICELLA & MALATESTA, LLC

By:

Kenneth C. Apicell

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## ISSUE LIST

Market Company	107.77/	7/2/1		
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VIN: 1FMYU04182K

Year: 2002

Name: Symptom Desc: WINDOW/GLASS SIDE POWER FUNCTION

Owner Status: Original

WSD: 2002-05-03 Primary Phone:

Secondary Phone:

Model: ESCAPE

Reason Desc: PARTS - BACKORDER DELAY

Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION

Issue Status: CLOSED

Action: ADVISE CUST UNABLE TO ASSIST IN OBTAINING PART; CONTACT PARTS MGR

Dealer: 04068 JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Origin Desc: MANUAL - PHONE CSR

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Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Case:

Odometer:

Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: JDECHAUS

Analyst Name: JACINTA DECHAUSAY Action Date: 02/12/2003

Action Time: 17,12.58,938

Action Data: No

Comments VLC068TCUSTOMER SAYS: THE FRONT AND REAR DRIVER'S SIDE WINDOWS WILL NOT GO UP OR DOWN.-HAVE BEEN WAITING TWO WEEKS FOR THE PART PER CUSTOMER, DEALER SAYS: (JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.) -THE PART WAS SUPPOSED TO ARRIVE ON FEB 18/03, BUT FORD HAS A BACK-LOG CAC ADVISED: - I HAVE LOOKED INTO THIS MATTER FOR YOU, AND I APOLOGIZE THAT THE PARTS ARE PRESENTLY UNAVAILABLE, OCCASIONALLY FORD MOTOR COMPANY DOES INCUR PARTS DELAYS FROM THE SUPPLIERS. -WE ARE AWARE OF THE SITUATION AND ARE WORKING ON OBTAINING THE PARTS. - PLEASE STAY IN CONTACT WITH THE CUSTOMER RELATIONS MANAGER AT YOUR DEALERSHIP FOR THE UPDATES ON WHEN THE PART(S) WILL BE AVAILABLE. ===IBC FROM DLR==== -AS PER JACK CINDRIC, SRV MGR -WINDOW SWITCH PART IS ON A NATIONAL BACK-ORDER WILL CALL CUST TO SET AN APPT WHEN IT ARRIVES. INFERENCE CASE ID: 4887

Action: OUTBOUND CALL TO FORD/MERCURY CUSTOMER

Dealer: 04068 JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.

Odometer: 10300 MI

Analyst Name: JACINTA DECHAUSAY

Action Date: 02/19/2003

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst: JDECHAUS

Action Time: 12.28.57.935 Action Data: No

Comments VLC068TCUSTOMER SAYS: PER CUSTOMER, DEALER SAYS: CAC ADVISED: ====OBC TO CUST=====

AS PER CUST, THE PART IS STILL N/A -CSR WILL F/UP 02/26/03 @ 1 PM EST

Action: OUTBOUND CALL TO FORD/MERCURY CUSTOMER

Dealer: 04068 JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.

Odometer: 10300 MI Analyst Name: JACINTA DECHAUSAY

Action Date: 02/26/2003

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst: JDECHAUS

Action Time: 13.12.14.899 Action Data: No

Comments VLC068TCUSTOMER SAYS: PER CUSTOMER, DEALER SAYS: CAC ADVISED: ====OBC TO CUST==== -AS PER CUST, THE PART IS STILL NOT AVAILABLE, SPK TO DLR A FEW WEEKS AGO -CSR WILL F/UP 02/27/03 @

1PM EST

Action: ADVISE CUSTOMER OF DEALER'S RESPONSE

Dealer: 04068 JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.

Odometer: 10300 MI Analyst Name: JACINTA DECHAUSAY

Action Date: 02/27/2003

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst: JDECHAUS

Action Time: 12.30.31.738

Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER SAYS: -THE FRONT AND REAR DRIVER'S SIDE WINDOWS WILL NOT GO UP OR DOWN .-HAVE BEEN WAITING TWO WEEKS FOR THE PART PER CUSTOMER, DEALER SAYS: PER CUSTOMER, DEALER SAYS: (JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.) -THE PART WAS SUPPOSED TO ARRIVE ON FEB 18/03, BUT FORD HAS A BACK-LOG CAC ADVISED: ===OBC TO CUST, LFT A MSG ON DY # AND ADVISED AS PER; - I HAVE CONTACTED YOUR DEALERSHIP REGARDING THIS MATTER AND THE PARTS FOR YOUR VEHICLE ARE NOW AVAILABLE. - PLEASE

CONTACT THE DEALERSHIP DIRECTLY TO SET UP AN APPOINTMENT FOR YOUR VEHICLE REPAIRS. (PROVIDE DEALER TELEPHONE NUMBER AND CONTACT PERSON). ===OBC TO DLR==== -SPK TO MIKE LUGRAIN, PRTS MGR -AS PER MIKE, THE PART CAME IN YESTERDAY INFERENCE CASE ID: 4885

Action: OUTBOUND CALL TO DEALER Dealer: 04068 JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.

Odometer: 10300 MI

Analyst Name: JACINTA DECHAUSAY

Action Date: 02/27/2003

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst: JDECHAUS

Action Time: 12,30,31,738

Action Data: No

Origin Desc: MANUAL - PHONE CSR

Comments VLC068TCUSTOMER SAYS: PER CUSTOMER, DEALER SAYS: CAC ADVISED: ===OBC TO DLR==== -SPK

TO MIKE LUGRAIN, PRTS MGR

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VIN: 1FMYU04182K

Name:

Year: 2002

Owner Status: Original

Symptom Desc: SERVICE BRAKE NOISY FRONT AND REAR

Reason Desc: PROD/COMP DUR/PERF - VEHICLE CHARACTERISTIC

Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION

Issue Status: CLOSED

Model: ESCAPE WSD: 2002-05-03 Primary Phone: Secondary Phone:

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

e:

Case:

Action: SUPPORT DEALER'S POSITION

Dealer: 04068 JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.

Odometer:

Analyst Name: JACINTA DECHAUSAY

Action Date: 02/12/2003

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst: JDECHAUS

Action Time: 17,13.00.037 Action Data: No

Comments VLC068TCUSTOMER SAYS: -THE BRAKES ARE CONSTANTLY SQUEAKING, NOT SURE IF IT IS THE FRONT OR REAR -VEH HAS BEEN TO THE DLRSHP 6-7 TIMES FOR THE SAME CONCERN, THE LAST TIME WAS 3-4 WEEKS AGO -UNDER THE HOOD IS HUMMING AND IS LOUDER WHEN FOOT IS ON THE BRAKE -THE REAR WIPERS ARE NOT CLEANING THE ENTIRE GLASS, ONLY A SPOT -SPK TO STEVE CARNEY, SRV ADV PER CUSTOMER, DEALER SAYS: (JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.) -NOTHING IS WRONG WITH THE BRAKE -SOMETHING UNDER THE HOOD COULD BE CAUSING THE NOISE, BUT ONLY HEAR VEH'S NOISE CAC ADVISED: - THE DEALERSHIP HAS REPAIRED YOUR VEHICLE WITHIN SPECIFICATIONS AND AFTER USING ALL OF THEIR RESOURCES, THE DEALERSHIP CONCLUDED THAT THIS IS A NORMAL OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC OF THE VEHICLE. - YOUR CRM/SM IS AVAILABLE FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF THE OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC IF NECESSARY. - THANK CUSTOMER FOR PROVIDING THEIR FEEDBACK === IBC FROM DLR==== -AS PER JACK CINDRIC, SRV MGR -THE BRAKE NOISE IS A NORMAL CHARACTERISTIC -UNABLE TO DUPLICATE THE HUMMING NOISE, NO REPAIR WAS ATTEMPTED. INFERENCE CASE ID: 5396

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VIN: 1FMYU04182K

Year: 2002

Name:

Owner Status: Original

Symptom Desc: SERVICE BRAKE NOISY FRONT AND REAR Reason Desc: PROD/COMP DUR/PERF - REGIONAL ASSISTANCE

Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION

Issue Status: CLOSED

Model: ESCAPE Case:
WSD: 2002-05-03
Primary Phone
Secondary Phone

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Action: ADVISE CUST CRC WILL FOLLOW UP

Dealer: 04068 JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.

Comm Type: PHONE

Odometer: 10300 MI Analyst Name: JACIN

Analyst Name: JACINTA DECHAUSAY

Action Date: 02/12/2003

Analyst: JDECHAUS

Action Time: 12.42.20.442 Action Data: No

Comments VLC068TCUSTOMER SAYS: -THE BRAKES ARE CONSTANTLY SQUEAKING, NOT SURE IF IT IS THE FRONT OR REAR -VEH HAS BEEN TO THE DLRSHP 6-7 TIMES FOR THE SAME CONCERN, THE LAST TIME WAS 3-4 WEEKS AGO -UNDER THE HOOD IS HUMMING AND IS LOUDER WHEN FOOT IS ON THE BRAKE -THE REAR WIPERS ARE NOT CLEANING THE ENTIRE GLASS, ONLY A SPOT -SPK TO STEVE CARNEY, SRV ADV PER CUSTOMER, DEALER SAYS: (JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.) -NOTHING IS WRONG WITH THE BRAKE -SOMETHING UNDER THE HOOD COULD BE CAUSING THE NOISE, BUT ONLY HEAR VEH'S NOISE CAC ADVISED: - I WOULD LIKE TO BE YOUR ADVOCATE IN THIS SITUATION. TO ENSURE YOUR REQUEST RECEIVES PROPER CONSIDERATION, PLEASE ALLOW ME TO RESEARCH THIS FURTHER. - IS THERE A TIME THAT IS MOST CONVENIENT FOR ME TO CONTACT YOU? 02/12/03 ANYTIME UPTIL 5 PM CEN TIME -CSR WILL F/UP @ 5PM EST ===OBC TO DLR=== -LFT A MSG ON THE V/M OF JACK CINDRIC, SRV MGR TO C/B CSR @ ECH # 888-364-0916 X.2380 INFERENCE CASE ID: 5408

Action: VEHICLE OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC - REPAIR NOT ATTEMPTED

Dealer: 04068 JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.

Odometer: 10300 MI

Analyst Name: JACK CINDRIC Action Date: 02/12/2003 Comm Type: VISIT

Analyst: J-CINDR3 Action Time: 15.34.51.948

Action Data: No

Origin Desc: DEALER

Comments BRAKE NOISE DEMONSTRATED BY CUSTOMER IS NORMAL OPERATING CHARACTERISTIC, BRAKES INSPECTED BUT NO REPAIR ATTEMPTED. HUMMING NOISE DESCRIBED BY CUSTOMER COULD NOT BE DUPLICATED, NO REPAIR ATTEMPTED. DRIVER'S DOOR WINDOW SWITCH WAS ORDERED TO RESOLVE A SEPERATE ISSUE BUT IS ON NATIONAL B/O, WILL ADVISE CUSTOMER WHEN PART ARRIVES.

Action: INQUIRY FROM DEALER

Dealer: 04068 JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.

Odometer: 10300 MI

Analyst Name: JACINTA DECHAUSAY

Action Date: 02/12/2003

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst: JDECHAUS

Action Time: 16.09.06.437

Origin Desc: MANUAL - PHONE CSR

Action Data: No

Comments VLC068TCUSTOMER SAYS: PER CUSTOMER, DEALER SAYS: CAC ADVISED: ===IBC FROM DLR==== - AS PER JACK CINDRIC, SRV MGR -THE BRAKE NOISE IS A NORMAL CHARACTERISTIC -UNABLE TO DUPLICATE THE HUMMING NOISE, NO REPAIR WAS ATTEMPTED. -WINDOW SWITCH PART IS ON A NATIONAL BACK-ORDER WILL CALL CUST TO SET AN APPT WHEN IT ARRIVES.

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VIN: 1FMYU04182K

Name:

Year: 2002

Owner Status: Original

Symptom Desc: WINDOW/GLASS SIDE POWER FUNCTION

Reason Desc: PARTS - BACKORDER DELAY

Issue Type: 03 CONCERN Initial Customer Contact:

ISSL

Issue Status: CLOSED

WSD: 2002-05-03 Primary Phone: Secondary Phone

Model: ESCAPE

Case:

Action: ADVISE CUSTOMER CAC WILL FOLLOW-UP

Dealer: 04068 JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.

Odometer: 10300 MI Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst Name: JACINTA DECHAUSAY Action Date: 02/12/2003 Analyst: JDECHAUS

Action Time: 12.42.11.046 Action Data: No

Comments VLC068TCUSTOMER SAYS: THE FRONT AND REAR DRIVER'S SIDE WINDOWS WILL NOT GO UP OR DOWN. -HAVE BEEN WAITING TWO WEEKS FOR THE PART PER CUSTOMER, DEALER SAYS: (JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.) -THE PART WAS SUPPOSED TO ARRIVE ON FEB 18/03, BUT FORD HAS A BACK-LOG CAC ADVISED: - UNFORTUNATELY AT THIS TIME I HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO REACH THE CUSTOMER RELATIONS MANAGER AT THE DEALERSHIP TO SPEAK WITH THEM ON THIS MATTER. I WILL FOLLOW UP WITH YOU, - (PROVIDE CUSTOMER WITH FOLLOW UP DATE AND TIME).02/12/03 ANYTIME UPTIL 5 PM CEN TIME -CSR WILL F/UP @ 5PM EST === OBC TO DLR=== -LFT A MSG ON THE V/M OF JACK CINDRIC, SRV MGR TO C/B CSR @ ECH # 888-364-0916 X.2380 INFERENCE CASE ID: 4886

Action: NO REPAIR PROCEDURE AVAILABLE AT THIS TIME PER - "OTHER"

Dealer: 04068 JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.

Odometer: 10300 MI Analyst Name: JACK CINDRIC Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: J-CINDR3

Action Date: 02/12/2003 Action Time: 15.45.39.773

Origin Desc: DEALER

Action Data: No

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Comments CUSTOMER WAS INFORMED BY MIKE LUGRAIN, PARTS MANAGER THAT PART IS CURRENTLY ON B/O

AND WILL NOTIFY CUSTOMER WHEN PART ARRIVES

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VIN: 1FMYU04182K

Year: 2002

Model: ESCAPE

Name:

Owner Status: Original

WSD: 2002-05-03

Symptom Desc: INDICATOR CHECK ENGINE Reason Desc: PRODUCT - NEGATIVE FEEDBACK Primary Phone:

Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION

Issue Status: CLOSED

Secondary Phone:

Action: ADVISE CUSTOMER THE FEEDBACK HAS BEEN DOCUMENTED

Dealer: 04068 JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.

Action Date: 02/12/2003

Comm Type: PHONE

Origin Desc: US INQUIRY CASE BASE

Case:

Odometer: 10300 MI

Analyst Name: JACINTA DECHAUSAY

Analyst: JDECHAUS

Action Time: 12.42.19.671

Action Data: No

Comments VLC068TCUSTOMER SAYS: -THE CHECK ENGINE LIGHT CAME ON, VEH WAS HESITATING WHILE DRIVING, BUT HAS SINCE BEEN REPAIRED PER CUSTOMER, DEALER SAYS: (JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.) -REPLACED A COIL CAC ADVISED: THANK YOU FOR PROVIDING FORD MOTOR COMPANY WITH YOUR THOUGHTS: YOUR OPINIONS ARE VALUABLE TO US. I HAVE DOCUMENTED YOUR FEEDBACK AND THE INFORMATION YOU PROVIDED REGARDING YOUR EXPERIENCE WITH OUR PRODUCT. THIS INFORMATION IS FORWARDED TO VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS WITHIN FORD TO CONTINUOUSLY IMPROVE OUR PRODUCTS AND SERVICES. YOU WILL ONLY BE CONTACTED IF A SPECIFIC DEPARTMENT REQUIRES ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR CLARIFICATION. INFERENCE CASE ID: 867

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VIN: 1FMYU04182K

Name:

Year: 2002 Owner Status: Original

Model: ESCAPE WSD: 2002-05-03 Primary Phone:

Case:

Symptom Desc:

Reason Desc: REDIRECTED CALL - ESP HEADQUARTERS Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION

Issue Status: CLOSED

Secondary Phone:

Origin Desc: US REDIRECT CASE BASE

Action: REDIRECT TO ESP PURCHASE 1-800-367-3377

Dealer: 04068 JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.

Odometer: 10300 MI Analyst Name: JACINTA DECHAUSAY

Action Date: 02/12/2003

Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: JDECHAUS

Action Time: 12.42.18.847 Action Data: No

Comments VLC068TCUSTOMER SAYS: PER CUSTOMER, DEALER SAYS: CAC ADVISED: PLEASE WARM TRANSFER THE CUSTOMER TO THE ESP SALES GROUP AT 1-800-367-3377 INFERENCE CASE ID: 102

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VIN: 1FMYU04182K

Name:

Year: 2002 Owner Status: Original Model: ESCAPE Case WSD: 2002-05-03

Symptom Desc:

Reason Desc: ESP/ESC - PRICING/SALES INFORMATION Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION

Issue Status: CLOSED

Primary Phone: Secondary Phone:

Action: ESP PRICING INFORMATION IS ONLY AVAILABLE AT DEALER

Dealer: 04068 JACOBS TWIN FORD, INC.

Origin Desc: US INQUIRY CASE BASE

Odometer: 4000 MI Analyst Name: YVONNE BOGLE Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: YBOGLE

Action Date: 10/01/2002

Action Time: 14.51.11.873

Action Data: No

Caller Information If Different From Vehicle Owner:

First Name

Middle Initial

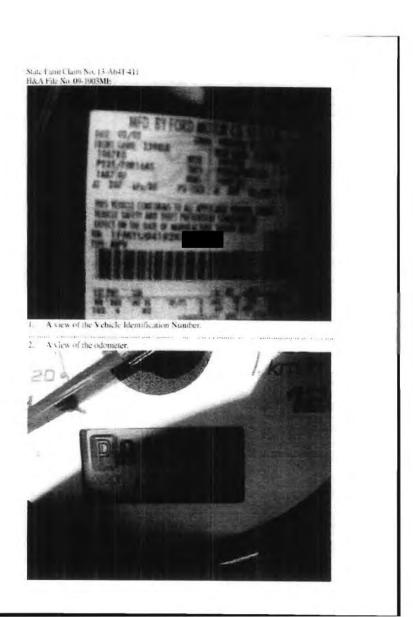
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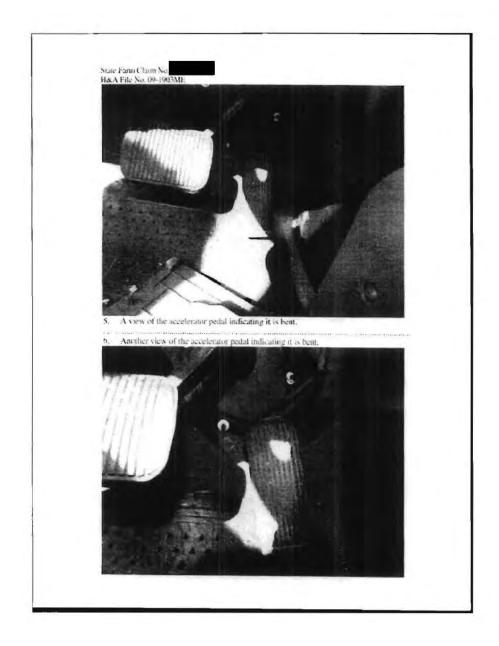
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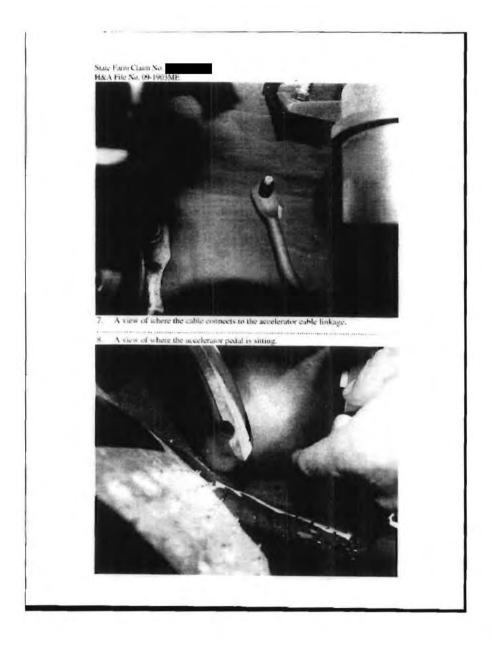
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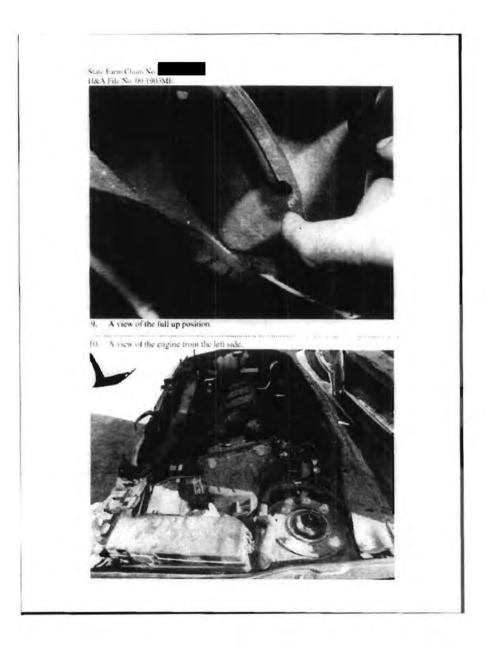
Comments VLC068TCUSTOMER SAYS: =NEEDS TO PURCHASE ESP HOW IS THIS DONE PER CUSTOMER, DEALER SAYS: =NONE CAC ADVISED: THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST IN A FORD EXTENDED SERVICE PLAN. FOR INFORMATION ON PURCHASING OR PRICING A FORD EXTENDED SERVICE PLAN, PLEASE BROWSE THE FORD EXTENDED SERVICE PLAN WEBSITE AT WWW.FORD-ESP.COM. I CAN ALSO CONNECT YOU TO OUR EXTENDED SERVICE PLAN HEADQUARTERS, FOR FUTURE REFERENCE THEIR PHONE NUMBER IS 1-800-367-3377, OPTION #1. ALTERNATIVELY, YOUR LOCAL FORD DEALERSHIP'S FINANCE AND INSURANCE MANAGER CAN PROVIDE PURCHASE INFORMATION ON FORD EXTENDED SERVICE PLANS, MAY I PROVIDE YOU WITH THE PROPER CONTACT INFORMATION FOR YOUR MOST CONVENIENT DEALERSHIP? = CRC ADVISED CUST OF ABOVE INFORMATION INFERENCE CASE ID: 1

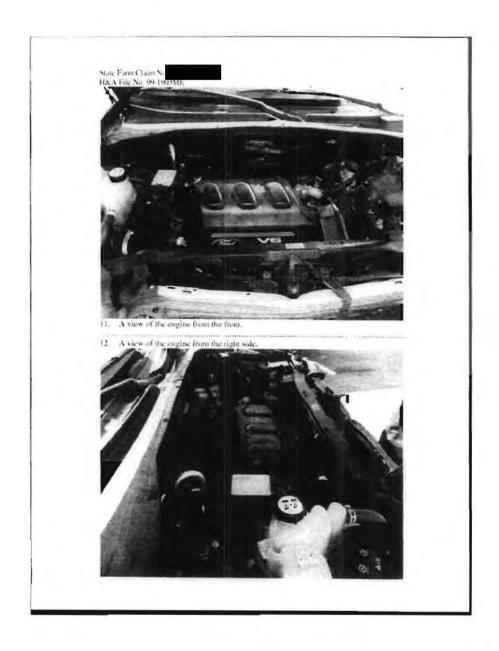


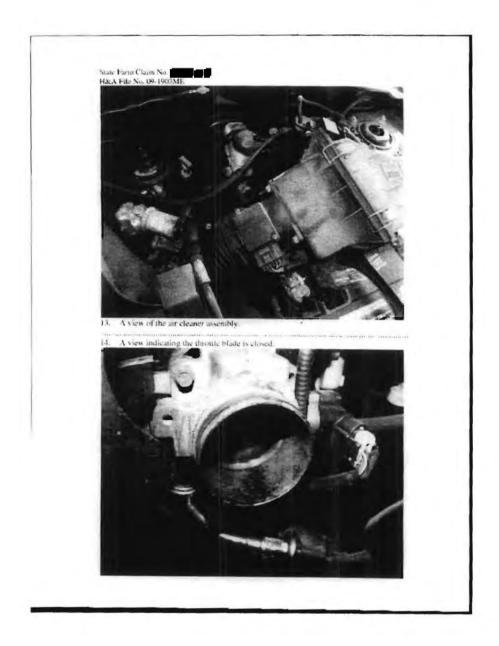


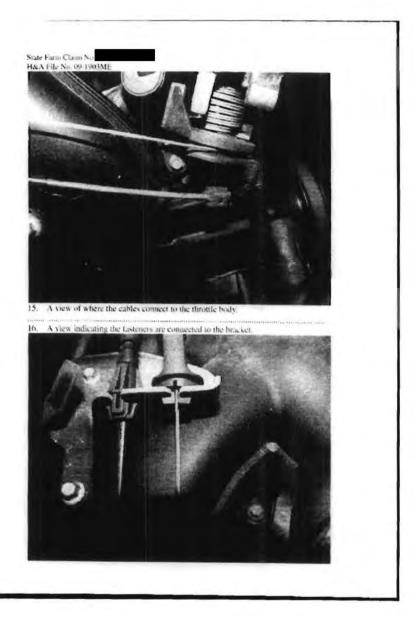


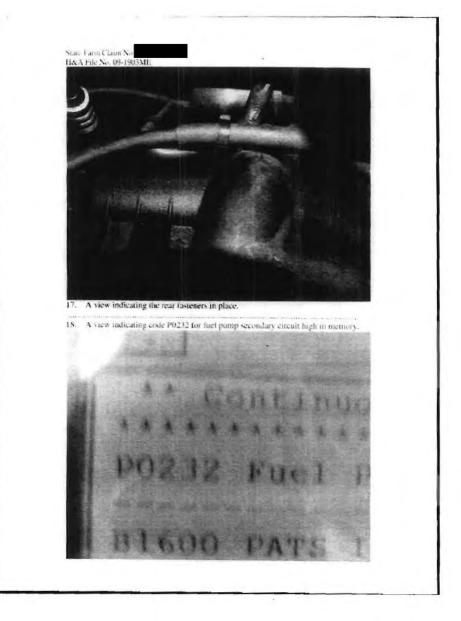


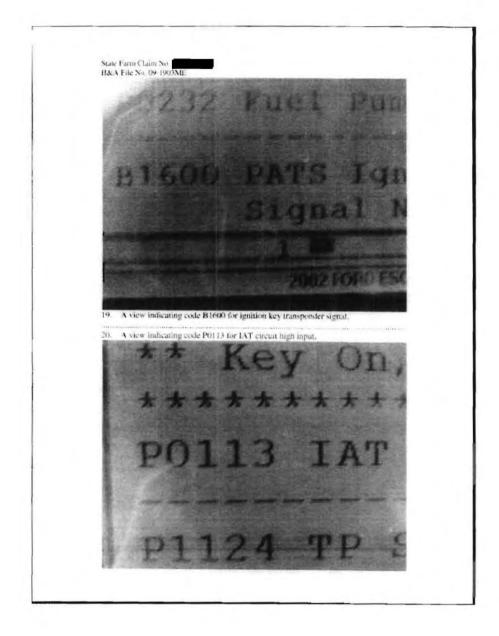


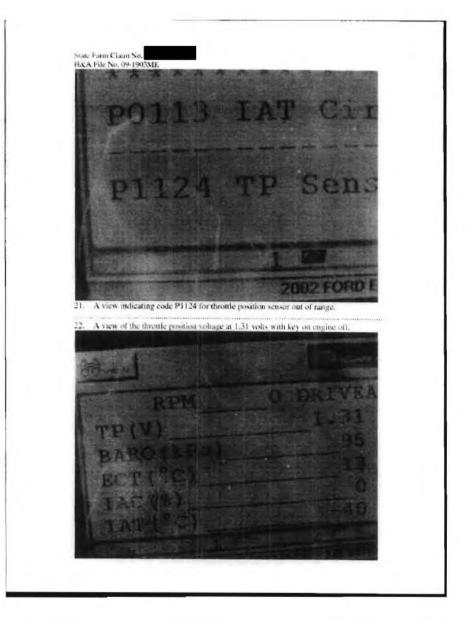


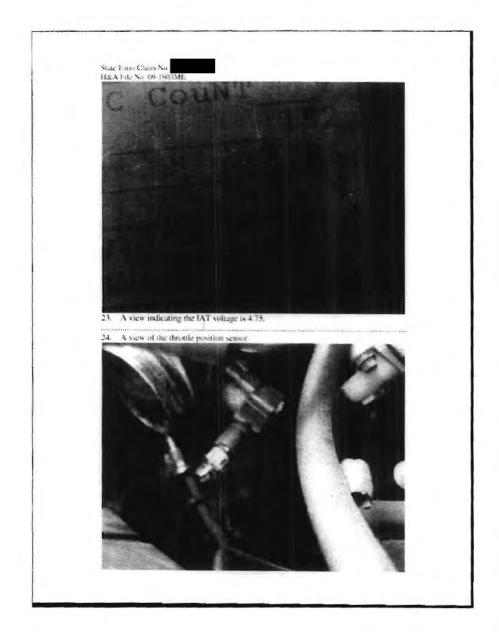


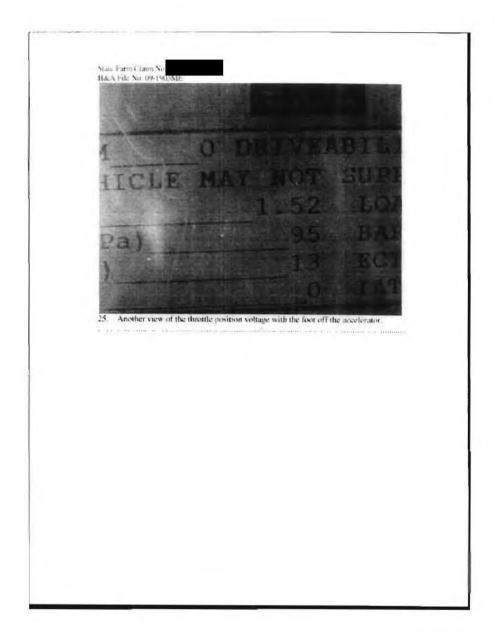


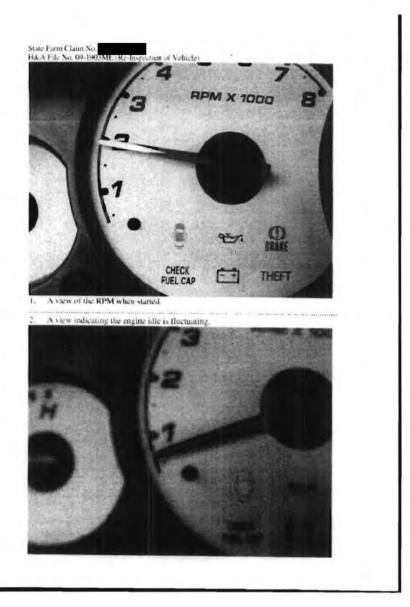














Office of the General Counsel

PRIVILEGED & CONFIDENTIAL Ford Motor Company Product Claims Department P.O. Box 70 Dearborn, Michigan 48121-0070

January 28, 2010

APICELLA & MALATESTA 134 N. LA SALLE, SUITE 320 CHICAGO, IL 60602

ATTENTION: KENNETH C. APICELLA

RE:

2002 ESCAPE

Dear Mr. Apicella:

Recently the Office of the General Counsel of Ford Motor Company was made aware of your recent contact with our Customer Relations Center in regards to the above vehicle. We thank you for the opportunity to address this concern in a timely manner.

If you have turned any portion of this matter over to your insurance company, and should you or your insurance company wish to pursue a claim with Ford Motor Company, please have your insurance company and/or you contact us in writing to the address noted above notifying us of their intent to pursue subrogation, or your intent to pursue a claim directly.

In order to evaluate this matter, we request that you provide us with <u>all</u> the following information by completing and returning this form:

1. Please provide a copy of each of the following documents and check the box indicating

that each item is attached.
□ A copy of the police/fire report.
<ul> <li>A separate sheet of paper providing a complete description of the incident.</li> </ul>
Medical records for each person alleged injured from all treating physicians/facilities
Medical bills for each person alleged injured from all treating physicians/facilities.
<ul> <li>Original photographs or laser copies of the vehicle's collision/fire damage from several different angles.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Original photographs or laser copies of the inside of vehicle showing the steering wheel, dash and roof areas.</li> </ul>
Repair estimate or repair order
OR
□ Total loss worksheet with copies of draft payments
Complete service history for vehicle including tune ups and oil changes.

For each person alleged injured provide the following: (If there are additional names continue on back.)

	Full Legal Name:	Full Legal Name:		
	Address:	Address:		
	Spouse's Name:	Spouse's Name:		
	DOB:	DOB:		
	Soc Security#:	Soc Security#:		
	Gender:	Gender:		
	Occupation:	Occupation:		
	Injury:	Injury:		
	Health Insurance Provider:	Health Insurance Provider:		
		are benefits		
	Has the injured party received more than 24 months of social security disability benefits prior to the incident If yes, state the name of the person(s)			
nef dic spe t er ere	le the above requested information iciary, please be aware that pursua are has a statutory right to recover ct to your injury. Further, should a neer into any settlement agreement sts are protected.	ements, we cannot evaluate your claim until your. If it is determined that you are a Medicare int to the Medicare Secondary Payer Act (MSP) any conditional payments it has made with settlement be reached in this claim, Ford will until Ford has been assured that Medicare's defective, if anything, with your vehicle.		
Has the alleged defective vehicle/part been repaired or replaced? Yes		art been repaired or replaced? Yes No		
5.	Please provide the current location of the vehicle (you may need to contact your insurance company to provide this information).			
6.	Has an insurance company been advised of this incident? Yes No If yes, please provide name, address and phone number of insurance company and adjuster's name and claim number.			
7.	What are you seeking from Ford Mo	tor Company in this matter?		

8. Please provide the date and location (City/State) of the incident?

Please note that we need all the information requested above to evaluate this matter. Your concern will not be evaluated until <u>all</u> the above information is submitted. Please feel free to provide any other additional information that may be helpful to us in evaluating this matter.

Once we are in receipt of all the requested information, it will be reviewed and you will be notified of our decision concerning your claim. Should you not send all of the requested information and materials within 90 days, we will assume that you are not interested in pursuing a claim and we will close our file. Please note that your vehicle will not be inspected until all the above information has been submitted and a determination has been made as to whether an inspection is warranted.

Should you decide to pursue a claim against Ford Motor Company, please be advised that all necessary steps should be taken to ensure that the subject vehicle and all of its component parts are maintained and preserved for trial. Ford Motor Company has the right to inspect the vehicle and remove and test any component part that you claim to be defective, and to be presented with the vehicle and the subject component part(s) at the time of trial.

If you propose to repair the vehicle for continued usage, such repairs may not be performed until after Ford Motor Company has inspected the vehicle and removed and tested any component part you claim to be defective or advised you in writing that it does not intend to perform such inspection and/or testing at this time. But even in that event, Ford Motor Company will insist that all components claimed to be defective are maintained and preserved for trial.

Sincerely,

M. Hull Product Claims Team Leader



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January 6, 2010



Ford Motor Company c/o Registered Agent CT Corporation System 208 S. LaSalle St, Suite 814 Chicago, IL 60604

> Re: v. Ford Motor Company 2002 Ford Escape - VIN 1FMYUO4182K

Dear Ford Motor Company:

We have been retained by to represent him with respect to injuries he sustained during an August 2009 incident in which he was injured. We are hereby making a demand upon you to compensate for the injuries he sustained as a result of a defect in the accelerator pedal. We are in the process of obtaining medical bills and records and will forward those on to you shortly.

If there are any questions, please do not contact directly. Instead, direct all inquiries to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

APICELLA & MALATESTA LLC

Kenneth C. Apicella

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Ford Motor Company

OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL

To: Ford Motor Company c/o Registered Agent CT Corporation System 208 S. LaSalle St, Suite 814 Chicago, IL 60604

Please be advised that we represent the interests of for the injuries he sustained on or about August 15, 2009, as a result of a defect in an automobile manufactured by Ford. Sustained serious and permanent injuries as a result of this incident.

We kindly request that you not contact directly, but instead direct any inquiries to our office. Should you have any questions or need any more information, please do not hesitate to contact me directly at (312) 445-0542. Thank you for your anticipated cooperation in this matter.

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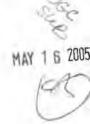




# Liberty Mutual Fire Insurance Company

5050 W Tilghman St Suite 200 Allentown PA 18104

Tel: (610) 398-9800 / (800) 521-0986



May 09, 2005

FORD MOTOR COMPANY PO BOX 6248 DEARBORN MI 48126

OUR INSURED: OUR CLAIM NUMBER:

YOUR INSURED: ASH FORD CONDO

YOUR CLAIM NUMBER:

DATE OF LOSS: 12/02/2004

PLACE OF ASHLEY CIRCLE BLDG 3

LOSS: ATLANTA, GA

Dear Ford Motor Company:

Based on our investigation of this accident, we believe your Insured to be responsible for the damage to our Insured's vehicle. I have enclosed documentation to support the following subrogation claim:

Amount we have paid \$ 10280.00

Salvage (if applicable) \$ 0.00

Our Insured's deductible \$ 1000.00

Total amount of damages \$ 11280.00

Please include our claim number on your check for the total amount of damages shown above and send your payment to my attention. If you have any questions, please contact me at the number listed above, extension 485.

Sincerely,

LAURIE GERMAN Subrogation Department

Enclosure

MOTOR COMPANY
RECEIVED



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VIN: 1FMYU03193KE

Year: 2003

Model: ESCAPE Owner Status: Original WSD: 2003-07-05

Name: Symptom Desc: SURGE AT CRUISE ALL ENGINE TEMP

Reason Desc: LEGAL - ACCIDENT

Issue Type: 07 LEGAL

Issue Status: CLOSED

Primary Phone: Secondary Phone:

Case:

Action: OPEN LEGAL CONTACT - PRODUCT LIABILITY

Dealer: 00243 TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION PREVENTION-FD

Odometer: 9206 MI Comm Type: PHONE Analyst Name: LEICH, CHERIE Analyst: CLEICH

Action Date: 12/17/2004

Action Time: 11.42.38.502 Action Data: No

Comments \*CUSTOMER ORIGINALLY CONTACT CRC ON 12-13-04. CUSTOMER ALLEGES VEHICLE SURGED WHEN PULLING INTO A PARKING LOT. VEHICLE JUMPED A RETAINER WALL AND HIT A BUILDING.CUSTOMER REQUESTS CONTACT FROM FORD REPRESENTATIVE.

Action: MAKE OUTBOUND CALL TO CUSTOMER

Dealer: 00243 TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION PREVENTION

Odometer: 9206 MI Comm Type: PHONE Analyst Name: DUNLAP, KENISHA Analyst: KDUNLAP

Action Date: 12/17/2004

Action Time: 15.37.24.218 Action Data: Yes

Comments LPA CONTACTED CUSTOMER.

Data Element Name

Data Value

CONTACT PERSON

JACK WEAVER

Action: INFORMATIONAL CALL/FAX WITH CUSTOMER

Dealer: 00243 TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION PREVENTION

Odometer: 9206 MI Comm Type: PHONE Analyst Name: DUNLAP, KENISHA Analyst: KDUNLAP

Action Date: 12/17/2004

Action Time: 15.39.38.038 Action Data: No.

Comments AFTER SPEAKING WITH HE STATED THAT HIS VEHICLE IS CURRENTLY AT TEAM FORD'S COLLISION CENTER, CUSTOMER STATED THAT HE IS WANTING TO WORK WITH FORD AS HE BELIEVES THAT HIS WIFE'S ACCIDENT WAS AS A RESULT OF 04S25. CUSTOMER STATED THAT HIS WIFE WAS TAKEN TO THE EMERGENCY ROOM AFTER THE ACCIDENT, SHE HAS A STRAINED NECK AND A BRUISED CHEST.

Action: INFORMATION CALL/FAX WITH DEALER

Dealer: 00243 TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION PREVENTION

Odometer: 9206 MI Comm Type: PHONE Analyst Name: DUNLAP, KENISHA Analyst: KDUNLAP

Action Time: 15.40.44.686 Action Data: No Action Date: 12/17/2004

Comments LPA CONTACTED TEAM FORD SVC MGR FRED VILLA TO REQUEST A VEHICLE INSPECTION. FRED WAS NOT AVAILABLE. LPA LEFT A MESSAGE ON HIS VOICEMAIL. LPA ADVISED THAT THE VEHICLE WAS CURRENTLY AT THE

COLLISION CENTER. LPA WILL AWAIT A RETURN CALL TO PROCEED.

Action: INFORMATION CALL/FAX WITH DEALER

Dealer: 00243 TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION PREVENTION

Odometer: 9206 MI Comm Type: PHONE Analyst Name: DUNLAP, KENISHA Analyst: KDUNLAP

Action Date: 12/21/2004 Action Time: 08.33.37.213 Action Data: No

5/24/2005

Comments LPA RECEIVED A RETURN CALL FROM FRED VILLA. FRED STATED THAT HE WOULD GET SOMEONE TO INSPECT THE VEHICLE AND WOULD GIVE ME A CALL BACK.

Action: INFORMATION CALL/FAX WITH DEALER

Dealer: 00243 TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION PREVENTION

Odometer: 9206 MI Comm Type: PHONE Analyst Name: DUNLAP, KENISHA Analyst: KDUNLAP

Action Date: 12/28/2004 Action Time: 14.29.35.439 Action Data: No

Comments LPA RECEIVED A VOICEMAIL FROM FRED VILL AT TEAM FORD. FRED STATED THAT HE COULD NOT SEE HOW RECALL 04S25 WAS RELATED TO THE ACCIDENT. LPA REQUESTED A FAXED COPY OF A REPAIR ORDER WITH FRED'S FINDINGS. LPA WILL AWAIT THE REPAIR ORDER BEFORE CONTACTING CUSTOMER.

Action: REFER TO INSURANCE CARRIER - INSURANCE COMPANY ALREADY INVOLVED

Dealer: 00243 TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION PREVENTION

Odometer: 9206 MI Comm Type: FAX
Analyst Name: DUNLAP, KENISHA Analyst: KDUNLAP

Action Date: 01/05/2005 Action Time: 11.20.36.374 Action Data: No

Comments LPA RECEIVED REPAIR ORDER/INSPECTION REPORT FROM DLR STATING THAT CUSTOMER'S ACCIDENT WAS NOT RELATED TO RECALL 04S25. LPA HAD PREVIOUSLY ADVISED CUSTOMER TO CONTACT HIS INSURANCE COMPANY.

CLOSING CORRESPONDENCE MAILED. CASE FILED. NOTHING FURTHER.

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VIN: 1FMYU03193K

Year: 2003

Name:

Owner Status: Original

Symptom Desc: RESTRAINTS AIR BAG SYSTEM NON-DEPLOYMENT Reason Desc: RECALL/ONP - VEHICLE INVOLVEMENT

Action: ADVISE CUST OF FSA/CSP; DOCUMENT CAMPAIGN NUMBER

Issue Type: 03 CONCERN

Issue Status: CLOSED

Initial Customer Contact: 12/29/2004

Origin Desc: US INQUIRY CASE BASE

Model: ESCAPE

WSD: 2003-07-05

Primary Phone: Secondary Phone Case:

Odometer: 9206 MI

Dealer: 00243 TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA

Analyst Name: CHRISTIE CURLINE

Action Date: 12/13/2004

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst: CCHRIS25

Action Time: 10.13,35.840

Action Data: Yes

Comments CRC ADVISED: PLEASE ADVISE THE CUSTOMER OF THE INFORMATION FOUND IN THE CUSTOMER LETTER OR THE SEARCH ENGINE Q&A. PLEASE DOCUMENT ANY INFORMATION YOU PROVIDE TO THE CUSTOMER OBC TO CUST VIA THE WORK NUMBER ADVISED OF THE SAFETY RECALL 04S25 A LETTER SHOULD BE RECEIVED SHORTLY REGARDING THE ISSUE.1. TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA 869 COBB PARKWAY SOUTHMARIETTA, GA 30060DISTANCE: 2.20

MILES

**Data Element Name** 

Data Value

FSA/CSP CAMPAIGN NUMBER

04S25

Action: FORD COVERED REPAIR MADE - RECALL

Dealer: 00243 TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA

Odometer: 9206 MI Analyst Name: TEAM FORD

Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: F-VILLA

Action Date: 12/30/2004 Action Time: 17.05.25.786 Origin Desc: DEALER

Action Data: No

Comments ACCEL CABLE RECALL DONE, 04S25

Print

VIN: 1FMYU03193K

Year: 2003

Name:

Owner Status: Original

Symptom Desc: GENERAL INQUIRIES REQUEST/NON-VEHICLE RELATED Reason Desc: LEGAL - INSURANCE COMPANY SETTLEMENT

Issue Type: 03 CONCERN

Issue Status: CLOSED

Initial Customer Contact: 12/28/2004

Model: ESCAPE

WSD: 2003-07-05 Primary Phone: Secondary Phone:

Case:

Action: ADVISE CUSTOMER AIRBAG SYSTEM MUST BE TESTED AT A F/L/M DEALER

Dealer: 00243 TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Odometer: 9206 MI Analyst Name: CHRISTIE CURLINE

Action Date: 12/13/2004

Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: CCHRIS25

Action Time: 10.10.35.366

Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: WORK EXT IS 222, WE HAD AN ACCIDENT THE ACCERLATION WAS STUCK. THE WAS PROPERTY DAMAGE. STEERING HIT MY WIFE'S CHEST, ACCIDENT HAPPEND 12/02/2004 THE VEH RACED WHEN PULLING INTO A PARK IN LOT. IT JUMPED INTO A RETAINOR WALL AND HIT A BUILDING. INSURANCE COMPANY WAS CONTACTED VEH IS AT TEAM FOR COLLISION CENTER 795 SOUTH COBB DRIVE, ANITA MILLER IS THE ESTIMATER AT THE DLR. REASON FOR THE CALL IS THE ACCIDENT THE CAUSE IS THE ACCELERATOR CABLE. THE AIR BAG DID NOT DEPLOY.CRC ADVISED: -AIR BAG SYSTEM MUST BE TESTED AT A FORD DEALERSHIP AND THE CRC WILL SUPPORT THE DEALERSHIPS DECISION ONCE TESTING IS COMPLETED. CUSTOMER OR THE INSURANCE COMPANY WILL BE REQUIRED TO PAY FOR THE TESTING OF THE SENSORS, WHEN CSR MADE THE OBC TO CUST HE THEN MENTIONED THE AIR BAGS DID NOT DEPLOY IN THE ACCIDENT. DEALER ADDRESS CONTACT 1. TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA 869 COBB PARKWAY SOUTHMARIETTA, GA 30060DISTANCE: 2.20 MILES

Action: NO REPAIR PROCEDURE AVAILABLE AT THIS TIME PER - "OTHER"

Dealer: 00243 TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA

Odometer: 9206 MI

Analyst Name: TEAM FORD

Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: F-VILLA

Action Date: 12/30/2004 Action Time: 17.03.22,979 Origin Desc: DEALER

Action Data: No

Comments CUST STATED CAR ACCELERATOR STUCK & JUMPED A RETAINING WALL AND HIT A BUILDING.WE INSPECTED THE ESCAPE AND FOUND NO EVIDENCE OF THROTTLE STICKING OR BINDING EITHER IN THE PEDAL LINKAGE, CABLE, OR THROTTLE BODY ASSEMBLY.INFO WAS FORWARDED TO FORD CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND MH WEAVER.

5/24/2005

Print

VIN: 1FMYU03193K

Year: 2003

Owner Status: Original

Name: Symptom Desc: ENG SPEED-UP SUDDEN ACCEL WARM

Reason Desc: LEGAL - ACCIDENT / FIRE

Issue Type: 10 OGC

Issue Status: CLOSED

Model: ESCAPE WSD: 2003-07-05

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

Primary Phone: Secondary Phone: Case:

Action: CONTACT ADVANCED TO OGC

Dealer: 00243 TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA

Odometer: 9206 MI Analyst Name: CHRISTIE CURLINE

Action Date: 12/13/2004

Comm Type: PHONE Analyst: CCHRIS25

Action Time: 10.05.35.876

Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: WORK EXT IS 222, WE HAD AN ACCIDENT THE ACCERLATION WAS STUCK, THE WAS PROPERTY DAMAGE, STEERING HIT MY WIFE'S CHEST, ACCIDENT HAPPEND 12/02/2004 THE VEH RACED WHEN PULLING INTO A PARK IN LOT. IT JUMPED INTO A RETAINOR WALL AND HIT A BUILDING. INSURANCE COMPANY WAS CONTACTED VEH IS AT TEAM FOR COLLISION CENTER 795 SOUTH COBB DRIVE, ANITA MILLER IS THE ESTIMATER AT THE DLF. REASON FOR THE CALL IS THE ACCIDENT THE CAUSE IS THE ACCELERATOR CABLE. DEALER SAID: 1. TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA 869 COBB PARKWAY SOUTHMARIETTA, GA 30060DISTANCE; 2.20 MILESCRC ADVISED; I WILL FORWARD THIS INFORMATION TO THE FORD OGC DEPARTMENT. YOU WILL BE CONTACTED WITHIN 3-5 BUSINESS DAYS. WORK NUMBER IS 404-691-2928 EXT 222. OBC TO CUST ADVISED OF THE RECALL 04S25.1. TEAM FORD OF MARIETTA 869 COBB PARKWAY SOUTHMARIETTA, GA 30060DISTANCE: 2.20 MILES



# State Farm Insurance Companies®



March 10, 2005

CERTIFIED MAIL--RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Portland Operations Center PO Box 221 DuPont, Washington 98327-0221

FORD MOTOR COMPANY
PARKLANE TOWERS WEST STE 400
3 PARKLANE BLVD
DEARBORN MI 48126-2568

MARTE 2005

RE:

Claim Number:

Our Insured:

Date of Loss:

Vehicle:

March 6, 2005

2004 Ford Escape Sport Wagon

VIN:

1FMCU94114K

To Whom It May Concern:

The identified 2004 Ford Escape is insured by State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company. This 2004 ford Escape experienced a sudden acceleration when the throttle stuck, as our insured was parking the car and she hit a concrete post.

State Farm® would like to give you an opportunity to inspect the 2004 Ford Escape and give you advance notice of our potential subrogation claim.

Please contact me at 503 454 3561, to set up a time for your inspection.

Michael D. Winchester/ EB

Sincerely,

Michael D. Winchester Claim Representative

503 454 3561

State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company

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VIN: 1FMCU94114K

Year: 2004

Name:

Owner Status: Original

Symptom Desc: SURGE ACCELERATION HOT ENGINE

Reason Desc: LEGAL - ACCIDENT / FIRE

Issue Type: 07 LEGAL

Issue Status: CLOSED

Model: ESCAPE

WSD: 2003-09-28 **Primary Phone** 

Secondary Phone:

Case:

Action: ADVISE CUST INFORMATION WILL BE SENT TO CONSUMER AFFAIRS

Dealer: 08575 THOMASON FORD

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE Comm Type: PHONE

Odometer: 9000 MI Analyst Name: ABBOTT LA TANYA

Analyst: LABBOTT4

Action Date: 03/10/2005

Action Time: 11.35.59.024

Action Data: Yes

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: -ACCIDENT HAPPENED AT MAR 5,2005 -WHEN TRYING TO GO INTO A PARKING LOT . THE JUMP FORWARD AND HIT A POLE BEAM -NO INJURIES -INSURANCE COMPANY SAID TO CALL FORD BEFORE THEY INVESTIGATED -NO REPORT WAS NOT FILED -THE VEH IS CURRENTLY AT OAK GROVE AUTO BODY -THE VEH IS REPAIRABLE-CUST BELIEVES THAT THE ACCIDENT IS RELATED TO THE RECALL FOR THE ACCELERATOR CABLE-CUST WOULD TO REPORT THE INCIDENT TO FORDDEALER SAID: NONECRC ADVISED: - I WILL FORWARD THIS INFORMATION TO OUR CONSUMER AFFAIRS GROUP, SOMEBODY FROM CONSUMER AFFAIRS WILL CONTACT YOU IN 2 BUSINESS DAYS. PLEASE NOTIFY YOUR INSURANCE CARRIER AND REPORT THIS INCIDENT,

Data	Element	Name
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Data Value

FIRE/ACCIDENT

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Action: MAKE OUTBOUND CALL TO CUSTOMER

Dealer: 08575 THOMASON FORD

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION

PREVENTION

Odometer: 9000 Mi

Analyst Name: PACE, GENNIFER

(G.)

Comm Type: MAIL

Analyst: GPACE5

Action Date: 03/14/2005

Action Time:

14.48.54.597

Action Data: No

Comments LPA LEFT A V-MAIL MESSAGE FOR CUSTOMER TO GIVE A CALL BACK REGARDING CONCERN.

Action: INFORMATIONAL CALL/FAX

Dealer: 08575 THOMASON FORD

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION

PREVENTION

Odometer: 9000 MI

Analyst Name: PACE, GENNIFER

(G.)

Comm Type: PHONE

Analyst: GPACE5

Action Date: 03/15/2005

Action Time:

14.24.01.529

Action Data: No

Comments CUSTOMER CALLED BACK AND STATED HE WAS INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT ON 3/5/05. HE STATES HE BELIEVES THE ACCIDENT WAS CAUSED BY RECALL 04S25. HE STATES THE VEHICLE IS CURRENTLY AT OAK GROVE AUTO BODY AWAITING REPAIRS. CUSTOMER STATES HIS INSURANCE COMPANY IS ALREADY INVOLVED. AND BELIEVES THEY HAVE FILED A SUBROGATION CLAIM. LPA ADVISED CUSTOMER TO CONTINUE TO WORK WITH THE INSURANCE COMPANY AND EXPLAINED THE SUBROGATION PROCESS.

Action: REFER TO INSURANCE CARRIER - INSURANCE COMPANY ALREADY INVOLVED

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - LITIGATION

3/22/2005

Dealer: 08575 THOMASON FORD

Odometer: 9000 MI

Comm Type: OTHER

Analyst: GPACE5

Analyst Name: PACE, GENNIFER

(G.)

Action Date: 03/15/2005

**Action Time:** 

14.26.02.274

Action Data: No

**PREVENTION** 

Comments CASE CLOSED ON 3/10/05. CUSTOMER INSURANCE COMPANY ALREADY INVOLVED.

#### All Action Details for Issue

Print

VIN: 1FMCU94114K

Year: 2004

Name:

Owner Status: Original

Symptom Desc: GENERAL INQUIRIES REQUEST/NON-VEHICLE RELATED

Reason Desc: RECALL/ONP - VEHICLE INVOLVEMENT

Issue Type: 02 INFORMATION

Issue Status: CLOSED

Model: ESCAPE Case:

WSD: 2003-09-28 Primary Phone:

Secondary Phone:

Action: ADVISE CUSTOMER OF RECALL/ONP; DOCUMENT CAMPAIGN NUMBER

Dealer: 08575 THOMASON FORD

Origin Desc: US INQUIRY CASE BASE Comm Type: PHONE

Odometer: 9000 MI Analyst Name: ABBOTT LA TANYA

Analyst: LABBOTT4

Action Date: 03/10/2005

Action Time: 11.37.59.197

Action Data: Yes

Comments CUSTOMER SAID: NONEDEALER SAID: NONECRC ADVISED: PLEASE CONTACT YOUR F/L/M DEALERSHIP TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT TO COMPLETE THE FSA/CSP. ADVISE THE CUSTOMER OF THE INFORMATION FOUND IN THE CUSTOMER LETTER ( OR THE SEARCH ENGINE Q&A). DOCUMENT ANY

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION YOU PROVIDE TO THE CUSTOMER.

Data Element Name	Data Value
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RECALL/ONP CAMPAIGN NUMBER	04S25
RECALL/ONP CAMPAIGN NUMBER	04C09



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OGC ISSUE CASE NBR: 418020528. ZONE: A04 REGION: C4 KANSAS CITY OPENED: 2011/03/29 1FMYU93124K VEH TYPE: T ENGINE: CLOSED: VIN-1 2011/03/29 LAST NAME: STATUS: CLOSED TITLE: FIRST NAME: MRS MI: ADDRESS: CITY: SILEX STATE: MO ZIP: HOME PHONE: MODEL YEAR: 2004 **ESCAPE** MODEL: MILEAGE: 250000 DEALER NAME: PRICE-GNADE FORD MER SALES CODE: P & A: F53341 02645 REASON CODE: 0796 LEGAL - ALLEGED INJURY SYMPTOMS: 104458 RESTRAINTS AIR BAG SYSTEM NON-DEPLOYMENT

ORIGIN: ACTION:

DOCUMENT:

CACI38

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US CONCERN CASE BASE COMMUNICATION: PHONE

CONTACT ADVANCED TO OGC

ANALYST: PMCMANU6 MCMANUS PATRICIA

DATE: 2011/03/29 TIME: 15,22.08: ACTION DATA/COMMENTS:

> CUSTOMER SAID: C/W: SPOUSE1, DATE OF THE ACCIDENT3/14/112. WHAT THE CUSTOMER IS ALLEGING THE PRODUCT DEFECT IS THAT CAUSED ACCIDENT=DRIVER SEAT AIR BAG DID NOT DEPLOY=HIT SO HARD THAT TIRES BLEW UP=CUST HAS HAD ONGOING ISSUE WITH VEH UNINTENDED ACCEL3. IF THERE WERE ANY INJURIES SUSTAINED=CUST BROKE HER BACK4, LOCATION OF THE VEHICLE WHEN THE ACCIDENT OCCURRED=DRIVING DOWN NORTH HIGHWAY 61 OUTSIDE TROY MISSOURIS. WHETHER OR NOT THERE WAS A POLICE REPORT FILED.=YES6. IF A POLICE REPORT WAS FILED. WHAT THE FINDINGS WERE.=UNKNOWN7. THE POLICE REPORT NUMBER AND THE CITY OR COUNTY IN WHICH THE REPORT WAS FILED.=LINCOLN COUNTY SHERIFF REPORT NUMBER CONTAC NUMBER FOR RESPONDING OFFICER 636-528-6100 X 34628. WHETHER OR NOT THE CUSTOMER HAS FILED A CLAIM WITH THEIR INSURANCE COMPANY.=YES9. IF A CLAIM HAS BEEN FILED WITH THE INSURANCE COMPANY, WHAT IS THE STATUS OF THE CLAIM.=REIMBURSED ON APPRAISAL OF VEH10. WHETHER OR NOT THE VEHICLE IS REPAIRABLE.=VEH WAS TOTALED11. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CUSTOMER'S ATTORNEY (ONLY IF THE CUSTOMER MENTIONS THEY HAVE SOUGHT ONE).=N/A12. WHAT THE CUSTOMER IS SEEKING =CUST CONCERNED ABOUT AIR BAGS NOT GOING OFF AND THE UNINTENDED ACCEL. HUSBAND SEEKING SOME RESTITUTION FOR THE FACT THAT CUST ENDED UP WITH BROKEN BACK, DEALER SAID: PRICE-GNADE FORD MERCURY, INC.255 JOHN DEERE DRIVEMOSCOW MILLS, MO 63362TEL:(636) 356-9000CRC ADVISED: I WILL FORWARD YOUR INFORMATION TO FORD'S OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL. YOU SHOULD RECEIVE A WRITTEN RESPONSE WITHIN 15 BUSINESS DAYS TO YOUR CONCERN.NOTE TO CCR: REMEMBER TO VERIFY ALL CUSTOMER CONTACT INFORMATION BEFORE SENDING ISSUE.=ADVISED CUST OF ABOVE

FORD MOTOR COMPANY RECEIVED CLAIMS UNIT

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OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL

CONSUMER AFFAIRS

03/30/2011 FAXOGC1 CONFIDENTIAL





#### Gallagher Bassett Services, Inc.

July 15, 2008

Ford Motor Company Claims Dept. P.O.Box 70 Dearborn, MI 48121-0070 Attn": Marcie Klemmer

RE:

Our Client:

Our Claim No:

D/A:

March 22, 2008

Dear Ms. Klemmer.

Inc. On the above captioned date, our valet driver was retrieving the above listed vehicle for the owners, when the gas pedal became stuck, causing the vehicle to thrust forward and accelerate. The vehicle was quickly placed into neutral to avoid a crash or any damage. The vehicle would no longer shift into reverse and was taken to an auto shop, where it was diagnosed with internal engine damage. An estimate was completed by an independent appraiser and the repairs were completed. During the course of the repairs, it was noted that there was a recall on the accelerator cable.

There were no signs of wear and tear on this vehicle at inspection. The repairs were completed and the vehicle returned to the owners.

It is our opinion that the thrust forward caused the internal engine issues. It is our opinion that this loss was caused due to an issue with the accelerator cable.

Please advise as to your decision.

Sincerely,

Carrie Canute

Claim Representative

Encl.

Yarnelli



Office of the General Counsel

PRIVILEGED & CONFIDENTIAL
Ford Motor Company
Claims Department
P.O. Box 70
Dearborn, Michigan 48121-0070

June 11, 2008

Gallagher Bassett Services, Inc.
540 Pellis Rd., Suite 3000
Greensburg, PA 15601
ATTENTION SADDIE CANUTE

ATTENTION: CARRIE CANUTE

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Your Insured:



DOL:

03/22/08

oil changes.

Dear Ms. Canute:

We acknowledge your recently submitted subrogation claim letter. In order to assist us in evaluating your claim, we request that you provide us with the following information: (Please note that the information requested is in regard to the Ford manufactured vehicle.)

$\boxtimes$	1.	Attach your insured's statement with a complete description of the incident, including events that
$\boxtimes$	2.	occurred prior to and subsequent to the loss.  A copy of the police and/or fire report.
$\boxtimes$	3.	Original color photographs of the vehicle's collision/fire damage & the alleged defective parts, from several different angles.
$\boxtimes$	4.	Original color photographs of the inside of the vehicle showing the steering wheel, dash and roof areas.
X	5.	Original color photographs of the accident / fire scene from several different angles.
$\boxtimes$	6.	Attach a copy of your expert's report and the expert's original color photographs.
	7.	Attach the repair estimate, repair order, or your total loss worksheet for the vehicle's damage and any losses associated with this incident, and copies of draft payments.
X	8.	Attach the complete service history for the subject vehicle, including any tune-ups or

Please answer the following in the space provided. If you need additional space, please use the back of the form;

· Q	What was the city and state of occurrence: Wheeling, WV
10.	The 17 digit vehicle identification number: 1FM y 4 92 173 kg
11.	What was the mileage at time of occurrence: 118, 228
12.	What is the alleged defect: accelerator cable became suck, Caused engineda
13.	Has the alleged defective part been repaired or replaced? (circle one) Yes or No

List all after market additions or modifications that were made to the vehicle:
Was the engine running? (circle one) Yes or No
Was the engine running? (circle one) (Yes or No  Were the keys in the ignition? (circle one) (Yes or No
Were the keys in the ignition? (circle one) (Yes or No

Once we are in receipt of the requested information, it will be reviewed and you will be notified of our decision concerning your claim. Should you not send all of the requested information and materials within 90 days, we will assume that you are not interested in pursuing a claim and we will close our file. Please note that your vehicle will not be inspected until all the above information has been submitted and a determination has been made as to whether an inspection is warranted.

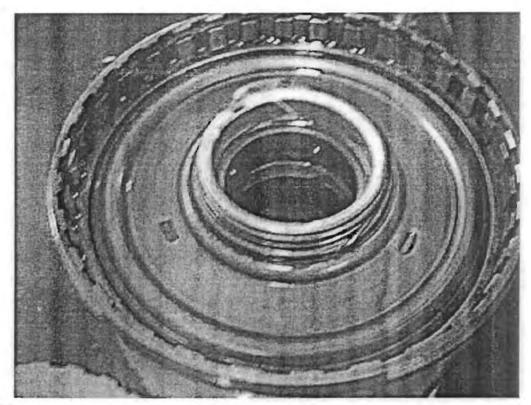
Please be advised that all necessary steps should be taken to ensure that the incident scene, the subject vehicle and all of its component parts are maintained and preserved. Ford Motor Company has the right to inspect the fire scene and the vehicle and remove and test any vehicle component part that you claim to be defective, and to be presented with the vehicle and the subject component part(s) at the time of trial, should litigation ensue from this informal claim.

If you propose to repair the vehicle for continued usage, such repairs may not be performed until after Ford Motor Company has inspected the vehicle and removed and tested any component part you claim to be defective or advised you in writing that it does not intend to perform such inspection and/or testing at this time. But even in that event, Ford Motor Company will insist that all components claimed to be defective are maintained and preserved for trial.

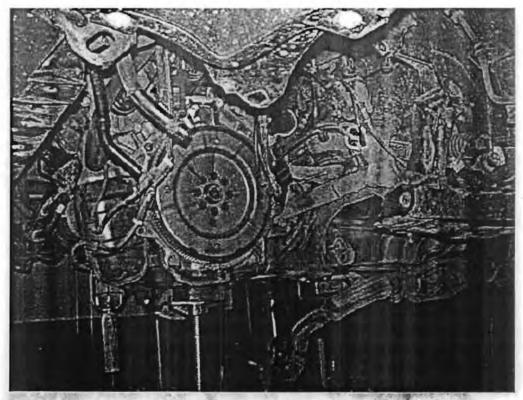
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Marcie Klemmer Claims Analyst

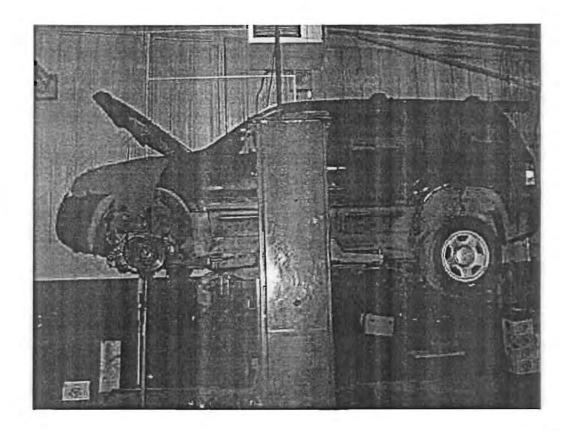
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#### Gallagher Bassett Services, Inc.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY RECEIVED GLAIMS UNIT

May 14, 2008

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OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL

Ford Motor Company Customer Service/ Claims P.O.Box 6248 Dearborn, MI 48126

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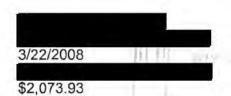
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Our Client: Date of Loss:

Location of Loss:

Amount of Loss:

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To Whom It May Concern:

We are placing you on notice of a loss for subrogation purposes.

Unknown

Our investigation into the claim has determined that Ford Motor Company may be negligent in causing this loss.

Enclosed, please find a copy of our subrogation supports.

At your convenience, I ask that you please assign this claim and have your representative contact me to discuss our theory of liability as well as resolution of this matter.

Sincerely,

Carrie Canute

Claim Representative

1-800-831-3247 ext 206

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Greensburg, PA 15601

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PRACTICE OF THE

Campaign Number: 04V574000 Date: 2004-Dec-07

Component: Vehicle Speed Control: Cables

Defect Summary: ON CERTAIN SPORT UTILITY VEHICLES BUILT WITH 3.0L V6 ENGINES, THE ACCELERATOR CABLE MAY PREVENT THE THROTTLE FROM RETURNING TO THE IDLE POSITION.

Consequence Summary: AN UNEXPECTED INCREASE IN ENGINE IDLE SPEED MAY INCREASE STOPPING DISTANCE AND MAY RESULT IN A VEHICLE CRASH.

Corrective Summary: DEALERS WILL REPLACE THE ACCELERATOR CABLE, THE RECALL BEGAN ON JANUARY 10, 2005, OWNERS SHOULD CONTACT FORD AT 1-866-436-7332.



### State Farm Insurance Companies



State Farm Insurance
Subrogation Services
PO Box 2371
Bloomington, IL 61702-2371

October 20, 2005

#### Certified Mail-Return Receipt Requested

Ford Motor Company 3 Parklane Blvd Ste 400 Dearborn, MI,48126



RE: Claim Number:

Our Insured:

Date of Loss:

January 8, 2005

Loss Location:

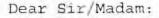
Antioch, TN

Vehicle:Ford, Escape

VIN: 1FMCU04162K

Your File Number:

Amount State Farm Paid: \$1585.00 Total payable to State Farm: \$1585.00



The above vehicle was involved in a loss due to stuck accelerator. We settled a claim with our insured in the amount listed above. Our investigation indicates the cause of the loss was due to accelerator getting stuck. This letter is notice of our claim for reimbursement.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Rebecca Tyler Claim Processor (877) 457-8276, Team 60 State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company

Enclosure: subrogation documents and photographs.

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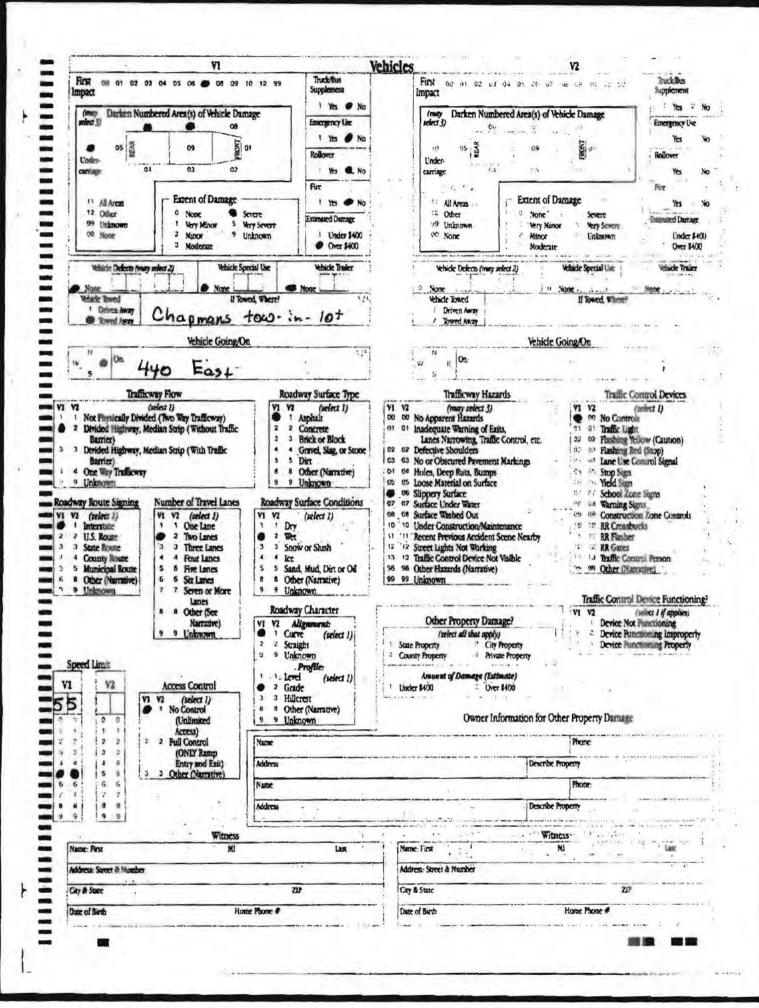
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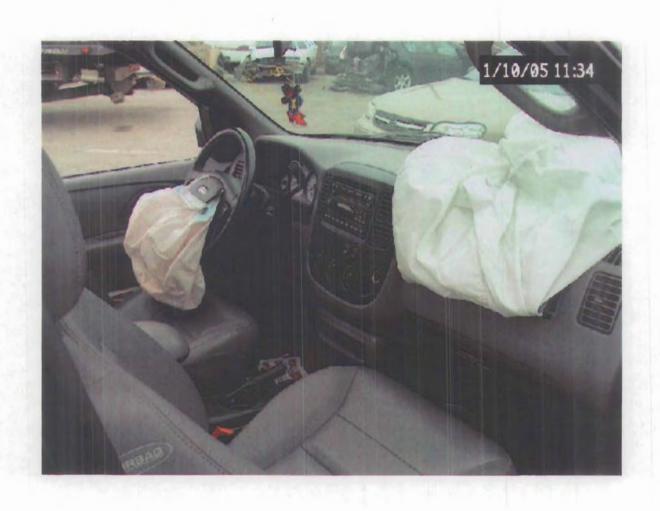
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#### STATE OF MICHIGAN

#### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CALHOUN

Plaintiff,

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FORD MOTOR COMPANY, a Delaware Corporation and ALBION MOTORS FORD MERCURY, INC., a Michigan Corporation, Jointly and Severally,

Defendants.

CONSUMER LEGAL SERVICES, P.C. MARK ROMANO P-44014 STEVEN S. TOTH P-44487 Attorneys for Plaintiff 30928 Ford Road Garden City, MI 48135 (734) 261-4700

There is no other civil action between these parties arising out of the same transaction or occurrence as alleged in this Complaint in this Court, nor has any such action been previously filed and dismissed or transferred after having been assigned to a judge, nor do I know of any other civil action not between these parties, arising out of the same transaction or occurrence as alleged in this Complaint that is either pending or was previously filed and dismissed, transferred or otherwise disposed of after having been assigned to a judge in this Court.

#### COMPLAINT AND JURY DEMAND

NOW COMES the Plaintiff, by and through Plaintiff's attorneys, CONSUMER LEGAL SERVICES, P.C., who complains against the above named Defendants as follows:

Plaintiff is a resident of the City of Linden, Genesee County, Michigan.

- 2. Defendant, Ford Motor Company (hereinafter referred to as "Manufacturer"), is a Delaware Corporation authorized to do business in the State of Michigan and, at all times relevant hereto, was engaged in the manufacture, sale distribution and/or importing of Ford Motor vehicles and related equipment, with its registered office in the City of Dearborn, Wayne County, Michigan.
- 3. Defendant, Albion Motors Ford Mercury, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as "Seller"), is a Michigan Corporation authorized to do business in the State of Michigan and, at all times relevant hereto, was an authorized agent for the Manufacturer, and was engaged in the business of selling and servicing Manufacturer's cars in the City of Albion, Calhoun County, Michigan.
- 4. On or about September 28, 2001, Plaintiff purchased a new 2002 Ford Escape, VIN 1FMYU04182K (hereinafter referred to as "2002 Escape"), from the Seller which was manufactured by the Manufacturer (see copy of the Retail Installment Contract attached as Exhibit A).
- 5. Along with the sale of the 2002 Escape Plaintiff received written warranties and other express and implied warranties including, by way of example and not by way of limitation, warranties from Manufacturer and Seller (Defendants are in possession of a copy of the written warranty).

6. Plaintiff has taken the 2002 Escape to the Manufacturer's authorized agents/dealers, including Seller, on at least six (6) separate occasions (see copy of repair orders attached as Exhibit B). By way of example, and not by way of limitation, the defects with Plaintiff's 2002 Escape include the following:

Date	Mileage	Invoice#	Complaint
03/11/02	1,705	59960	Fuel pedal binds; passenger front window rolls up out of track; driver side rear door has to be slammed to latch; <b>STRUCTURAL DEFECT</b> : passenger rear door will not open/unlatch
06/17/02	11,826	11697	STRUCTURAL DEFECT: passenger rear door lock loose; RATTLE NOISE: rattle in rear of truck; seat belt light on dash flashes; gas pedal sticks
08/15/02	15,005	13107	STRUCTURAL DEFECT: passenger side rear door handle/lock assembly coming loose; RATTLE NOISE: rattle in back; cruise control does not hold speed going up hill
09/09/02	16,451	13530	RATTLE NOISE: rear door hatch rattles; STRUCTURAL DEFECT: passenger rear door handle coming apart
09/30/02	17,306	13966	RATTLE NOISE: liftgate rattles and squeaks; STRUCTURAL DEFECT: left rear passenger door handle falls out
01/14/03	22,143	28465	Squeak noise from rear hatch when closing and opening; power window squeaks going up; cold air felt on feet on passenger side

 This cause of action arises out of Defendants' misrepresentations, various breaches of warranties, violations of statutes and breaches of covenants of good faith and fair dealing as hereinafter alleged.

8. The amount in controversy exceeds TWENTY FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$25,000.00), exclusive of interest and costs, for which Plaintiff seeks judgment against Defendants, together with equitable relief. In addition, Plaintiff seeks damages from Defendants for incidental, consequential, exemplary and actual damages including interest, costs, and actual attorneys' fees.

# COUNT I VIOLATION OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLE WARRANTIES ACT; MCL 257.1401 ET SEQ; MSA 9.2705

- Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained
   Paragraphs 1 through 8 as though herein fully restated and realleged.
- Plaintiff is a "consumer" under the Michigan New Motor Vehicle Warranties
   Act (hereinafter referred to as "Lemon Law"), MCL 257.1401(a).
  - 11. Manufacturer, is a "manufacturer" under the Lemon Law, MCL 257.1401(d).
- 12. The 2002 Escape is a "motor vehicle" under the Lemon Law, MCL 257.1401(f).
- 13 The 2002 Escape is a "new motor vehicle" under the Lemon Law, MCL 257.1401(g).
- 14. The express warranty given by Manufacturer, covering the 2002 Escape is a "manufacturer's express warranty" under the Lemon Law, MCLA 257.1401(e).
- 15. The Seller is a "new motor vehicle dealer" under the Lemon Law, MCLA 257.1401(h).
- 16. Plaintiff's 2002 Escape has been subject to a reasonable number of repair attempts for the aforementioned defects:

- (a) Said motor vehicle has been subject to at least four repair attempts by Defendant Manufacturer, through its new motor vehicle dealers, within 2 years of the date of the first attempt to repair the defect or condition; and/or
- (b) Said vehicle was out of service for 30 or more days within the time limit of the Manufacturer's express warranty and within one year from the date of delivery to Plaintiff.
- 17. After notifying Manufacturer of the aforementioned defects following the third repair attempt and/or 25 days in a repair facility, the Manufacturer was allowed a final repair attempt.
- Manufacturer's attempted repair was unsuccessful as the 2002 Escape continues to manifest the aforementioned defects.
- 19. The aforementioned defects substantially impair the use or value of the 2002 Escape to the Plaintiff and/or prevent the 2002 Escape from conforming to the Manufacturer's express warranty.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays for the following relief:

- A. Replacement of the 2002 Escape with a comparable replacement motor vehicle currently in production and acceptable to Plaintiff; or
- B. Manufacturer must accept return of the vehicle and refund to Plaintiff the purchase price including options or other modifications installed or made by or for manufacturer, the amount of all charges made by or for Manufacturer, towing charges and rental costs less a reasonable allowance for Plaintiff's use of the vehicle. In addition, pursuant to MCL 257.1403(4), the Manufacturer must pay off the balance on the retail installment contract unless consumer accepts a vehicle of comparable value.

- C. Pursuant to MCL 257.1407, Plaintiff is entitled to a sum equal to the aggregate amount of costs and expenses, including attorneys' fees based on actual time expended by Plaintiff's attorney in commencement and prosecution of this action.
  - Incidental and consequential damages.
  - E. For prejudgment interest.
  - F. For such other and further relief as may be justified in this action.

#### COUNT II BREACH OF CONTRACT

- 20. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 19 as though herein fully restated and realleged.
- 21. An express limited warranty covering 36 months or 36,000 miles of use, whichever occurred first, accompanied the delivery of the 2002 Escape to Plaintiff. The limited warranty provided the Seller would repair or adjust all parts (except tires) found to be defective in factory-supplied materials or workmanship.
- 22. The limited warranty, given by the Manufacturer and adopted by the Seller when the Seller serviced and repaired the 2002 Escape created a contractual relationship between the Manufacturer/Seller and Plaintiff.
- 23. The Manufacturer and Seller have breached the express limited warranty contract in that they have failed to repair or adjust defective parts covered under the limited warranty, have failed to do the same within the limited warranty coverage period, and within a reasonable time.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays for judgment against all Defendants:

- A. Damages incurred by Plaintiff created by Defendants' breach of contract, including all monies paid for the purchase of the 2002 Escape;
- B. For return of an amount equal to Plaintiff's down payment and all payments made by Plaintiff to the Defendants;
  - C. For incidental, consequential, exemplary and actual damages;
- D. To cancel Plaintiff's retail installment contract and pay off the balance of the contract:
  - E. For costs and expenses, interest, and actual attorneys' fees; and
  - F. Such other relief this Court deems appropriate.

# COUNT III VIOLATION OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE SERVICE AND REPAIR ACT MCLA 257.1301, ET SEQ.

- 24. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 23 as though fully restated and realleged.
  - 25. The Seller is a "motor vehicle repair facility" as defined by MCLA 257.1302(g)
- 26. The Seller is subject to the Motor Vehicle Service And Repair Act, MCLA 257.1301, et seg.
- 27. The Seller has engaged or attempted to engage in methods, acts, or practices which were unfair or deceptive under said Act and/or the rules in effect during the relevant time period herein pursuant to MCLA 257.1307, 257.1334, 157,1335, 257.1336, and 257.1337; and Michigan Administrative Rules 257.131 through 257.137 including, but not limited to:
- (a) Failing to reveal material facts, the omission of which tends to mislead
   or deceive the Plaintiff and which facts could not reasonably be known by Plaintiff;

- (b) Allowing Plaintiff to sign an acknowledgment, certificate or other writing which affirms acceptance, delivery, compliance with a requirement of law, or other performance, when the Seller, knows or had reason to know that the statement is not true;
- (c) Failing to promptly restore to the Plaintiff entitled thereto any deposit, down payment, or other payment when a contract is rescinded, canceled, or otherwise terminated in accordance with the terms of the contract or the Act;
- (d) Failing upon return of the 2002 Escape to the Plaintiff to give a written statement of repairs to the Plaintiff which discloses:
- (i) Repairs or services performed, including a detailed identification of all
  parts that were replaced and a specification as to which are new, used, rebuilt, or
  reconditioned; and
- (ii) A certification that authorized repairs were completely proper or a detailed explanation of an inability to complete repairs properly, to be signed by the owner of the facility or by a person designated by the owner to represent the facility and showing the name of the mechanic who performed the diagnosis and the repair.
- 28. As a result of the Seller's actions Plaintiff has suffered damages as set forth in the preceding Counts and is also entitled to statutory damages and attorneys' fees as provided in the Motor Vehicle Service and Repair Act, specifically MCLA 257.1336.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays for a judgment against the Seller in an amount to be determined by the trier of fact, but to exceed TWENTY FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$25,000.00), plus double damages and costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, and for such other and further relief as the Court deems appropriate.

## COUNT IV RESCISSION OF CONTRACT

- 29. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 28 as though herein fully restated and realleged.
- 30. An express limited warranty covering 36 months or 36,000 miles of use, whichever occurred first, accompanied the delivery of the 2002 Escape to Plaintiff. The limited warranty provided the Seller would repair or adjust all parts (except tires) found to be defective in factory-supplied materials or workmanship.
- 31. The limited warranty, given by the Manufacturer and adopted by the Seller when the Seller serviced and repaired the 2002 Escape created a contractual relationship between the Manufacturer/Seller and Plaintiff.
- 32. The Manufacturer and Seller have breached the express limited warranty contract in that they have failed to repair or adjust defective parts covered under the limited warranty, have failed to do the same within the limited warranty coverage period, and within a reasonable time.
- 33. The actions of the Manufacturer and Seller have resulted in a failure of consideration justifying the rescission of the contract.
- 34. Without a judicial declaration that the contract has been rescinded. Plaintiff will suffer irreparable and substantial harm if the consideration paid by Plaintiff and damages sustained by Plaintiff, together with interest, are not restored.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays for judgment and the following relief against all Defendants:

- A. That this Court order a rescission of the purchase and retail installment contract by refunding all monies paid by Plaintiff, terminating the retail installment contract, requiring Defendants to pay off the balance of the contract and ordering Plaintiff to return the 2002 Escape to the Defendants;
- B. Damages incurred by Plaintiff created by Defendants' breach of contract, including all monies paid for the purchase of the 2002 Escape;
- C. For return of an amount equal to Plaintiff's down payment and all payments made by Plaintiff to the Defendants;
  - D. For incidental, consequential, exemplary and actual damages;
  - E. For costs and expenses, interest, and actual attorneys' fees; and
  - F. Such other relief this Court deems appropriate.

# COUNT V VIOLATION OF THE MICHIGAN CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT MCLA 445.901 ET SEQ; MSA 19.418(1) ET SEQ.

- 35. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 34 as though herein fully restated and realleged.
- 36. Plaintiff is a "person" within the meaning of MCLA 445.902(c); MSA 19.418(2)(c).
- 37. Manufacturer and Seller are engaged in "trade or commerce" as defined in MCLA 445.902(d).
- 38. The Manufacturer and Seller have engaged in unlawful, unfair, unconscionable, or deceptive methods, acts or practices, including but not limited to:

- (a) The Manufacturer and Seller represented to Plaintiff the 2002 Escape and the warranty thereof had characteristics, uses, benefits, qualities, and standards which they did not actually have.
- (b) The Manufacturer and Seller represented to Plaintiff the 2002 Escape and the warranty thereof were of a particular quality and standard and they were not.
- (c) If Plaintiff allegedly waived a right, benefit, or immunity provided by law in purchasing the 2002 Escape, the Manufacturer and Seller have failed to clearly state the terms of such waiver and Plaintiff has not specifically consented to such waiver.
- (d) The Manufacturer and Seller have failed to restore an amount equal to Plaintiff's down payment and other payments made by Plaintiff on the 2002 Escape.
- (e) The Manufacturer and Seller have made gross discrepancies between the oral representations to Plaintiff and written agreements covering the same transaction relative to the 2002 Escape and the Manufacturer failed to provide the promised benefits to Plaintiff with regard thereto.
- (f) The Manufacturer and Seller have made representations of fact and/or statements of fact material to said transaction such that the Plaintiff reasonably believed that the represented or suggested standard, quality, characteristics, and uses of the 2002 Escape to be other than they actually were.
- (g) The Manufacturer and Seller have made representations of fact and/or statements of fact material to such transaction such that the Plaintiff reasonably believed that the represented or suggested service to the 2002 Escape to be other than it actually was.

- (h) The Manufacturer and Seller have failed to provide the promised benefits to Plaintiff with regard to the sale of the 2002 Escape to Plaintiff.
- 39. The Plaintiff has suffered loss and damages as a result of the aforesaid violations of the Consumer Protection Act.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays this Court enter a declaratory judgment as to the violations of the Michigan Consumer Protection Act and for judgment against Manufacturer and Seller for all damages Plaintiff has incurred, including reasonable attorneys' fees as provided by statute, together with interest, costs and expenses of this suit, and such other relief as this Court deems appropriate and equitable.

#### COUNT VI BREACH OF WRITTEN WARRANTY UNDER MAGNUSON-MOSS WARRANTY ACT

- 40. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 39 as though herein fully restated and realleged.
- 41. Plaintiff is a "consumer" as defined in the Magnuson-Moss Warranty Act (hereinafter referred to as the "Warranty Act") 15 USC 2301(3).
- 42. The Seller is a "supplier" and "warrantor" as defined by the Warranty Act, 15 USC 2301(4) and (5).
- 43. The Manufacturer is a "supplier" and "warrantor" as defined by the Warranty Act, 15 USC 2301(4) and (5).
- 44. The 2002 Escape is a "consumer product" as defined in the Warranty Act, 15 USC 2301(1).
  - 45. The 2002 Escape was manufactured, sold and purchased after July 4, 1975.

- 46. The express warranty given by the Manufacturer pertaining to the 2002 Escape is a "written warranty" as defined in the Warranty Act, 15 USC 2301(6).
- 47. The Seller is an authorized dealership/agent of the manufacturer designated to perform repairs on vehicles under Manufacturer's automobile warranties.
- 48. The above-described actions (failure to repair and/or properly repair the above-mentioned defects, etc.), including failure to honor the written warranty, constitute a breach of the written warranty by the Manufacturer and Seller actionable under the Warranty Act, 15 USC 2310(d)(1) and (2).

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays for judgment against Manufacturer and Seller:

- A. Declaring acceptance has been properly revoked by Plaintiff and for damages incurred in revoking acceptance;
  - B. For a refund of the purchase price paid by Plaintiff for the 2002 Escape;
- C. To cancel Plaintiff's retail installment contract and pay off the balance of the contract:
  - D. For consequential, incidental and actual damages;
  - E. For costs, interest and actual attorneys' fees; and
  - F. Such other relief this Court deems appropriate.

#### COUNT VII BREACH OF IMPLIED COVENANT OF GOOD FAITH AND FAIR DEALING

49. The Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 48 as though herein fully restated and realleged.

- 50. MCLA 440.1203 provides that "every contract or duty within this act imposes an obligation of good faith in its performance or enforcement."
- 51. Good faith is defined in the Michigan Uniform Commercial Code as "honesty in fact in the conduct or transaction concerned" [MCLA 440.1201(19)], and "in the case of a merchant means honesty in fact and the observance of reasonable commercial standards of fair dealing in the trade" [MCLA 4402103(1)(b)].
- 52. Implied in the agreement between the Plaintiff and all Defendants for purchase and/or repair of the 2002 Escape was a covenant of good faith and fair dealing between the parties, wherein Defendants impliedly covenanted they would deal with the Plaintiff fairly and honestly and do nothing to impair, interfere with, hinder or potentially injure the rights of Plaintiff with respect to:
- (i) the preparation, inspection, and processing of said vehicle prior to delivery to Plaintiff:
  - (ii) the delivery of said vehicle free from manufacturing or workmanship defects;
  - (iii) the repair of said vehicle using good workmanship.
- 53. Defendants have breached their covenants of good faith and fair dealing by their actions as previously set forth herein, and in refusing to deal honestly and fairly with Plaintiff regarding the express and implied warranties covering the 2002 Escape and the repair of the same.
- 54. The conduct of the Defendants as aforementioned is without just or reasonable cause, and the Defendants knew or now know that such conduct is contrary to the law and the terms and conditions of the express warranty on the 2002 Escape.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays that this Court award Plaintiff a judgment against all Defendants, in an amount equal to all monies paid on the 2002 Escape and for all damages, including consequential and exemplary damages, together with interest, costs and actual attorneys' fees reasonably incurred as provided for by the appropriate statute or rule, and for such other legal and equitable relief as this Court may deem proper in an amount to be determined by the trier of fact exceeding TWENTY FIVE

THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$25,000.00), and other relief this Court deems fair and equitable.

## COUNT VIII REVOCATION OF ACCEPTANCE

- 55. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 54 as though herein fully restated and realleged.
- 56. Plaintiff accepted the 2002 Escape without discovering the above defects due to the fact Plaintiff was reasonably induced to accept the vehicle by the difficulty of discovery of the above defects.
- 57. In the alternative, Plaintiff reasonably assumed, and Manufacturer and Seller represented, that all of the aforesaid defects and/or nonconformities would be cured within a reasonable time.
- 58. After numerous attempts by Defendants to cure, it has become apparent the nonconformities could not be seasonably cured.
- 59. The nonconformities substantially impaired the value of the 2002 Escape to the Plaintiff.

- 60. Plaintiff had previously notified Manufacturer and Seller of the nonconformities and Plaintiff's intent to revoke acceptance pursuant to MCLA 440.2608; MSA 19.2608 and demanded the refund of her purchase price for the 2002 Escape and out-of-pocket expenses (see copy of Plaintiff's revocation of acceptance letter attached as Exhibit C).
- 61. Manufacturer and Seller have nevertheless refused to accept return of the 2002 Escape and have refused to refund any part of the sum equal to the purchase price and out-of-pocket expenses incurred by Plaintiff.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays for judgment against Manufacturer and Seller

- A. Declaring acceptance has been properly revoked by Plaintiff and for damages incurred in revoking acceptance;
  - B. For a refund of the purchase price paid by Plaintiff for the 2002 Escape;
- C. To cancel Plaintiff's retail installment contract and pay off the balance of the contract:
  - D. For consequential, incidental and actual damages;
  - E. Costs, interest and actual attorneys' fees; and
  - F. Such other relief this Court deems appropriate.

## COUNT IX BREACH OF IMPLIED WARRANTY UNDER MAGNUSON-MOSS WARRANTY ACT

62. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 61 as though herein fully stated and realleged.

63. The above-described actions on the part of the Seller and Manufacturer constitute a breach of the implied warranties of merchantability actionable under the Warranty Act, 15 USC 2301(7), 2308, 2310(d)(1) and (2).

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays for judgment against Manufacturer and Seller:

- A. Declaring acceptance has been properly revoked by Plaintiff and for damages incurred in revoking acceptance;
  - B. For a refund of the purchase price paid by Plaintiff for the 2002 Escape;
- C. To cancel Plaintiff's retail installment contract and pay off the balance of the contract:
  - D. For consequential, incidental and actual damages;
  - E. For costs, interest and actual attorneys' fees; and
  - F. Such other relief this Court deems appropriate.

## COUNT X BREACH OF EXPRESS WARRANTY

- 64. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 63 as though herein fully restated and realleged.
- 65. Plaintiff is a "buyer" under the Michigan Uniform Commercial Code, MCLA 440.2103; MSA 19.2103.
- 66. Manufacturer and Seller are "sellers" under the Michigan Uniform Commercial Code, MCLA 440.2103; MSA 19.2103.
- 67. The 2002 Escape constitutes "goods" under the Michigan Uniform Commercial Code, MCLA 440.2105; MSA 2105.

- 68. This is a "transaction in goods", to which MCLA 440.2102; MSA 19.2105 is applicable.
- 69. Plaintiff's purchase of the 2002 Escape was accompanied by an express warranty, written and otherwise offered by the Manufacturer and Seller. Whereby said warranty was part of the basis of the bargain of the contract, upon which Plaintiff relied, between Plaintiff and Manufacturer/Seller for its sale of the vehicle.
- 70. In this express warranty, the Manufacturer warranted if any defects were discovered within certain periods of time, the Manufacturer and/or Seller would provide repair of the 2002 Escape free of charge to Plaintiff under specific terms as stated in the express warranty.
- 71. In fact, Plaintiff discovered the 2002 Escape had defects and problems after Plaintiff purchased the vehicle as discussed above.
  - Plaintiff notified Manufacturer and Seller of the aforementioned defects.
- 73. Plaintiff has provided the Seller and the Manufacturer with sufficient opportunities to repair or replace the 2002 Escape.
- 74. Plaintiff has reasonably met all obligations and pre-conditions as provided in the express warranty.
- 75. The Manufacturer and Seller have failed to adequately repair the 2002 Escape and/or have not repaired the 2002 Escape in a timely fashion, and the 2002 Escape remains in a defective condition.

- 76. Even though the express warranty provided to Plaintiff limited Plaintiff's remedy to repair and/or adjust defective parts, the 2002 Escape's defects have rendered the limited warranty ineffective to the extent the limited remedy of repair and/or adjustment of defective parts failed of its essential purpose pursuant to MCLA 440.2719(2); MSA 19.2719(2); and/or the above remedy is not the exclusive remedy under MCLA 440.2719(1)(b); MSA 19.2719(1)(b).
- 77. The 2002 Escape continues to contain defects which substantially impair the value of the automobile to the Plaintiff.
- 78. These defects could not reasonably have been discovered by the Plaintiff prior to Plaintiff's acceptance of the 2002 Escape.
- 79. The Manufacturer and Seller induced Plaintiff's acceptance of the 2002 Escape by agreeing, by means of the express warranty, to remedy, within a reasonable time, those defects which had not been or could not have been discovered prior to acceptance.
- 80. As a result of its many defects, the Plaintiff has lost faith and confidence in the 2002 Escape and the Plaintiff cannot reasonably rely upon the vehicle for the ordinary purpose of safe, efficient transportation.
- 81. If the finder of fact finds revocation and/or rejection was improper, then, in the alternative, Plaintiff alleges that as of the date of revocation, the 2002 Escape was in substantially the same condition as at delivery except for damage caused by its own defects and ordinary wear and tear. Therefore, Plaintiff is entitled to damages for breach of warranty calculated by the difference at the time and place of acceptance between the value of the goods accepted and the value they would have had if they had been as warranted.

82. The Manufacturer and Seller have refused Plaintiff's demands and have refused to provide Plaintiff with the remedies to which Plaintiff is entitled pursuant to MCLA 440.2313; MSA 19.2313 and MCLA 440.2711, 440.2714 and 440.2715; MSA 19.2711, 19.2714 and 19.2715.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays for judgment against Manufacturer and Seller:

- A. Declaring acceptance has been properly revoked by Plaintiff and for damages incurred in revoking acceptance;
  - B. For a refund of the purchase price paid by Plaintiff for the 2002 Escape;
- C. To cancel Plaintiff's retail installment contract and pay off the balance of the contract;
  - D. For incidental, consequential and actual damages;
  - E. For costs, interest and actual attorneys' fees; and
  - F. For such other relief this Court deems appropriate.

## COUNT XI BREACH OF IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY

- 83. Plaintiff incorporates herein by reference each and every allegation contained in Paragraphs 1 through 82 as though herein fully restated and realleged.
- 84. The Manufacturer and Seller are "merchants" with respect to automobiles under the Michigan Uniform Commercial Code, MCLA 440.2104; MSA 19.2104.
- 85. The 2002 Escape was subject to implied warranties of merchantability under MCLA 440.2314; MSA 19.2314, running from the Manufacturer and the Seller to the benefit of Plaintiff.

- 86. The 2002 Escape was not fit for the ordinary purpose for which such goods are used.
- 87. The defects and problems hereinbefore described rendered the 2002 Escape unmerchantable.
- 88. The Manufacturer and Seller failed to adequately remedy the defects in the 2002 Escape; and the 2002 Escape continues to be in an unmerchantable condition at the time of revocation.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays for judgment against Manufacturer and Seller:

- A. Declaring acceptance has been properly revoked and for damages incurred in revoking acceptance;
  - For damages occasioned by the breach of the implied warranty;
  - C. For a refund of the purchase price paid by Plaintiff for the 2002 Escape;
- D. To cancel Plaintiff's retail installment contract and pay off the balance of the contract;
  - E. For consequential, incidental and actual damages;
  - F. Costs, interest and actual attorneys' fees; and
  - G. Such other relief this Court deems appropriate.

#### JURY DEMAND

Plaintiff demands trial by jury on all issues triable as such.

Respectfully submitted,

CONSUMER LEGAL SERVICES, P.C.

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Dated: January 23, 2003

MICHIGAN SIMPLE INTEREST VEHICLE RETAIL INSTALMENT CONTRACT

tweer (and Co-Bovar) Name and Address (Including Ocunty and Zip Code)	ALBION MOTURE FORD MERCURY, INC.
LINDRIN, MI	1411 N EATON STREET PO BOX 218 ALBION, MI 49224

You, the Buyer (and Co-Buyer, if any), may buy the vehicle described below for cash or on credit. The cash price is shown below as "Cash Price." The credit price is shown below as "Total Sale Price." By signing this contract, you choose to buy the vehicle on credit under the agreements on the front and back of this contract.

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COMMERCIAL OR AGRICULTURAL USE CONTRACTS: If you purchased the vehicle for commercial or agricultural use, you must pay a late charge on the portion of each payment received more than 10 days late of 7.5 parcent of the late amount or \$50.00, whichever is less.

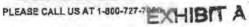
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Warning: The insurance afforded hereunder does not cover liability for injury to persons or damage to property of others unless so indicated hereon.

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IMPORTANT

You may receive a customer

satisfaction survey from Ford Motor Co. in the next

few weeks. If for any reason

you cannot grade us "Completely Satisfied," please

contact our Service Manager,

John McLellan, immediately.

Your satisfaction is our number 1

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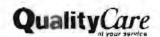
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DEALER REGISTRATION NO. F102880

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January 23, 2003

Mr. William H. Vann Albion Motors Ford Mercury, Inc. 1411 N. Eaton St. Albion, MI 49224

RE: 2002 Ford Escape, VIN: 1FMYU04182K

Dear Mr. Vann:

Please be advised that I represent regarding the sale of the above-referenced vehicle purchased at Albion Motors Ford Mercury, Inc. on or about September 28, 2001. pursuant to the Michigan Uniform Commercial Code, which covers breach of express and implied warranties, revocation of acceptance and other rights and remedies, the Michigan New Motor Vehicle Warranties Act (commonly referred to as the "Lemon Law"), the Michigan Consumer Protection Act, the Federal Magnuson-Moss Warranty Act and other rights and remedies, does hereby revoke acceptance of the 2002 Escape and is prepared to file suit to effect revocation of acceptance, cancellation of the sale, return of the vehicle, and payment to her of all monies expended, putting her back in the position she was prior to the contract.

intends to hold Albion Motors Ford Mercury, Inc. and Ford Motor Company liable for all other foreseeable damages due to the nonconforming vehicle, including actual attorneys' fees incurred with enforcing her rights pursuant to the following: M.C.L.A. 445.911 Sec. 11(b)(2), 15 USC 2310(d)(2), M.C.L.A. 257.1407(2), M.C.L.A. 440.2715(1) Cady v. Dick Loehr's, 100 Mich App 543; 299 NW2d 69 (1980), MCLA 600.2919a.

Mr. William H. Vann January 23, 2003 Page 2

Since the date took delivery, the vehicle has been in for repairs on at least six (6) different occasions.

Please be advised that we are asserting an attorney's lien on any and all proceeds in this matter. All further communications with must be directed through my office.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.

Very truly yours,

CONSUMER LEGAL SERVICES, P.C.

Steven S. Toth, Esq.

SST/cl

CC:

Last Handling Date/ Issue Status

1/30/2003 CLOSED

Name/ Reason Desc

CI - DEMAND LETTER

**ISSUE LIST** 

Vin/ Case No.

1FMYU04182K 354842912 Model Year and Vehicle Line Issue Type

2002 ESCAPE

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#### All Action Details for Issue

Print

VIN: 1FMYU04182K

Year: 2002

Model: ESCAPE

Case:

Name:

Owner Status: Original Symptom Desc: VIBRATION RPM RELATED

WSD: 2001-09-28

Primary Phone:

Reason Desc: CI - DEMAND LETTER

Issue Type: 04 REGION

Issue Status: CLOSED

Secondary Phone:

Action: OPEN REGION CONTACT

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - CONSUMER

INTERVENTION

Odometer: 17306 MI

Dealer: 08666 SZOTT FORD

Comm Type: MAIL

Analyst Name: KIMONIQUE BROUSTER

Analyst: KBROUSTE

Action Time:

Action Date: 10/18/2002

09.51.22.919

Action Data: No

Comments \*\*\* DEMAND LETTER DATED 10/14/02 \*\*\* \*\*\*\*CI RECEIVED 10/17/02 \*\*\*\* \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*CUSTOMER STATES: VEHICLE HAS RATTELING FROM THE REAR OF THE VEHICLE, STATES THAT 3 ATTEMPTS HAVE BEEN MADE, BUT THE RATTLE IS STILL THERE. \*\*\*CUSTOMER SEEKS: FINAL RESOLUTION \*\*\*CI SCANNED COPY OF THE LETTER TO THE REGIONAL OFFICES FOR REVIEW. SENT THE CUSTOMER AN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT\*\*\*

Action: LETTER FAXED TO REGION

Dealer: 08666 SZOTT FORD

Origin Desc: CONSUMER AFFAIRS - CONSUMER

INTERVENTION

Odometer: 17306 MI

Comm Type: FAX

Analyst Name: KIMONIQUE BROUSTER

Analyst: KBROUSTE

Action Date: 10/18/2002

Action Time: 09.59.28.754

Action Data: Yes

Comments NO COMMENTS AVAILABLE

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REGION NUMBER

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DATE RECEIVED TIME RECEIVED

10-17-2002 09:38:00 10-18-2002

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Action: FORD COVERED REPAIR MADE - WARRANTY

Dealer: 08666 SZOTT FORD

Origin Desc: FIELD ORGANIZATION

Odometer: 17306 MI

Analyst Name: FERGUSON, ANGELA (A.)

Comm Type: VISIT Analyst: AFERGUS6

Action Date: 01/30/2003

Action Time: 09.41.56.878

Action Data: No

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CIVIL CASE COVER SHEET	Complex Case Designation	CASE NUM
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Auto (22)	Breach of contract/warranty (06)	(Cal. Rules of Court, rules 1800-1812)
Uninsured motorist (46)	Collections (09)	Antitrus/Trade regulation (03)
Other PI/PD/WD (Personal Injury/Property		
Damage/Wrongful Death) Tort	i Insurance coverage (18)	Construction defect (10)
	Other contract (37)	Mass tort (40)
Asbestos (04)	Real Property	Securities litigation (28)
Product liability (24)	Eminent domain/Inverse	Environmental/Toxic tort (30)
Medical malpractice (45)	condemnation (14)	Insurance coverage claims arising from the
Other PI/PD/WD (23)		above listed provisionally complex case
Non-PI/PD/WD (Other) Tort	Wrongful eviction (33)	types (41)
	Other real property (26)	Enforcement of Judgment
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Civil rights (08)		
Defamation (13)	Commercial (31)	Miscellaneous Civil Complaint
Fraud (16)	Residential (32)	RICO (27)
Intellectual property (19)	Drugs (38)	Other complaint (not specified above) (42)
Professional negligence (25)	Judicial Review	
	Asset forfeiture (05)	Miscellaneous Civil Petition
Other non-PI/PD/WD tort (35)	Petition re: arbitration award (11)	Partnership and corporate governance (21
Employment	Writ of mandate (02)	Other petition (not specified above) (43)
Wrongful termination (36)		
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<ul> <li>File this cover sheet in addition to any co</li> <li>If this case is complex under rule 1800 e</li> </ul>	t seq. of the California Rules of Court, yo	u must serve a copy of this cover sheet on all
other parties to the action or proceeding		
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#### SUMI NS (CITACION JUDICIAL)

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: (AVISO AL DEMANDADO):

FORD MOTOR COMPANY, FORD MOTOR CREDIT COMPANY, CORNING FORD and Does 1-100.

YOU ARE BEING SUED BY PLAINTIFF: (LO ESTÁ DEMANDANDO EL DEMANDANTE): FOR COURT USE ONLY (SOLO PARA USO DE LA CORTE)

Carylly Answer

You have 30 CALENDAR DAYS after this summons and legal papers are served on you to file a written response at this court and have a copy served on the plaintiff. A letter or phone call will not protect you. Your written response must be in proper legal form if you want the court to hear your case. There may be a court form that you can use for your response. You can find these court forms and more information at the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), your county law library, or the courthouse nearest you. If you cannot pay the filing fee, ask the court clerk for a fee waiver form. If you do not file your response on time, you may lose the case by default, and your wages, money, and property may be taken without further warning from the court.

There are other legal requirements. You may want to call an attorney right away. If you do not know an attorney, you may want to call an attorney referral service. If you cannot afford an attorney, you may be eligible for free legal services from a nonprofit legal services program. You can locate these nonprofit groups at the California Legal Services Web site (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), the California Courts Online Self-Help Center (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp), or by contacting your local court or county bar association.

Tiene 30 DÍAS DE CALENDARIO después de que le entreguen esta citación y papeles legales para presentar una respuesta por escrito en esta corte y hacer que se entregue una copia al demandante. Una carta o una llamada telefónica no lo protegen. Su respuesta por escrito tiene que estar en formato legal correcto si desea que procesen su caso en la corte. Es posible que haya un formulario que usted pueda usar para su respuesta. Puede encontrar estos formularios de la corte y más información en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp/espanol/), en la biblioteca de leyes de su condado o en la corte que le quede más cerca. Si no puede pagar la cuota de presentación, pida al secretario de la corte que le dé un formulario de exención de pago de cuotas. Si no presenta su respuesta a tiempo, puede perder el caso por incumplimiento y la corte le podrá quitar su sueldo, dinero y bienes sin más advertencia.

Hay otros requisitos legales. Es recomendable que llame a un abogado inmediatamente. Si no conoce a un abogado, puede llamar a un servicio de remisión a abogados. Si no puede pagar a un abogado, es posible que cumpla con los requisitos para obtener servicios legales gratuitos de un programa de servicios legales sin fines de lucro. Puede encontrar estos grupos sin fines de lucro en el sitio web de California Legal Services, (www.lawhelpcalifornia.org), en el Centro de Ayuda de las Cortes de California, (www.courtinfo.ca.gov/selfhelp/espanol/) o poniéndose en contacto con la corte o el colegio de abogados locales.

The name and address of the court is: (El nombre y dirección de la corte es):

Superior Court of California, County of BUTTE

655 OLEANDER

CHICO, CA 95926

CASE NUMBER: (Número del Caso).

The name, address, and telephone number of plaintiff's attorney, or plaintiff without an attorney, is: (El nombre, la dirección y el número de teléfono del abogado del demandante, o del demandante que no tiene abogado, es): KENNETH P. ROYE #42572 530-342-9441

116 W. 2ND STREET, STE. P. O. BOX 4982

CHICO, CA 95927

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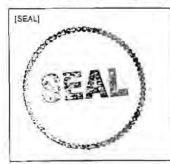
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(Para prueba de entrega de esta citatión use el formulario Proof of Service of Summons, (POS-010)). NOTICE TO THE PERSON SERVED: You are served



on behalf of (specify):

CCP 416.60 (minor)

Deputy

(Adjunto)

CCP 416.10 (corporation)

as an individual defendant.

CCP 416.20 (defunct corporation) CCP 416.40 (association or partnership)

as the person sued under the fictitious name of (specify):

CCP 416.70 (conservatee) CCP 416.90 (authorized person)

other (specify): by personal delivery on (date)

Page 1 of 1 Code of Civil Procedure §§ 412.20, 465

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SUMMONS

#### INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO COMPLETE THE COLER SHEET

To Plaintiffs and Others Filing First Papers

If you are filing a first paper (for example, a complaint) in a civil case, you must complete and file, along with your first paper, the Civil Case Cover Sheet contained on page 1. This information will be used to compile statistics about the types and numbers of cases filed. You must check all five items on the sheet. In item 1, you must check one box for the case type that best describes the case. If the case fits both a general and a more specific type of case listed in item 1, check the more specific one. If the case has multiple causes of action, check the box that best indicates the primary cause of action. To assist you in completing the sheet, examples of the cases that belong under each case type in item 1 are provided below. A cover sheet must be filed only with your initial paper. You do not need to submit a cover sheet with amended papers. Failure to file a cover sheet with the first paper filed in a civil case may subject a party, its counsel, or both to sanctions under rules 201.8(c) and 227 of the California Rules of Court.

To Parties in Complex Cases

In complex cases only, parties must also use the Civil Case Cover Sheet to designate whether the case is complex. If a plaintiff believes the case is complex under rule 1800 of the California Rules of Court, this must be indicated by completing the appropriate boxes in items 1 and 2. If a plaintiff designates a case as complex, the cover sheet must be served with the complaint on all parties to the action. A defendant may file and serve no later than the time of its first appearance a joinder in the plaintiff's designation, a counter-designation that the case is not complex, or, if the plaintiff has made no designation, a designation that the case is complex.

Auto Tort

Auto (22)—Personal Injury/Property Damage/Wrongful Death Uninsured Motorist (46) (if the case involves an uninsured motorist claim subject to arbitration, check this item instead of Auto)

Other PI/PD/WD (Personal Injury/ Property Damage/Wrongful Death) Tort

Asbestos (04) Asbestos Property Damage Asbestos Personal Injury/ Wrongful Death

Product Liability (not asbestos or toxic/environmental) (24) Medical Malpractice (45)

Medical Malpractice-Physicians & Surgeons Other Professional Health Care Malpractice

Other PI/PD/WD (23)

Premises Liability (e.g., slip and fall)

Intentional Bodily Injury/PD/WD (e.g., assault, vandalism) Intentional Infliction of

**Emotional Distress** Negligent Infliction of **Emotional Distress** Other PI/PD/WD

Non-PI/PD/WD (Other) Tort Business Tort/Unfair Business

Practice (07) Civil Rights (e.g., discrimination, false arrest) (not civil

harassment) (08) Defamation (e.g., slander, libel)

(13)Fraud (16)

Intellectual Property (19) Professional Negligence (25)

Legal Malpractice Other Professional Malpractice (not medical or legal)

Other Non-PI/PD/WD Tort (35)

Employment

Wrongful Termination (36) Other Employment (15)

CASE TYPES AND EXAMPLES Contract

Breach of Contract/Warranty (06) Breach of Rental/Lease Contract (not unlawful detainer or wrongful eviction)

Contract/Warranty Breach-Plaintiff (not fraud or negligence)
Negligent Breach of Contract

Warranty Other Breach of Contract/Warranty Collections (e.g., money owed, open book accounts) (09)

Collection Case—Seller Plaintiff Other Promissory Note/Collections Case

Insurance Coverage (not provisionally complex) (18) Auto Subrogation

Other Coverage Other Contract (37) Contractual Fraud Other Contract Dispute

Real Property

Eminent Domain/Inverse Condemnation (14) Wrongful Eviction (33)

Other Real Property (e.g., quiet title) (26) Writ of Possession of Real Property Mortgage Foreclosure Quiet Title

Other Real Property (not eminent domain, landlord/tenant, or foreclosure)

Unlawful Detainer

Commercial (31) Residential (32)

Drugs (38) (if the case involves illegal drugs, check this item; otherwise, report as Commercial or Residential.)

Judicial Review

Asset Forfeiture (05) Petition Re: Arbitration Award (11)

Writ of Mandate (02) Writ—Administrative Mandamus

Writ-Mandamus on Limited Court Case Matter Writ-Other Limited Court Case

Review

Other Judicial Review (39) Review of Health Officer Order Notice of Appeal—Labor Commissioner Appeals

Provisionally Complex Civil Litigation (Cal. Rules of Court Rule 1800-1812)

Antitrust/Trade Regulation (03) Construction Defect (10) Claims Involving Mass Tort (40)

Securities Litigation (28) Toxic Tort/Environmental (30) Insurance Coverage Claims

(arising from provisionally complex case type listed above) (41)

Enforcement of Judgment Enforcement of Judgment (20)

Abstract of Judgment (Out of County)

Confession of Judgment (nondomestic relations) Sister State Judgment Administrative Agency Award

(not unpaid taxes) Petition/Certification of Entry of Judgment on Unpaid Tax

Other Enforcement of Judgment Case

Miscellaneous Civil Complaint

RICO (27) Other Complaint (not specified above) (42)

Declaratory Relief Only

Injunctive Relief Only (nonharassment)

Mechanics Lien

Other Commercial Complaint Case (non-tort/non-complex) Other Civil Complaint

(non-tort/non-complex)

Miscellaneous Civil Petition Partnership and Corporate

Governance (21) Other Petition (not specified above)

(43)

Civil Harassment Workplace Violence Elder/Dependent Adult Abuse

**Election Contest** 

Petition for Name Change Petition for Relief from Late

Claim

Other Civil Patition

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CIVIL CASE COVER SHEET

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Form Approved for Optional Use Judicial Council of California 982,1(1) [Rev. July 1, 2002]

COMPLAINT — Personal Injury, Property Damage, Wrongful Death



Code of Civil Procedure, § 425.12

SHORT TITLE: vs. Ford Motor Company	CASE NUMBER:
4. Plaintiff (name): is doing business under the fictitious name (specify):	42
and has complied with the fictitious business name laws.	
5. Each defendant named above is a natural person a. x except defendant (name): FORD MOTOR COMPANY	c. X except defendant (name): FORD MOTOR CREDIT COMPANY
<ul> <li>(1) X a business organization, form unknown</li> <li>(2) a corporation</li> <li>(3) an unincorporated entity (describe);</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(1) X a business organization, form unknown</li> <li>(2) a corporation</li> <li>(3) an unincorporated entity (describe):</li> </ul>
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Information about additional defendants who are not nat  6. The true names and capacities of defendants sued as Does	
7. Defendants who are joined pursuant to Code of Civil Pro	
7 Determants who are joined parsuant to code of Civil Fit	Joseph Jeconom 502 die (mannes).
8. This court is the proper court because	
<ul> <li>a. X at least one defendant now resides in its jurisdiction</li> <li>b. X the principal place of business of a defendant corpo</li> <li>c. X injury to person or damage to personal property occ</li> <li>d. other (specify):</li> </ul>	ration or unincorporated association is in its jurisdictional area.
9. Plaintiff is required to comply with a claims statute, and a. plaintiff has complied with applicable claims statutes b. plaintiff is excused from complying because (specify)	s, or

SHORT THLE: vs. Ford Motor Company	CASE NUMBER:
10. The following causes of action are attached and the statements above apply causes of action attached):  a Motor Vehicle  b General Negligence  c Intentional Tort  d. X Products Liability  e Premises Liability  f. X Other (specify): Breach of Warranty, Negligence	to each (each complaint must have one or more
11. Plaintiff has suffered  a. x wage loss  b. x loss of use of property  c. x hospital and medical expenses  d. x general damage  e. x property damage  f. x loss of earning capacity  g. x other damage (specify): Plaintiff Gregory Wickert  Gregory and Joyce Wickert - Breach of Warranty	- Loss of Consortium Plaintiffs
12 The damages claimed for wrongful death and the relationships of pla a listed in Complaint — Attachment 12. b as follows:	intiff to the deceased are
13. The relief sought in this complaint is within the jurisdiction of this court.	
14. PLAINTIFF PRAYS for judgment for costs of suit; for such relief as is fair, julia.  a. (1) _x compensatory damages (2) _x punitive damages b. The amount of damages is (you must check (1) in cases for personal injulin) (1) _x according to proof (2) in the amount of: \$ 0.00	
15. The paragraphs of this complaint alleged on information and belief are	e as follows (specify paragraph numbers):
Date: March 1, 2006	11/1/
Kenneth P. Roye	(SIGNATURE OF BLAINTIEF OR ATTORNEY)

SHORT TITLE:		vs. Ford et al			CASE NUMBER:
First	(number)	CAUSE OF	ACTION - P	roducts Liability	Page 4
ATTACH		Complaint Cro	ss-Complaint		
(Use a se	parate cause	of action form for each c	ause of action.)		
Plaintiff (n	ame):				
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			nt which o	2003 FORD ESCA	APE XLS
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	c. x	sold the product to the p	oublic (names):	Corning Ford, Fo	ord Motor Credit Company
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Prod.L-7.		fendants who are liable ted in Attachment-Prod.		ther reasons and the reas	sons for the liability are
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Form Approved by the Judicial Council of California Effective January 1, 1982 Rule 902,1(6) Optional Form CAUSE OF ACTION - Products Liability

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Form Adopted for Mandatory Use Judicial Council of California CM-110 [Rev. January 1, 2005]

CASE MANAGEMENT STATEMENT

THOMSON \* WEST Cal. Rules of Court, rule 212

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SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF BUTTE

# ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION PACKET

SHAROL H. STRICKLAND

Court Executive Officer

Superior Court of California, County of Butte

655 Oleander Avenue
Chico CA 95926-3988

Phone: (530)892-0849 (530)532-7009

This packet contains information regarding Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) and the form to stipulate to ADR.

Note: This packet must be served to the opposing party along with the complaint. (California Rule of Court 201.9)

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STIPULATION & ORDER TO USE OF ADR PROCESS

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# YOU DON'T HAVE TO SUE: Here Are Some Other Ways to Resolve a Civil Dispute

#### INTRODUCTION

Did you know that most civil lawsuits settle without a trial? And, did you know that there are a number of ways to resolve civil disputes without having to sue somebody? These alternatives to a lawsuit are known as alternative dispute resolution (ADR). The most common forms of ADR are mediation, arbitration, and case evaluation. There are a number of other kinds of ADR as well.

In ADR, trained, impartial persons decide disputes or help parties decide disputes themselves. These persons are called neutrals. For example, in mediation, the neutral is the mediator. Neutrals normally are chosen by the disputing parties or by the court. Neutrals can help parties resolve disputes without having to go to court. ADR is not new. ADR is available in many communities, through dispute resolution programs and private neutrals.

# ADVANTAGES OF ADR

ADR can have a number of advantages over a lawsuit.

- ADR can be speedier. A dispute often can be resolved in a matter of months, even weeks, through ADR, while a lawsuit can take years.
- ADR can save money. Court costs, attorneys fees, and expert fees can be saved.
- ADR can permit more participation. The parties may have more chances to tell their side of the story than in court and may have more control over the outcome.
- ADR can be flexible. The parties can choose the ADR process that is best for them. For example, in mediation the parties may decide how to resolve their dispute.
- ADR can be cooperative. This means that the parties having a dispute may work together with the neutral to resolve the dispute and agree to a remedy that makes sense to them, rather than work against each other.
- ADR can reduce stress. There are fewer, if any, court appearances. And because ADR can be speedier, and save money, and because the parties are normally cooperative, ADR is easier on the nerves. The parties don't have a lawsuit hanging over their heads for years.
- ADR can be more satisfying. For all the above reasons, many people have reported a high degree of satisfaction with ADR.

Because of these advantages, many parties choose ADR to resolve a dispute, instead of filing a lawsuit. Even when a lawsuit has been filed, the court can refer the dispute to a neutral before the parties' positions harden and the lawsuit becomes costly. ADR has been used to resolve disputes even after a trial, when the result is appealed.

# DISADVANTAGES OF ADR

ADR may not be suitable for every dispute.

- If ADR is binding, the parties normally give up most court protections, including a decision by a judge of jury under formal rules of evidence and procedure, and review for legal error by an appellate court.
- There generally is less opportunity to find out about the other side's case with ADR than with litigation.
   ADR may not be effective if it takes place before the parties have sufficient information to resolve the dispute.
- The neutral may charge a fee for his or her services.
- If a dispute is not resolved through ADR, the parties may have to put time and money into both ADR and a lawsuit.
- Lawsuits must be brought within specified periods of time, known as statutes of limitation. Parties must be careful not to let a statute of limitations run out while a dispute is in an ADR process.

# THREE COMMON TYPES OF ADR

This pamphlet describes the forms of ADR most often found in the California state courts and discusses when each may be right for a dispute.

## Mediation (Local Rule 5)

In mediation, a neutral (the mediator) assists the parties in reaching a mutually acceptable resolution of their dispute. Unlike lawsuits or some other types of ADR, the mediator does not decide how the dispute is to be resolved. The parties do

Mediation is a cooperative process, in which the parties work together toward a resolution that tries to meet everyone's interests, instead of working against each other, where at least one party loses. Mediation normally leads to better relations between the parties and to resolutions that hold up. For example, mediation has been very successful in family disputes, particularly with child custody and visitation.

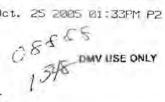
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# KENNETH P. ROYE

ATTORNEYS AT LAW
116 W. 2ND STREET, SUITE 5 • P.O. BOX 4982 • CHICO, CALIFORNIA 95927-4982
(530) 342-9441 (530) 342-2533 FAX

August 31, 2004

FORD MOTOR COMPANY
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RE

Ford Credit P. O. Box 239801 Las Vegas, Nevada 89123-9801

re: Acct. # FMCC

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Ford Credit,

As you know on August 25, 2004 I had my clients tow their unsafe 2003 Ford Escape vehicle (vin 1FMYU92143K to Hal's Automotive in Paradise, California to have my expert, Hal Hill evaluate the serious warranty defect (i. e. spontaneous engine surging) which caused the serious motor vehicle accident of 3/11/04. In that accident my client, was injured. This evaluation was in preparation for making both a Lemon Law claim as well as a Products Liability claim against Ford Motor Company.

However, you repossessed the vehicle from Hal's premises even after he denied your agent permission to come onto his premises. This, of course, subjects you to potential liability for the tort of conversion.

As you well know the ford Escape SUV is the worst Lemon Law problem in America at this time. The vehicle was recalled five times in one year. It is presently the subject of an Office of Defects Investigation by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NVS212amRP04-002). The investigation has as its subject Ford's Inability to correct the precise problem - engine stall and spontaneous engine surging - which caused my client's accident. However, under California law my clients have the right to reinstate their contract with you (CC § 2983.2(a)). Failure to give the preper notice or to honor the Reinstatement election constitutes the tort of conversion. Do not fail to give the proper notice.

I will have the vehicle evaluated after reinstatement and then will contract you regarding an interim solution.

Lastly, as I explained to your employee on the telephone, if this unsafe vehicle is placed back in the stream of commerce by you, and, persons are further injured by its operation, Ford Credit would, in my judgment, subject itself to the likely possibility of a substantial award of punitive damages for reckless and oppressive misconduct. There are matters which you attorneys need to carefully evaluate. We are not, as the saying goes "just whistlin' Dixie"

Yours,

Kenneth P. Roye

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BEGINNING OF CONTACT 11/10/2009

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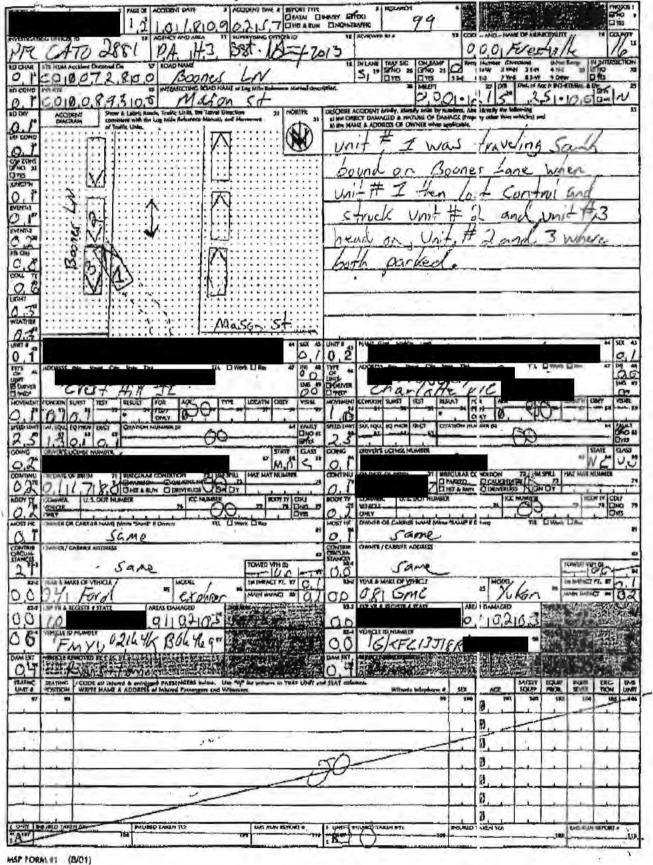
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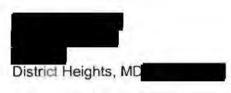


Office of the General Counsel

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Ford Motor Company Product Claims Department P.O. Box 70 Dearborn, Michigan 48121-0070

November 11, 2009



Re: 2004 Ford Escape

Dear

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- Please provide a copy of each of the following documents and check the box indicating that each item is attached.
  - A copy of the police/fire report. If a police/fire report was not made, attach a separate sheet of paper providing a complete description of the incident.
  - Medical records for each person alleged injured from all treating physicians/facilities
  - Medical bills for each person alleged injured from all treating physicians/facilities.

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  - Repair estimate or repair order
  - Total loss worksheet with copies of draft payments AAA has information Complete service history for vehicle including tune ups and oil changes.
- For each person alleged injured provide the following: (If there are additional names continue on back.)

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Sincerely,

Alma Taylor Product Claims

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11/10/2009

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VIN: 1FMYU02164K

Year: 2004

Owner Status: Subsequent

Name: Symptom Desc: ACCELERATOR PEDAL STICK/BIND DECELERATION

Reason Desc: LEGAL - ALLEGED INJURY

Issue Type: 10 OGC

Issue Status: CLOSED

Model: ESCAPE Case WSD: 2003-10-28

Origin Desc: TIER ONE - MELBOURNE

Primary Phone: Secondary Phone:

Action: TIER ONE CLOSE ISSUE

Dealer:

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Action Date: 11/19/2009

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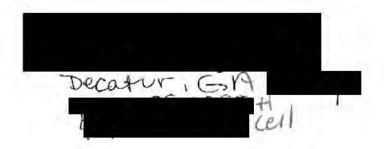
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To: Ford Motor Company From:

On 08/10/2009, I was on my way to work. Upon leaving an intersection after a stoplight, I pressed on the gas pedal to go forward and I noticed that my truck engine started making a noise like a race car and was getting louder. I began to notice that the car was going faster than I was pressing on the gas pedal. I took my foot off the gas pedal and it felt as if the gas pedal was stuck to the floor. I tried to slow the truck down by stepping on brakes but the brake pedal seemed as if it was frozen and wouldn't move. I then took both feet and pressed on the brakes as hard as I could but the brake still would not move. The engine lights came on, smoke started coming out from the dashboard and from the hood of the truck, and the truck smelled like burning rubber, so I turned on the emergency lights. I didn't how to stop the truck. Upon approaching the next big intersection, there were cars on both sides of me. I wanted to get the right lane and hopefully turn off but the other drivers would not let me get over. I saw the van in front of me was stopped at the red-light. I had never been so terrified in my life, because I was going to crash an there was nothing I could to avoid it I began to scream as my truck crashed into the back of the mini van that was in front of me at the stoplight. Both airbags exploded but the one from the steering wheel exploded with a tear in it. The driver that I crashed into called the police because at that time I was so shaken, scared and crying hysterically. I didn't know if I had killed someone or not. My truck was a total loss. My husband and I found out that there had been an I know that I was never notified by anyone. I don't know if you can ever understand this or if you even care but the last thing in the world I wanted to do was start all over again making car payments. This whole ordeal has been a tremendous strain, burden and inconvenience on me and my family. Who knows how long my truck would have lasted if I didn't have that crash or if you would have notified me. I lived at the same address for two more years after I bought my truck and never received any type of notification about a recall. I was working a part time job on the weekends and I missed three of those weekends due this accident. I really can't afford another car but I need one. I had to spend extra money that I didn't have on a rental car and waiting on the insurance company because of their mix ups and mistakes. This has been a major upset in my life as well as a major interruption in my family's life, so please don't treat me or this issue as if it is nothing. I have struggled these past few months and this accident could have been avoided. My truck would have been paid for in march 2010 if this had not have happened.





Office of the General Counsel

#### PRIVILEGED & CONFIDENTIAL

Ford Motor Company Product Claims Department P.O. Box 70 Dearborn, Michigan 48121-0070

August 19, 2009

Decat	ur, GA
Re:	2003 Ford Escape

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oil changes.

Dear

Recently the Office of the General Counsel of Ford Motor Company was made aware of your recent contact to our Customer Relations Center in regards to the above vehicle. We thank you for the opportunity to address this concern in a timely manner.

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Please answer the following in the space provided. If you need additional space, please use the back of the form;

9.	What was the city, state and date of occurrence:
	Stone Mountain, GA 8-10-09
10.	The 17 digit vehicle identification number:
	1FMYU02163K

	What was the mileage at time of occurrence: Decafur, GA.  About 93,000
	What is the alleged defect: ACCEL erator Cable.
	Has the alleged defective part been repaired or replaced? (circle one) Yes or
,	List all after market additions or modifications that were made to the vehicle:
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	What are you seeking from Ford Motor Company in this matter?
	compensation for the money I put in
	my car. settle for \$25,063.32

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To: Ford Motor Company-Office of the General Counsel, David Leitch

From:		5. 5	Decatur, GA	
	Home#	Cell#	, Work#	

Re: Claim/Settlement on Accident totaling my 2003 Ford Escape
VIN# 1FMYU02163K due to recall part number
04S25 for 3.0L LDH accelerator cable

My accident occurred on 08/10/2009. I was legally advised to contact Ford re: my settlement since I was never notified of the recalled part. I received forms from Ford that had to be completed and returned along with other requested information within (90) days. All of this information included in this fax was sent by certified mail on 11/19/2009 to your product claim dept. in Dearborn, MI. When I received those forms I was under the impression that I was being taken seriously. It is easy to ignore some one when you just don't give a damn. If you were in this situation, waiting on a settlement, you would feel the same or worse. Why should you care how a grandmother that's raising three children is going to make it. This accident has been so hard on me and my family. Ford is always advertising how their company gives to charities, help out in the communities, donate this and sponsor that! But, you won't take the time to settle my claim for about \$25,000! You! Your company! Ford! installed the accelerator cable into my now totaled 2003 Ford Escape! and You! Your company! Ford! Neglected to notify me about the recall! IF THIS ACCIDENT WAS MY FAULT I WOULDN'T BE EXPECTING ANYTHING FROM YOU! YOUR COMPANY! FORD! BUT IT WASN'T! I wonder how would you feel if this had happened to you or one of your family members, being ignored and disregarded. It's very easy to ignore someone and not care especially when you have the power to change their life. I had to go into debt to get another car. These car payments are preventing me from meeting my obligations to my children, such as their band and track dues, making payments on their instruments and basically getting them the things they need for school. I don't think that I'm asking for much considering I could have been killed in that accident and my family would be filing a law suit for so much more! I even got a \$215 dollar ticket at the scene of the accident for following too close! This is how you customers get treated if they live through an accident, they get nothing, ignored! But, if you die, you get attention and you get paid!



Brenda Sorge C. S. NUMBER 1816 1000 WINDWARD CONCOURSE ALPHARETTA, GEORGIA 30005 TEL: 678-317-7396

800-238-6214, ext :3177396 FAX: 877-872-5012 bsorge@travelers.com

September 1, 2009

Ford Motor Company 16800 Executive Park Plaza Dr MD4 S Dearborn MI, 48126-4207

SENT VIA US MAIL

DATE OF LOSS: OUR CLAIM #: 8/10/2009

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Please be advised that The Travelers Indemnity Company Of America is investigating a Claim that may be related to a recalled part on a 2003 Ford Escape with Vehicle Identification Number 1FMYU02163K

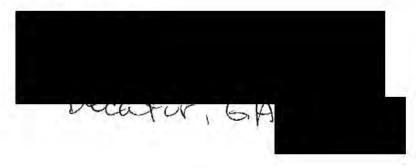
The recalled part number is 04S25 for 3.0L LHD accelerator cable.

If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,

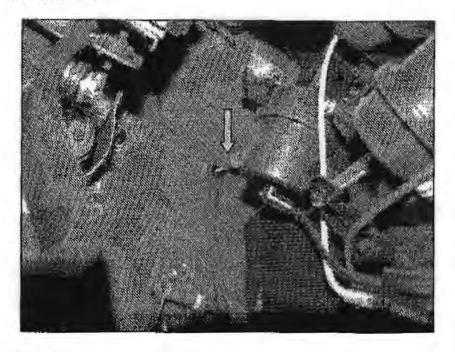
Dear

Brenda Sorge Claim Representative





Photograph 1 Slack in the throttle cable.



Photograph 2 Slack taken out of accelerator pedal linkage.



# **Photographs**

Photographs taken during our site visit that are not included in this report are retained in our files and are available to you upon request.

# **Basis of Report**

- An inspection of the 2003 Ford Escape was performed by Chris P. Hollis on September 3, 2009.
- 2. A record check from Carfax was conducted.
  - Research was conducted into the NHTSA database regarding recalls for the 2003 Ford Escape.



speed after releasing the throttle while attempting to stop could have caused or contributed to the crash.

During our inspection, the throttle cable was not disconnected from the throttle body linkage. This action would have ruled out whether or not the throttle plate linkage itself was stuck independent of the throttle cable. This action would also have potentially damaged the actual underlying cause for the stuck throttle and spoliation of evidence may have occurred. This action would need to take place in the presence of all other interested parties.

This report was prepared for the exclusive use of Travelers Insurance Company and was not intended for any other purpose. Our report was based on information made available to us at the time and described in the Basis of Report. Should additional information become available, we reserve the right to determine the impact, if any, the new information may have on our opinions and conclusions, and to revise our opinions and conclusions if necessary and warranted.

Thank you for allowing us to provide these services. If you have any questions or need additional assistance please call.

Sincerely, RIMKUS CONSULTING GROUP, INC.

Chris P. Hollis Senior Consultant

Joe R. Maseda, P.E. Georgia Reg. Eng. No 31584 Forensic Division Manager

Attachments: Basis of Report, Photographs, and CVs

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## Discussion

The Ford was powered by a 3.0 liter V6 engine and automatic transmission. Reportedly, stop lifted her foot off the accelerator pedal and attempted to stop. The engine reportedly did not return to idle speed, so she was unable to avoid a collision with a vehicle that had stopped in front of her.

#### Observations

The accelerator pedal and throttle cable of the 2003 Escape was inspected for any signs of damage or binding which would not have allowed the throttle to return to a normal idle position. Slack was seen in the throttle cable at the throttle pedal lever (Photograph 1). The accelerator pedal was manipulated to take up the slack in the cable (Photograph 2). The pedal and linkage inside the car were free to move at their plvot points within the limits of the slack in the throttle cable.

The intake manifold cover and the rubber boot connecting the throttle body to the air filter box was removed to gain visual access to the throttle plate. Inside the throttle body, the throttle plate was found to be partially open. Also, the throttle linkage on the side of the throttle body was being held off the throttle stop (**Photograph 3**). No manipulation of the throttle linkage or cable was attempted.

According to Carfax, an open recall was found for the Escape. Ford recall number 04S25 was issued on December 6, 2004. According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), campaign ID number 04V574000, "On certain sport utility vehicles built with 3.0 liter V6 engines, the accelerator cable may prevent the throttle from returning to the idle position". In the NHTSA report, the consequences are listed as, "An unexpected increase in idle speed may increase stopping distance and may result in a vehicle crash". According to the NHTSA report, the remedy was listed as, "Dealers will replace the accelerator cable". Reportedly, "The remedy was listed as, "Dealers will replace the accelerator cable". Reportedly, "The received the recall notice from Ford. Ford Motor Company was contacted via the phone number listed in the NHTSA report by Rimkus Consulting Group, Inc. According to Ford, the recall had never been performed on the Escape.

# Analysis

The throttle plate on the 2003 Ford Escape was found to be partially open at the time of our inspection.

Based upon the evidence found during the inspection, the most probable cause for the open throttle was due to a stuck throttle cable as described in the NHTSA recall notice. The stuck throttle would have resulted in the engine not decreasing its speed while the driver was attempting to stop. A failure of the vehicle's engine to decrease to idle



Rimkus Consulting Group, Inc. 2030 Powers Ferry Road, Suite 224 Atlanta, Georgia 30339 (770) 436-9399 Telephone (770) 438-2189 Facsimile

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The original of this document was sealed and signed by Joe R. Maseda, F.E. Georgia Reg. Eng. No. 031584 on October 20, 2009.

THIS REPRODUCTION IS NOT A CERTIFIED DOCUMENT

October 20, 2009

Ms. Brenda Sorge Travelers Insurance Company CS #1816 Alpharetta, Georgia 30023

Re:

Claim No:

Insured:

Subject:

Report of Findings

RCG File No:

0088087

Dear Mr. Blackburn:

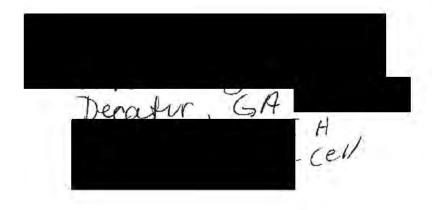
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Flimkus Consulting Group was retained to determine whether or not the accelerator actually stuck which may have contributed to the crash. In the course of our work, we reviewed the materials and performed the tasks described in the Basis of Report.

#### Conclusions

- The throttle plate was found to be stuck partially open thereby not allowing the engine to return to normal idle speed.
- The most probable reason for the stuck throttle was due to a faulty accelerator cable.
- An increase in idle speed may have caused or contributed to the crash.

What I am seeking from Ford Motor Company: Car price:	\$25,960.32 -\$3,100.00
What I paid into my truck:	\$22,860.32 \$1,000.00 \$779.00 +\$424.00
What I am seeking from Ford Motor Company:	\$25,063.00





Office of the General Counsel

#### PRIVILEGED & CONFIDENTIAL

Ford Motor Company Product Claims Department P.O. Box 70 Dearborn, Michigan 48121-0070

August 19, 2009

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If you propose to repair the vehicle for continued usage, such repairs may not be performed until after Ford Motor Company has inspected the vehicle and removed and tested any component part you claim to be defective or advised you in writing that it does not intend to perform such inspection and/or testing at this time. But even in that event, Ford Motor Company will insist that all components claimed to be defective are maintained and preserved for trial.

Sincerely,

Alma Taylor Product Claims To: Ford Motor Company From:

On 08/10/2009, I was on my way to work. Upon leaving an intersection after a stoplight, I pressed on the gas pedal to go forward and I noticed that my truck engine started making a noise like a race car and was getting louder. I began to notice that the car was going faster than I was pressing on the gas pedal. I took my foot off the gas pedal and it felt as if the gas pedal was stuck to the floor. I tried to slow the truck down by stepping on brakes but the brake pedal seemed as if it was frozen and wouldn't move. I then took both feet and pressed on the brakes as hard as I could but the brake still would not move. The engine lights came on, smoke started coming out from the dashboard and from the hood of the truck, and the truck smelled like burning rubber, so I turned on the emergency lights. I didn't how to stop the truck. Upon approaching the next big intersection, there were cars on both sides of me. I wanted to get the right lane and hopefully turn off but the other drivers would not let me get over. I saw the van in front of me was stopped at the red-light. I had never been so terrified in my life, because I was going to crash an there was nothing I could to avoid it I began to scream as my truck crashed into the back of the mini van that was in front of me at the stoplight. Both airbags exploded but the one from the steering wheel exploded with a tear in it. The driver that I crashed into called the police because at that time I was so shaken, scared and crying hysterically. I didn't know if I had killed someone or not. My truck was a total loss. My husband and I found out that there had been an I know that I was never notified by anyone. I don't know if you can ever understand this or if you even care but the last thing in the world I wanted to do was start all over again making car payments. This whole ordeal has been a tremendous strain, burden and inconvenience on me and my family. Who knows how long my truck would have lasted if I didn't have that crash or if you would have notified me. I lived at the same address for two more years after I bought my truck and never received any type of notification about a recall. I was working a part time job on the weekends and I missed three of those weekends due this accident. I really can't afford another car but I need one. I had to spend extra money that I didn't have on a rental car and waiting on the insurance company because of their mix ups and mistakes. This has been a major upset in my life as well as a major interruption in my family's life, so please don't treat me or this issue as if it is nothing. I have struggled these past few months and this accident could have been avoided. My truck would have been paid for in march 2010 if this had not have happened.



What I am seeking from Ford Motor Company: Car price: Check from insurance company:	\$25,960.32 -\$3,100.00
What I paid into my truck:  Down payment on another car:	\$22,860.32 \$1,000.00
Lost wages-Missed (3) weekends from work: Money spent on rental car:	\$779.00
What I am seeking from Ford Motor Company:	\$25,063.00





Rimkus Consulting Group, Inc. 2030 Powers Ferry Road, Suite 224 Atlanta, Georgia 30339 (770) 436-9399 Telephone (770) 438-2189 Facsimile

The original of this document was sealed and signed by Joe R. Maseda, P.E. Georgia Reg. Eng. No. 031584 on October 20, 2009.

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October 20, 2009

Ms. Brenda Sorge Travelers Insurance Company CS #1816 Alpharetta, Georgia 30023

Re:

Claim No:

Insured:

Subject:

Report of Findings

RCG File No:

0088087

Dear Mr. Blackburn:

On August 10, 2009, the accelerator reportedly stuck a 2003 Ford Escape, (VIN) 1FMYU02163K , driven by . The stuck accelerator reportedly caused her to rear end another vehicle.

Rimkus Consulting Group was retained to determine whether or not the accelerator actually stuck which may have contributed to the crash. In the course of our work, we reviewed the materials and performed the tasks described in the **Basis of Report**.

#### Conclusions

- The throttle plate was found to be stuck partially open thereby not allowing the engine to return to normal idle speed.
- The most probable reason for the stuck throttle was due to a faulty accelerator cable.
- An increase in idle speed may have caused or contributed to the crash.

#### Discussion

The Ford was powered by a 3.0 liter V6 engine and automatic transmission. Reportedly, lifted her foot off the accelerator pedal and attempted to stop. The engine reportedly did not return to idle speed, so she was unable to avoid a collision with a vehicle that had stopped in front of her.

#### Observations

The accelerator pedal and throttle cable of the 2003 Escape was inspected for any signs of damage or binding which would not have allowed the throttle to return to a normal idle position. Slack was seen in the throttle cable at the throttle pedal lever (Photograph 1). The accelerator pedal was manipulated to take up the slack in the cable (Photograph 2). The pedal and linkage inside the car were free to move at their pivot points within the limits of the slack in the throttle cable.

The intake manifold cover and the rubber boot connecting the throttle body to the air filter box was removed to gain visual access to the throttle plate. Inside the throttle body, the throttle plate was found to be partially open. Also, the throttle linkage on the side of the throttle body was being held off the throttle stop (**Photograph 3**). No manipulation of the throttle linkage or cable was attempted.

According to Carfax, an open recall was found for the Escape. Ford recall number 04S25 was issued on December 6, 2004. According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), campaign ID number 04V574000, "On certain sport utility vehicles built with 3.0 liter V6 engines, the accelerator cable may prevent the throttle from returning to the idle position". In the NHTSA report, the consequences are listed as, "An unexpected increase in idle speed may increase stopping distance and may result in a vehicle crash". According to the NHTSA report, the remedy was listed as, "Dealers will replace the accelerator cable", Reportedly, received the recall notice from Ford. Ford Motor Company was contacted via the phone number listed in the NHTSA report by Rimkus Consulting Group, Inc. According to Ford, the recall had never been performed on the Escape.

#### Analysis

The throttle plate on the 2003 Ford Escape was found to be partially open at the time of our inspection.

Based upon the evidence found during the inspection, the most probable cause for the open throttle was due to a stuck throttle cable as described in the NHTSA recall notice. The stuck throttle would have resulted in the engine not decreasing its speed while the driver was attempting to stop. A failure of the vehicle's engine to decrease to idle

speed after releasing the throttle while attempting to stop could have caused or contributed to the crash.

During our inspection, the throttle cable was not disconnected from the throttle body linkage. This action would have ruled out whether or not the throttle plate linkage itself was stuck independent of the throttle cable. This action would also have potentially damaged the actual underlying cause for the stuck throttle and spoliation of evidence may have occurred. This action would need to take place in the presence of all other interested parties.

This report was prepared for the exclusive use of Travelers Insurance Company and was not intended for any other purpose. Our report was based on information made available to us at the time and described in the **Basis of Report**. Should additional information become available, we reserve the right to determine the impact, if any, the new information may have on our opinions and conclusions, and to revise our opinions and conclusions if necessary and warranted.

Thank you for allowing us to provide these services. If you have any questions or need additional assistance please call.

Sincerely, RIMKUS CONSULTING GROUP, INC.

Chris P. Hollis Senior Consultant

Joe R. Maseda, P.E. Georgia Reg. Eng. No 31584 Forensic Division Manager

Attachments: Basis of Report, Photographs, and CVs

## **Basis of Report**

- An inspection of the 2003 Ford Escape was performed by Chris P. Hollis on September 3, 2009.
- 2. A record check from Carfax was conducted.
- Research was conducted into the NHTSA database regarding recalls for the 2003 Ford Escape.

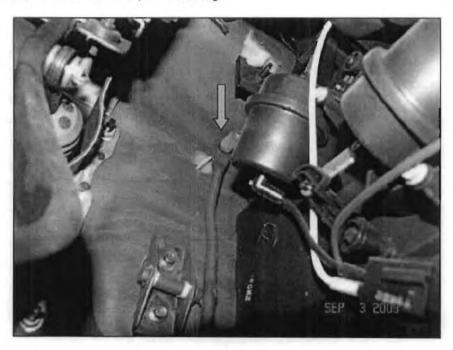
# **Photographs**

Photographs taken during our site visit that are not included in this report are retained in our files and are available to you upon request.

Photograph 1 Slack in the throttle cable.

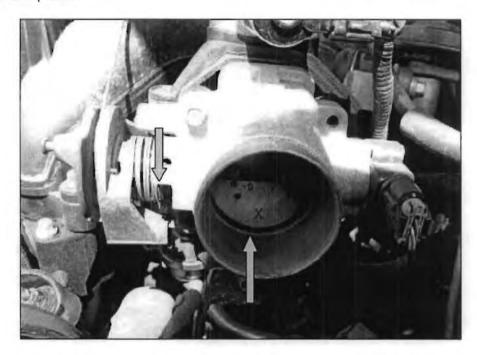


Photograph 2 Slack taken out of accelerator pedal linkage.



October 20, 2009 RCG File No. 0088087

Photograph 3
Open throttle plate.



**CVs** 



ChoicePoint Police Records P.O.Box 740167 Atlanta, GA 30374-0167

TIME OF LOSS: 07:25 AM

YEAR: 2003

Phone: 1.800.934.9698 Fax 1.800.934.6449 Email: orderpoint.support@choicepoint.com

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REAR OF DRIVER #2 VEHICLE CAUSING EXTENSIVE DAMAGE. DRIVER #1 STATED THAT SHE "TRIED TO STOP", BUT HER GAS PEDAL WAS STUCK, AND HER BRAKES DID NOT WORK WHEN SHE APPLIED THEM.

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OPENED: 08/12/2009 CLOSED: 08/12/2009 \_\_\_\_\_

LAST NAME: STATUS: CLOSED TITLE: FIRST NAME: MI:

ADDRESS: STATE: GA ZIP: CITY: DECATUR

HOME PHONE: MODEL YEAR: MODEL: ESCAPE XLS 4X2 4-DR 2003

MILEAGE: 96000 DEALER NAME: MALCOLM CUNNINGHAM SALES CODE: F21007 P & A: 09508

REASON CODE 0772 LEGAL - ACCIDENT

SYMPTOMS: 624100 ACCELERATOR PEDAL STICK/BIND

ORIGIN: CACI38 US CONCERN CASE BASE COMMUNICATION: PHONE ADVISE CUSTOMER INFO WILL BE SENT TO OGC ACTION: 791

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### The Erskine Law Group, P.C.

342 S. Main St. • Rochester, Michigan • 48307 Tel (248) 601-4499 • Fax (248) 601-4497 www.erskinelawgroup.com

December 3, 2009

Pamela Cardin Travelers PO Box 3022 Fall River, MA 02722

Via Facsimile 866-304-7031

Re:	Your Insured:	
	Claim No.	
	DOL:	8/10/2009

Dear Ms. Cardin:

Please be advised that Ford Motor Company has retained our office to handle your recently submitted subrogation claim regarding the above-referenced customer. In order to efficiently process and consider your claim we request that you provide us with the following information: (Please note that the information requested is in regard to the Ford manufactured vehicle.)

- Attach your insured's statement with a complete description of the incident, including events that occurred prior to and subsequent to the loss.
  - 2. A copy of the police and/or fire report. Oldered
- Original color photographs of the vehicle's collision/fire damage & the alleged defective parts, from several different angles.
- Original color photographs of the inside of the vehicle showing the steering wheel, dash and roof areas.
  - 5. Original color photographs of the accident / fire scene from several different angles. NOTIE
- 6. Attach a copy of your expert's report and the expert's original color photographs.
- Attach the repair estimate, repair order, or your total loss worksheet for the vehicle's damage and any losses associated with this incident, and copies of draft payments.
- 8. Attach the complete service history for the subject vehicle, including any tune-ups or oil changes. □□□□□ =

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15. List all after market additions or modifications that were made to the vehicle:	_
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17. Were the keys in the ignition? (circle one) Yes or No	
18. Was this vehicle purchased new or used?	
If purchased used, provide the date of purchase, mileage at the time of purchase, and from whom	the
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Once you have compiled the requested information regarding this matter, please send it to the address above. If you prefer to send the information electronically, you can e-mail it to me at merskine@erskinelawgroup.com. Once we are in receipt of the requested information, it will be reviewed and you will be notified of our decision concerning your claim. Should you not send all of the requested information and materials within 90 days, we will assume that you are not interested in pursuing a claim and we will close our file. Please note that your vehicle will not be inspected until all the above information has been submitted and a determination has been made as to whether an inspection is warranted.

Please be advised that all necessary steps should be taken to ensure that the incident scene the subject vehicle and all of its components parts are maintained and preserved. Ford Motor Company has the right to inspect the fire scene and the vehicle and remove and test any vehicle component part that you claim to be defective, and to be presented with the vehicle and subject component part(s) at the time of trial, should litigation ensue from this informal claim.

If you propose to repair the vehicle for continued usage, such repairs may not be preformed until after Ford Motor Company has inspected the vehicle and removed and tested any component part you claim to be defective or advised you in writing that it does not intend to perform such inspection and/or testing at this time. But even in that event, Ford Motor Company will insist that all components claimed to be defective are maintained and preserved for trial.

Thank you for your attention to these matters. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at your convenience. I look forward to working with you on this matter.

Very truly yours,

Maggie Mason Erskine



The Travelers Indemnity Company Of America P.O. Box 3022 Fall River, MA 02722 (800)925-7693

11/05/2009

MINOS MENTERS

Ford Motor Company 16800 Executive Park Plaza Dr MD4 Dearborn, MI 48126-4207

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SENERAL COUNTILL

Insured:

Claim/File #:

Date of Loss:

08/10/2009

Policy #:

Date Notice Received: 08/10/2009

Reference #:

subrogation

Dear Ford Motor Company:

On the above noted date of loss our insured's vehicle, a 2003 Ford Escape XLS, brakes failed due to a recalled part. The recall part is 04S25 for 3.0L LHD accelerator cable. A preliminary, non-destructive origin and cause investigation revealed that the throttle cable stuck.

This letter serves as notice that you may be responsible for our collision loss, our injuries, the collision damage to the car we hit, and any Bi claim from the other vehicle. At this point we have paid out \$22,652.21 not including the BI claims. We are there fore inviting you to attend a secondary inspection with our expert to examine the vehicle in more detail. You can contact Chris Hollis at Rimkus @404-545-3539.

The vehicle is on Seller hold at Co-part in: 5089 Highway 20 Loganville, Ga 30052

If you have any questions, please call me at the number shown above.

Sincerely, Pamela Cardin Cl Rep (508)324-8290

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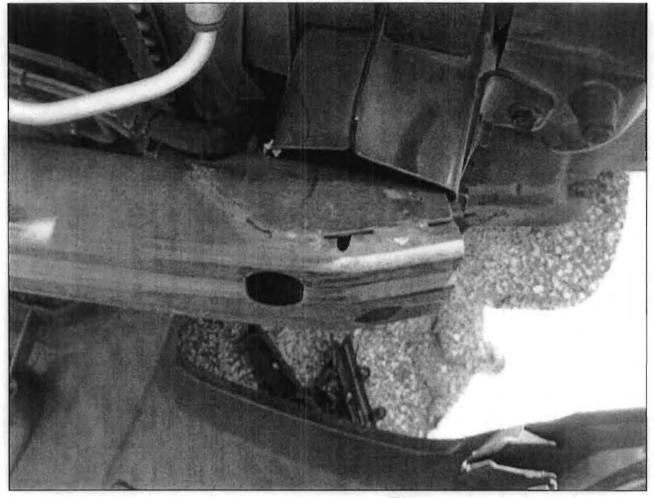
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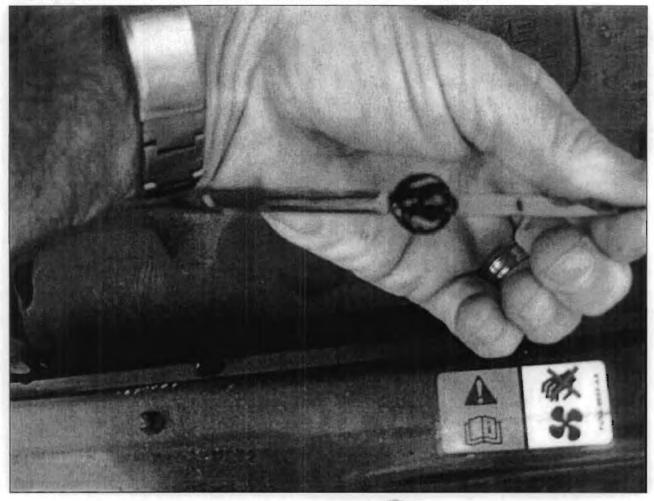
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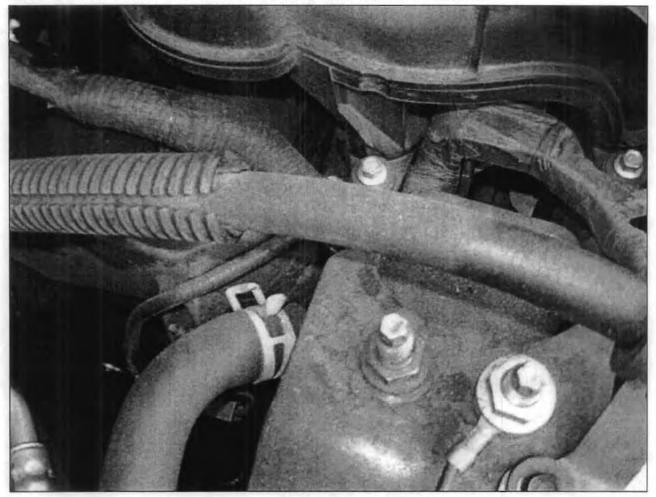


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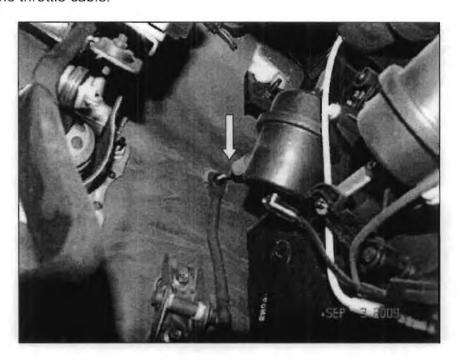
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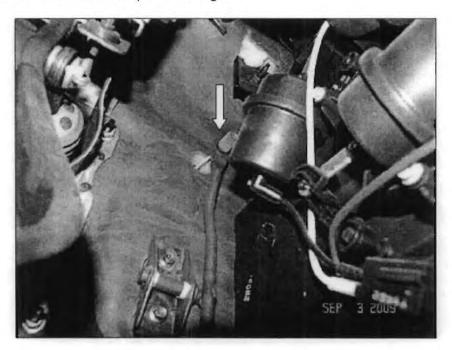




Photograph 1 Slack in the throttle cable.

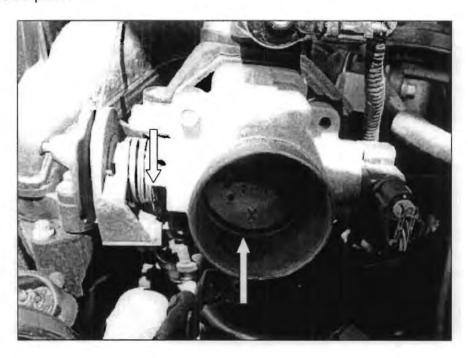


Photograph 2
Slack taken out of accelerator pedal linkage.



October 20, 2009 RCG File No. 0088087

Photograph 3
Open throttle plate.





Brenda Sorge C. S. NUMBER 1816 1000 WINDWARD CONCOURSE ALPHARETTA, GEORGIA 30005

TEL: 678-317-7396

800-238-6214, ext :3177396

FAX: 877-872-5012 bsorge@travelers.com

September 1, 2009

Ford Motor Company 16800 Executive Park Plaza Dr MD4 S Dearborn MI, 48126-4207

SENT VIA US MAIL

DATE OF LOSS:

8/10/2009

OUR CLAIM #:

0/10/2003

Dear Mr. Sirs

Please be advised that The Travelers Indemnity Company Of America is investigating a Claim that may be related to a recalled part on a 2003 Ford Escape with Vehicle Identification Number 1FMYU02163K.

The recalled part number is 04S25 for 3.0L LHD accelerator cable.

If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at the number listed below.

Sincerely,

Brenda Sorge Claim Representative

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DMVS-523 (12/03)

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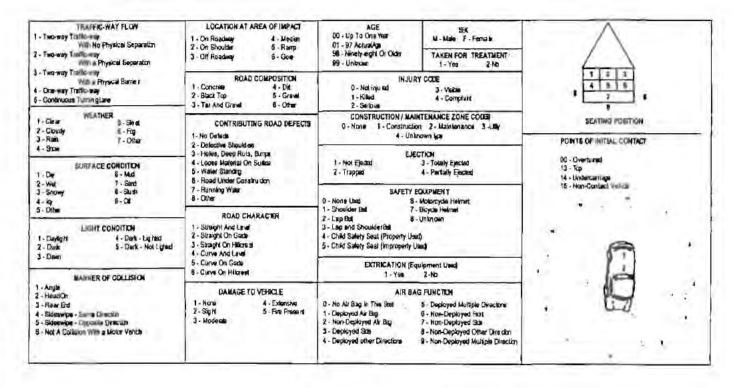
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Year: 2003

Model: ESCAPE

Case:

Name:

Owner Status: Subsequent

WSD: 2002-10-11

Symptom Desc: SERVICE BRAKE INOP/INEFFECTIVE

Primary Phone:

Reason Desc: LEGAL - ACCIDENT

Secondary Phone:

Issue Type: 10 OGC

Issue Status: OPEN

Dealer: COLLIER FORD INC

Origin Desc: US CONCERN CASE BASE

P & A Code: 00406

Odometer: 100000 MI

Comm Type: PHONE

Action Date: 03/20/2008

Action Time: 16:34:33:633

Action Data: Yes

Analyst Name: ANITA BRIX (ABRIX)

Analyst: ABRIX

COMMENTS: CUSTOMER SAID: \*\*ON 2/8/08 CUSTOMER TOOK VEHICLE IN FOR RECALLS (REPROGRAMMED PCM) REPLACED ACCELERATOR CABLE AND ABS MODULE INSPECTION).\*\*ON 3/14/08 WHILE CUSTOMER WAS DRIVING, THROTTLE STUCK OPEN AND CUSTOMER COULD NOT STOP CAR. \*\*CUSTOMER APPLIED BOTH NORMAL BRAKES AND EMERGENCY BRAKES.\*\*CUSTOMER PURPOSELY DROVE CAR INTO STEEL UTILITY POLE TO STOP IT. "PER CUSTOMER, VEHICLE'S AIR BAGS DID NOT DEPLOY, \*\*CUSTOMER THINKS VEHICLE MAY HAVE BEEN MOVING AT ~25 MPH ON IMPACT.\*\*NO OTHER TRAFFIC WAS INVOLVED.\*\*DATE OF ACCIDENT: 3/14/08\*\*CUSTOMER ORIGINALLY THOUGHT IT WAS THE ACCELERATOR CABLE BUT UPON INVESTIGATION IT SEEMS ITS THE CRUISE CONTROL CABLE THAT IS ATTACHED TO SAME MECHANISM AS ACCELERATOR CABLE.\*\*NO INJURIES.\*\*US-231 SOUTHBOUND. WETUMPKA\*\*POLICE REPORT WAS FILED. \*\*POLICE TOOK DOWN ALL INFORMATION, DID NOT MAKE A DETERMINATION.\*\*CUSTOMER DOES NOT HAVE POLICE REPORT NUMBER AVAILABLE AT THE MOMENT, \*\*WETUMPKA, ELMORE COUNTY, ALABAMA\*\*CLAIM WAS FILED W/INSURANCE COMPANY, \*\*CUSTOMER THINKS STATUS IS "STILL UNDER INVESTIGATION"\*\*BASED ON OPINION OF BODY SHOP, VEHICLE IS TOTALLED. FRAME RAIL ON FRONT LEFT SIDE IS BENT "\*ADJUSTER ACCEPTS DETERMINATION MADE BY BODY SHOP, "CUSTOMER BELIEVES IT WAS THE POOR WORKMANSHIP OF THE PERSON COMPLETING THE RECALL WORK WAS THE CAUSE OF THIS ACCIDENT, \*\*CUSTOMER IS SEEKING VEHICLE REPLACEMENT OR PAYOFF OF EXISTING LOAN EITHER BY FORD OR DEALERSHIP.\*\*CUSTOMER IS SEEKING REIMBURSEMENT FOR RENTAL DEALER SAID: COLLIER FORD INC5156 US HIGHWAY 231 WETUMPKA, AL 36092TEL: (334) 567-8444CRC ADVISED: - I WILL FORWARD THIS INFORMATION TO THE FORD OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL, YOU WILL RECEIVE WRITTEN NOTIFICATION WITHIN 10 BUSINESS DAYS WHICH YOU WILL NEED TO RESPOND TO IN WRITING NOTE TO CCR: REMEMBER TO VERIFY ALL CUSTOMER CONTACT INFORMATION BEFORE SENDING ISSUE.

> FORD MOTOR COMPANY RECEIVED CLAIMS UNIT

> > MAR 2 5 2008

OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL



Denner, CO April 14, 2010

Ford Frator Company Roduct Claims Department P.O. Bex 70 Dearborn, MJ 48121-0070

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Sear a. Jaylor:

Lapologize if you think me rude, but it would be nice to know if I'm writing to an adam or alicia. As a woman of the (85in July), mother of five, gramma if eight and great gm of 6 % 1/9 % I have learned if I want to know something, I would have to ask as to your letter of mar 30, had the Customer Relitionship Center folk given you my letter of Feb 28 (or a eapy) your every guestion would be answered, and to the second paragraph - before even contacting an attorney, which even my insurance agent advised,

my family and I had already decided that while we all felt Ford was wholly responsible for my accident and life-changing injuries, it would be futile to pursue a claim against the campany. By

the time their highly trained, probably over paid legal staff even thought of recompense, my 2 yr old twin

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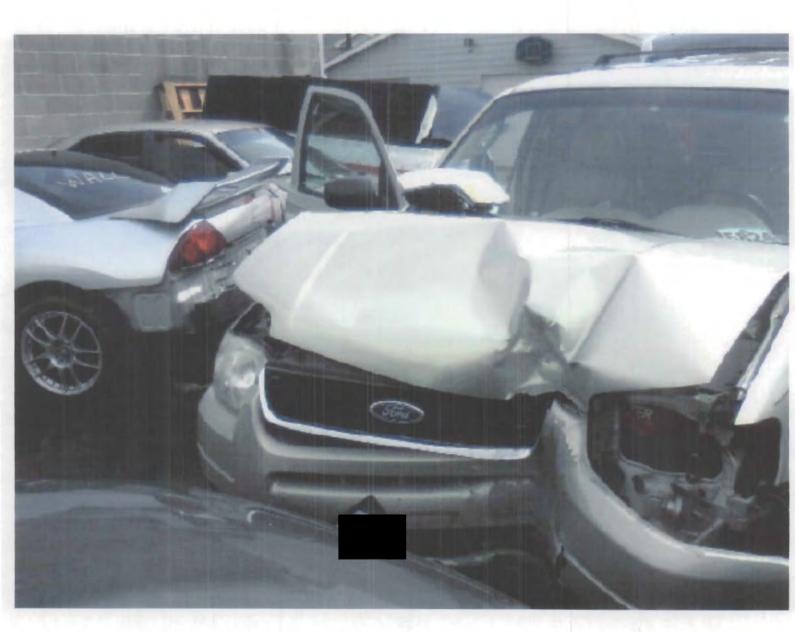
Colored Ceramic Cookie jar and under a foot of Fort Logan National Cemetery soil where my husband, a WWII vet rests.

Before my accident, most everyone thought in a pretty, spritely 60 yr all. Now its plain I'm in my 80's and limp along an a cane, Domething most women-and men-dent look forward to. Order of my physical injuries have healed in the past almost seven months, and with Kelp from Cover Visle my facial sears and discolarations can be hidden Sweral doctors are "fairly certain" my needle-sharp headaches, forehead puffiness and bouts of diginal all caused by my severe head trauma should, with time, gradually diminish. Photos of that huge, ugly blister-covered Rematoma assempanied my Feb 28 letter. Also in that letter I wrote my 2003 Ford Escap Limited was totally totaled and to my understanding is now a metal paneals.

Why write the Ford motor Company?

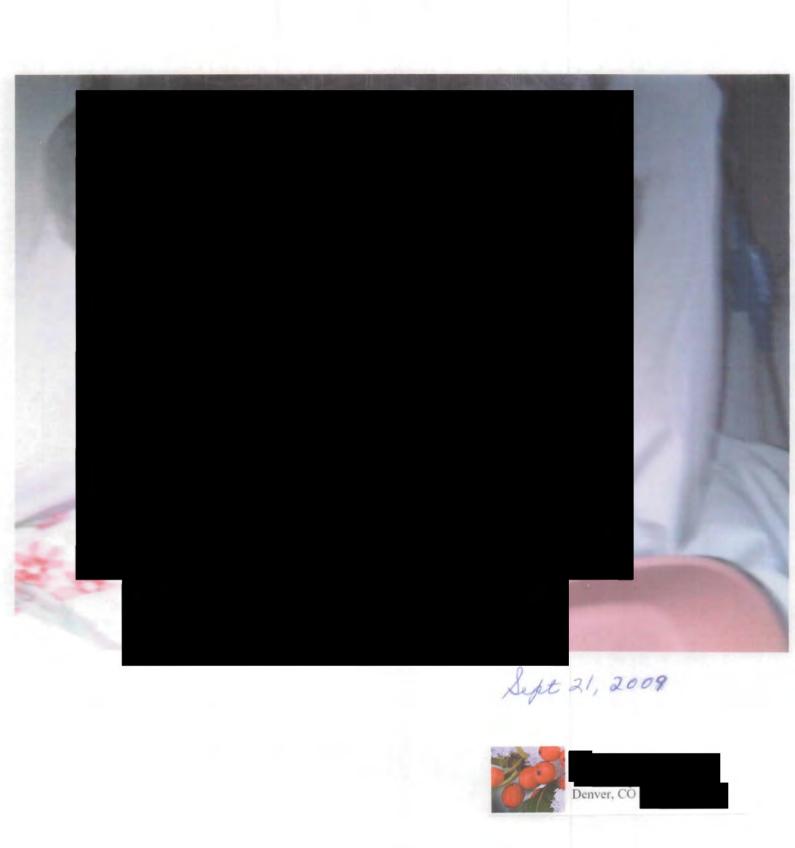
Hopefully to alert them of my accident and life-changing injuries that we feel was caused by a defective accelerator cable (a result replacement) and prayerfully make sure other Ford wehicle awners might be spared all my problems -expecially the Pikes Beak-no, at near \$100,000 in medical expenses, it's more a Int Everst burden. Do a widow of 8typears, on Sac Sec, even the 20%, after Bedieve, is a humongous financial burden. I am extremely

(3) thankful that with my cane, which most probably will be my lifetime helper-even to the bathraam - Im able to line on myanen. I thank you too a. Jayfor for at least responding to my letter. Gad bless. Dincerely Denver, CO Escape VIN# IFMCU 94416 2 09/21/09 Mileage 36937.4 PE12-019 002680LC SUBJECT

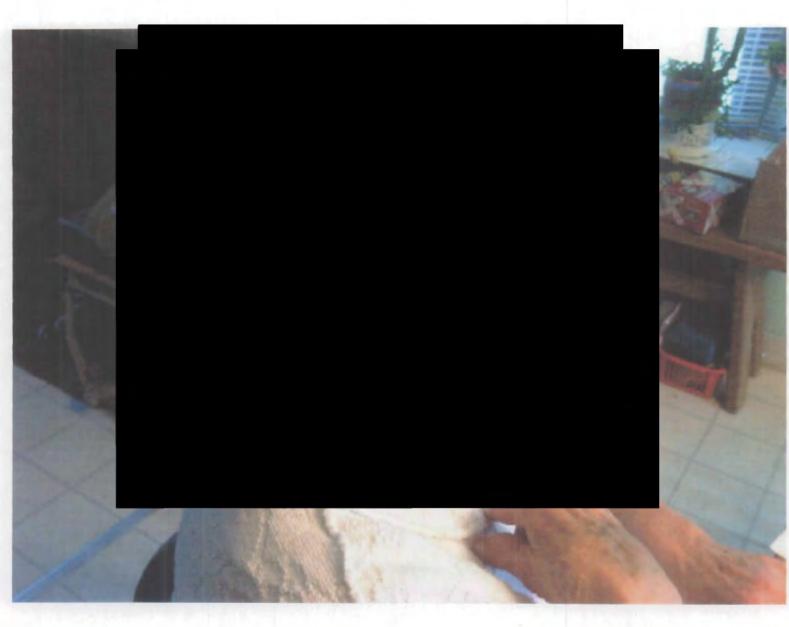


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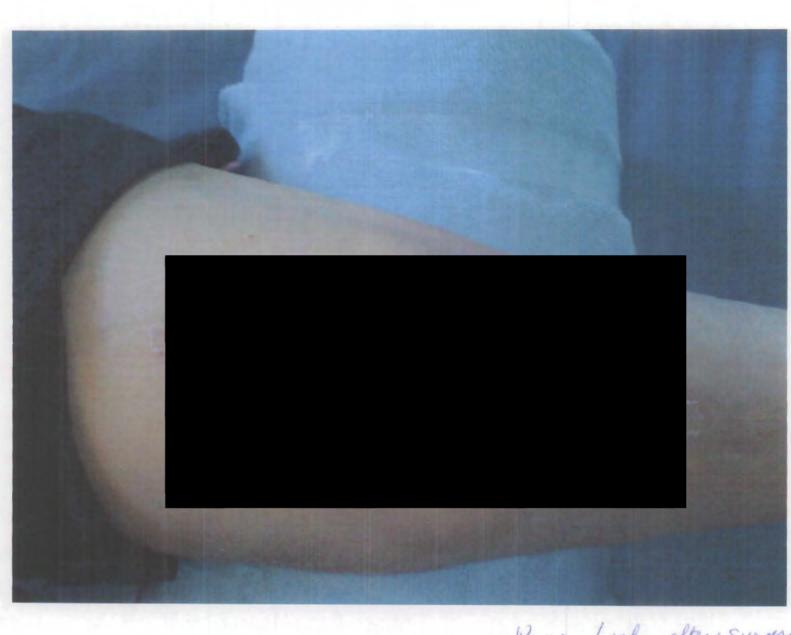




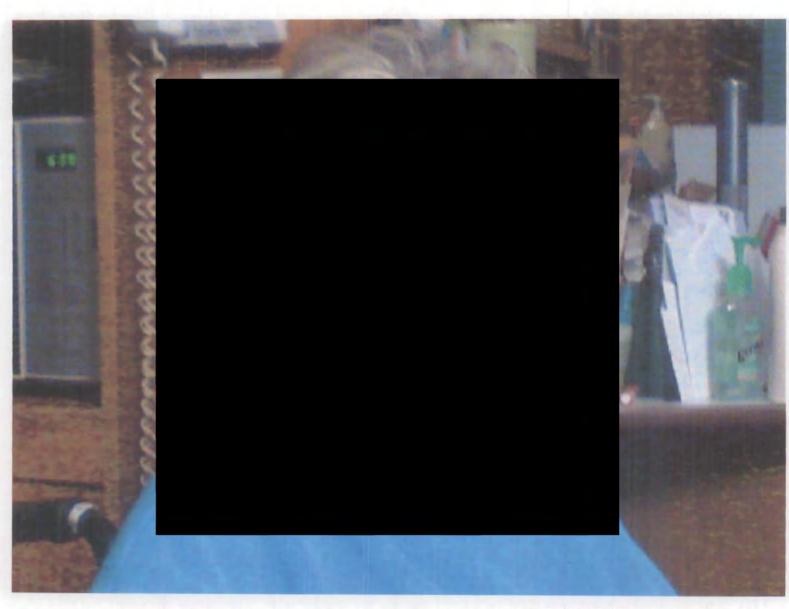
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Denuer, CC February 28, 2010 Custamer Celationship Center Ford Frotor Company P.O. Dox 6248 Dearborn, Md 48/28 RECEIVED CLAIMS UNIT RECEIVED MAR 2 4 2010 GENERAL COUNSEL Dear Center Geople: Several years ago we were notified that our 2003 Lard Escape Limited was one of the rehicles being retalled as needing the accelerator cable replaced. Laulty, it caused the relicle to seeddenly speed up - which ours had done several times, but thought my fault and been really shocked to have the ear to syddenly race forward. We had the work done, but about six months later it happened again. Then again - in late 2007, In early 2008 it Rappeared enery few weeks, but my husband of nearly 60 yrs having passed away, the dealership we did lusiness with now defunct, not sure where to have the work done, I didn't. Then, late last spring (2009) I slowed to gain a long line of traffic, leaving a good 2-car lengths vacant (years of hauling my husband's big electric chair on a lift in back having me the extra cautious) when suddenly the car shot farward. Lad I not had 600D brakes, and been alert, Id have whemmed into the car ahead, resulting in lastly regains to hath and injuries to us drivers . after leaving It Logan National Cemetery, regretably procrastinated in not having my Escape checked out, then as the problem had not recurred, I forgot about it - until last September 21st.

On leaving our local library where I valunteered thours each manday and Friday morning, I remembered I needed fresh produce. It having rained off and an all morning, already in the car, I desided to go to the market before going home, and maved into the left turn lane. The traffic light turning yellow, I slawed, stopped and turned on my left turn signal. Already stopped in it's left turn lane, facing me, a pickup truck Raphagardly piled with furniture, had a large mattress tied over all.

"Hope he gets where he's going before his bed gets wet," I muttered. The light turned green, the truck driver having turned on his left turn signal seconds after I did mine, I started my turn; then saw he was not turning but carning straight at me, I quickly swerved to the right to avaid being broadsided and suddenly my car SHOT across the intersection and

straight into the hig signal light pole.

Unumber of kindergarten mome waiting for their kils witnesed it all, One yelled from her ear was I akay, said she'd called 911, but late for a doctors appointment laudout stay. I'd nalled down my window and several other mome came to ask was I okay and eoold they call anyone. I said I thought so, but my head hurt, gave one my youngest doughters cell number, she was ealling when the first week arrived, it having been just a block away. Their him ask if anyone saw the ascident, the mome excitedly telling him a pickup driver didn't make his turn as signaled lefterave straight at me. To one had thought to get a license number and the driver had disappeared. The fireman medic had apened my ear door and squatting; asked me to turn off the engine, I did and gave

him the keys. Then he asked if I could undo my seat Kelt and turn towards him. I did the first, but couldn't move as the dashboard was embedded in my left Knee. He told me to "hald it" and called his partner, as my left fact was caught on something too ; it being where the side of the car was deeply dented. They nery slawly slid the seat back, told me to take a deep breath as it would hurt like heck, then putting a hand under my ankle, he pushed down on my shin and managed to free bath my fait and knee. He apologized for hurting me and handed me a hunch of napkins I remember telling him I felt dizzy and my head really hurt, That's when I felt this beg lump an my heat and blood on it - him quickly moving, my hand off it. Just then an ambulance arrived. I heard several men talking, but not what they said. I also heard several mom's aking was Jokay and one man say I'd really suffered a severe blow to the head; then the amhulance medic squatted by me and patted my hand Well, young lady (Im 84) laaks like you need same medical attention, so we've going to take you to the hospital. Think you can get an this gurney!" I did, was put in the ambulance, an oxygen mask on my face and we were moving, one medic constantly asking waried questions so I'd stay awake. Itald him my youngest daughter had been a para medic at Denner General Haspital, now Denner Health, for 800 9 years. Hed known her, said he wished she was still there as she was the best. She proved she was guick. for they havely get me in the ER when I said I was going to be sick - and was, luckily into a pan. The dashboard had broken my left patella

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with, but with my leg so swallen, four days passed before the orthopedist could operate - surgery taking 31/2 hrs to wire the patella together, then stitch the 7"mak incision and handage. Ithen was fitted with an ankle-to-mid-thigh boot-brace that I wore for almost 4 months in a wheel-chair, my leg straight out an a metal "leg".

Both my eyes were black, the right one swallen shut and the whole side of my face scraped with large, ugly sellawish blisters covering the first-size Lematoma; and dark purple bruses down my neck and shoulder

to my chest.

accompanied by a wheelchair, a walker and bedeide commode, which to my embarrassement & had to use for almost a month. I also needed 24/7 Care, which thankfully my two youngest daughters, a grand-daughter and wanderful neighbor provided.

Before the ascident I could read a 300 page nouslin a day, but my eyes now (still) blur the print and I'm lucky to read 100 pages. An ophthalmologist (specialist) examined my eyes, determining the blow to my head was responsible, but should eventually clear up.

my second week home, a physical therapist was assigned metwice weekly - hour long sessions and we worked hard, but even now, over 5 months later, I don't dare leave the house without my walker as my leg can very unexpectedly "give out", plus I get needle-sharp headaches that have me stagging - them said to be caused by my severe head trauma.

Two months after my assident, my PCP sent me to a General Surgean, who Hooks later, using a Thumb sized hypodermic springe pulled half a springe of fluid from my 6 hematoma-then twice more. He heritated dainy it a fourth time, saying he thought it would disripate in

a few weeks, though it might take several months. Inday, 3 plus months later, my forehead is still puffy

and discolored.

Whatever so badly damaged my forehead and cheek, also broke one tooth off at the gum and so hadly cracked it's neighbor, my dentist sent me to an oral surgeon to remove the roots - which hedid so roughly Jalmost fainted in the chair and needed 3 powerful prescribed pain pills to ever numb my jaw. He was reported and according to my dentist, severely reprimended. Four weeks ago I had a \$9000 tridge put in, which medicare daes not cover, and I have no dental insurance.

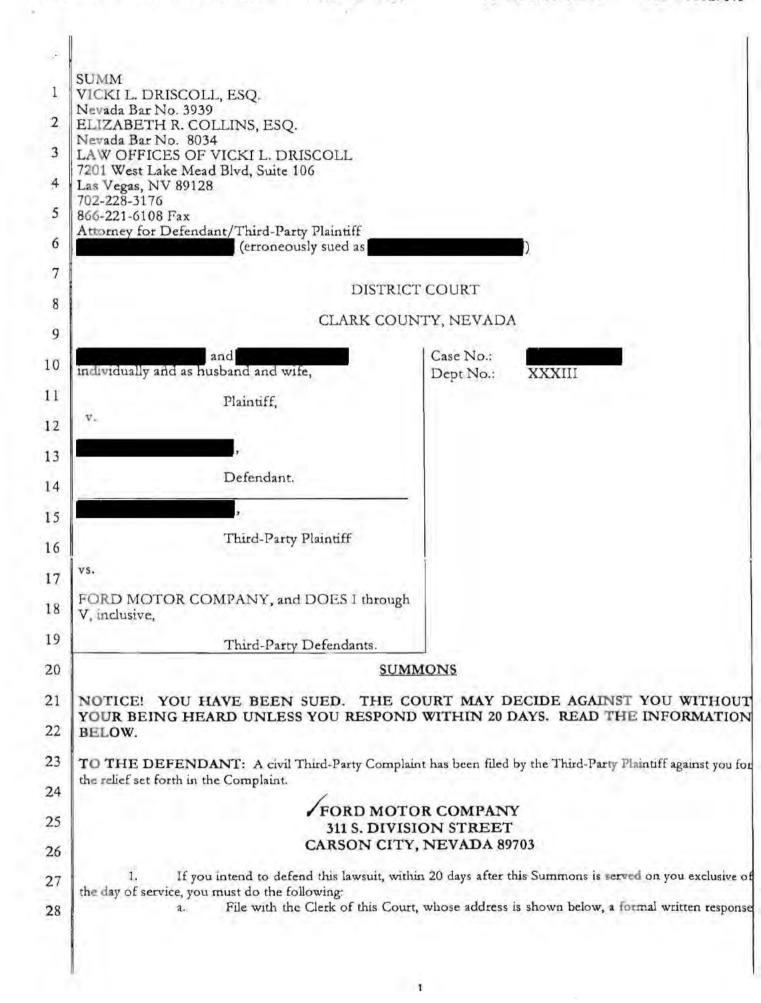
the auto repair shop (in ausiness over 30 years) closely inspected the ascelerator eable was not just faulty but fraged and even partially broken in two places and most definitely responsible for my first ever car ascident, probably others just diseavered as well, others, like myself, suffering multiple injuries that ended a dury, active life, now dull inactive one, my pretty ask Isla Escape Limited totally totaled my insurance probably canceled, me unable to even well without aid, me also an Social Security durdened not only with a 49000 a dental bill, but near 100,000 in medical Hospital hills. True, medicare will pay 50%

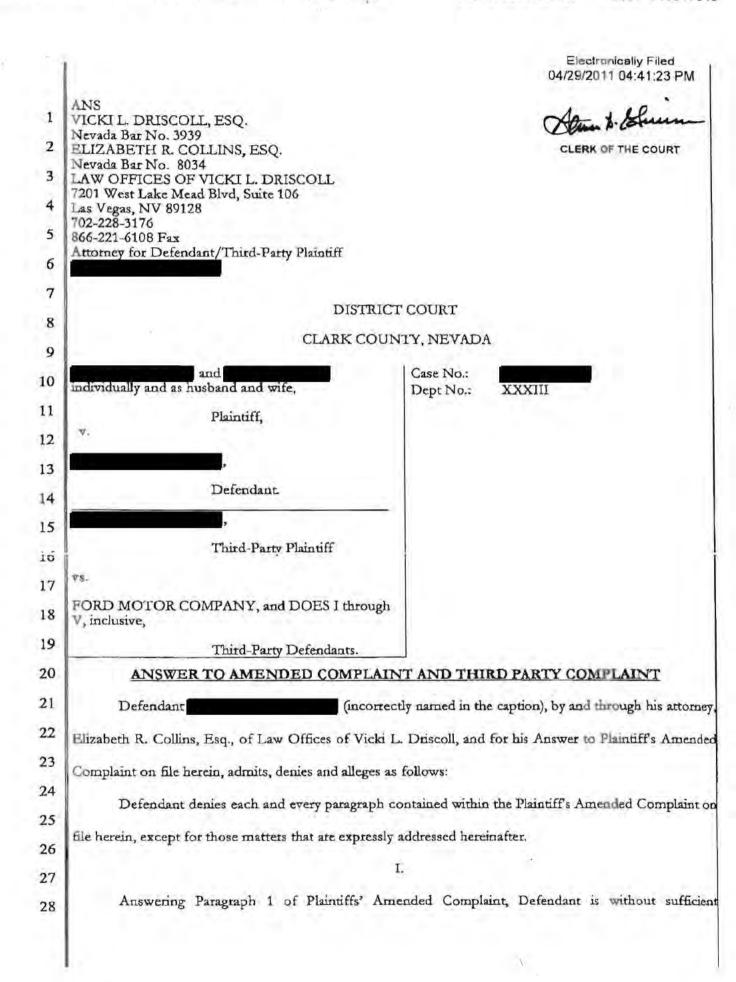
of the latter, but 20% is one BIG hunk of money.

With my Escape slamming into that big pole hard enough to cause somuch damage to botheme and the car, why didn't the air bags deplay? The seat belts look? Neither Kappened, which makes one mander if all wasn't Ford's fault in replacing a defective accelerate

6) with another just as defective. Seems worth the Customer Relationship Center falk checking into, though it's probably two late to spare someone else the same, if not worse, physical and fenancial problems that new Eurden me. Went you please at least investigate. Enclased are several most unattractive, but actual photos of my Escape and myself, that. hopefully will encourage let's - check into - this matter Denner CO incorrect VIN# 1FMCU944163 MIV mileage 36937.4







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knowledge to form a belief as to the truth or falsity of the allegations contained therein and, therefore, denies same.

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Answering Paragraphs 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 of Plaintiffs' Amended Complaint, Defendant denies the allegations contained therein.

# FIRST AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Plaintiff's Amended Complaint on file herein fails to state a claim against Defendant upon which relief can be granted.

# SECOND AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Plaintiff has failed to mitigate his/her damages, if any.

# THIRD AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The incident alleged in the Amended Complaint and the resulting damage, if any, to the Plaintiff was proximately caused or contributed to by the Plaintiff's own negligence and such negligence was greater than the negligence, which is specifically denied, of this answering Defendant.

# FOURTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

The damages, if any, suffered by Plaintiff(s) were caused by new, independent, intervening and superseding causes, and not by this Answering Defendant's alleged negligence or other actionable conduct, the existence of which is specifically denied.

### FIFTH AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE

Defendant alleges that the occurrence referred to in the Amended Complaint, and all injuries and damages, if any, resulting therefrom, were caused by the acts or omissions of a third party over whom Defendant had no control.

WHEREFORE, Defendant prays for judgment as follows:

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manner and is legally responsible in some manner of the events and happenings herein referred to, and

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legally and proximately caused the alleged injury and damages to Plaintiff(s).

Third Party Plaintiff, at all times relevant herein, operated the vehicle he was driving in a safe and non-negligent manner.

VI.

Upon information and belief, the sole and proximate cause of the accident which is the subject of Plaintiff(s)' Complaint was the negligence or other fault of Third Party Defendant.

VII.

Third Party Plaintiff was not negligent or otherwise responsible for the acts, injuries or damages alleged by Plaintiff(s). Third Party Defendant should bear the entire responsibility for this accident and fully and totally indemnify Third Party Plaintiff for any and all damages arising from this incident as alleged in this action. However, if as a result of matters alleged in Plaintiff(s)' Complaint, Third Party Plaintiff is required to satisfy more than his/her share of all or part of the claims asserted against him/her by Plaintiff(s), which liability is expressly denied, Third Party Defendant is liable to Third Party Plaintiff for his/her proportion and contribution based upon his/her degree of negligence in this matter.

### Strict Products Liability

Third-Party Plaintiff repeats and realleges the allegations contained in paragraphs I through VII as if set forth fully herein.

VIII.

Third-Party Defendant designed and/or manufactured and/or placed into the stream of commerce the vehicle which Third-Party Plaintiff was driving at the time of the subject incident.

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The subject vehicle was defective.

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1 The defect existed when the product left Third-Party Defendant's possession. 2 3 The product was used in a manner which was reasonably foreseeable by Third-Party Plaintiff. 4 XII. 5 The defect was the cause of the damages alleged by Plaintiff. 6 XIII. 7 Third-Party Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that the failures and 8 damages alleged by Plaintiff occurred because of the negligence of Third-Party Defendants. 9 XIV. 10 As a direct and proximate result of the act of Third-Party Defendants, it is herein alleged that Third-11 Party Plaintiff has incurred and continue to incur costs and expenses including but not limited to litigation 12 costs, attorneys' fees and experts' fees to mitigate damages because Third-Party Defendant designed and/or 13 manufactured and/or placed into the stream of commerce the defective vehicle and to defend against 14 Plaintiff's action herein. 15 XV. 16 Third Party Plaintiff has found it necessary to retain the services of an attorney in order to prosecute 17 this action and is entitled to attorney's fees and costs of suit incurred herein. 18 Implied Indemnity 19 Third-Party Plaintiff repeats and realleges the allegations contained in paragraphs I through XV as if 20 set forth fully herein. 21 XVI. 22 Third-Party Plaintiff has denied the allegations of Plaintiff's Complaint, and, without admitting the 23 allegations contained therein, if it is found that Third-Party Plaintiff is liable for any such damage to 24 Plaintiff, then Third-Party Plaintiff is informed and believes, and thereon alleges, that such damage is 25 primarily and ultimately caused by the acts, breaches and/or omissions of Third-Party Defendantswhereas 26 Third-Party Plaintiff's acts, if any, were secondary, passive or derivative in nature. 27 XVII. 28

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Third-Party Plaintiff is informed and believes, and thereon alleges, that the damages alleged by Plaintiff in his Complaint involve failure to properly construct, design, and or manufacture the subject vehicle and Third-Party Plaintiff is further informed and believes, and thereon alleges, that said damages were caused by the Third-Party Defendants arising out of and in connection with the performance of Third-Party Defendants,, and each of their, obligations as referred to above.

By reason of the foregoing, if Plaintiff recovers against Third-Party Plaintiff, Third-Party Plaintiff is entitled to indemnity from the Third-Party Defendants,, for injuries and damages sustained by Plaintiff, if any, for any sums paid by way of settlement, or in the alternative, any judgment rendered against Third-Party Plaintiff in the action herein based upon Plaintiff's Complaint and any cause of action alleged therein.

# XIX.

Third Party Plaintiff has found it necessary to retain the services of an attorney in order to prosecute this action and is entitled to attorney's fees and costs of suit incurred herein.

# Equitable Indemnity

Third-Party Plaintiff repeats and realleges the allegations contained in paragraphs I through XIX as if set forth fully herein.

# XX.

In equity and good conscience, if the Plaintiff recovers against Third-Party Plaintiff, then Third-Party Plaintiff is entitled to equitable indemnity and contribution among and from Third-Party Defendant, according to their respective fault, for the injuries and damages allegedly sustained by Plaintiff, if any, by way of sums paid by settlement or in the alternative any judgments rendered against Third-Party Plaintiff in the action herein based upon Plaintiff's Complaint.

#### XXI.

Third-Party Plaintiff expressly denies the allegations of the Complaint, or other wrongdoing on its part. Should Third-Party Plaintiff nevertheless be found liable for any alleged wrongdoings with respect to the allegations of the Complaint, the acts and/or omissions of Third-Party Plaintiff were passive and secondary, while those of Third-Party Defendants, were active, primary and superseding. Thus, as a direct,

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proximate and foreseeable result of the wrongdoing of Third-Party Defendants, Third-Party Plaintiff is entitled to total equitable indemnity from any and all liability adjudged against it by Plaintiff.

#### XXII.

Third Party Plaintiff has found it necessary to retain the services of an attorney in order to prosecute this action and is entitled to attorney's fees and costs of suit incurred herein.

# Breach of the Implied Warranty of Merchantability

Third-Party Plaintiff repeats and realleges the allegations contained in paragraphs I through XXII as if set forth fully hercin.

### XXIII.

Third-Party Plaintiff is informed and believes, and based thereon alleges, that Third-Party Defendant, entered into a contract for the sale of the subject vehicle.

#### XXIV.

Third Party Plaintiff is informed and believes that Third Party Defendant is a merchant with respect to goods of the kinds of the subject vehicle.

### XXV.

Third Party Defendant tendered goods, namely the subject vehicle, that were not fit for the ordinary use, namely driving the vehicle on a public street without sudden and unexpected acceleration with the inability to stop.

#### XXVI.

Third-Party Plaintiff relied upon said warranties and believed that the subject vehicle was designed and constructed in a first class and workmanlike manner and the labor performed and services provided were properly performed by Third-Party Defendants as designated above, and their agents, or employees, and for their intended use and purpose.

#### XXVII.

Third-Party Plaintiff is informed and believes, and thereon alleges, that Third-Party Defendants, breached said warranties in that the vehicle was defective in nature thereby resulting in injury through the design and construction of the subject vehicle, and that, as a consequence of said conduct, alleges

damages resulting therefrom, as more particularly alleged in Plaintiff's Complaint.

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As a proximate result of the breach of the implied warranties by Third-Party Defendants, Third-Party Plaintiff alleges that they will suffer damages in a sum equal to any sums paid by way of settlement, or, in the alternative, judgment rendered against Third-Party Plaintiff in the action herein based upon Plaintiff's Complaint.

XXIX.

Third Party Plaintiff has found it necessary to retain the services of an attorney in order to prosecute this action and is entitled to attorney's fees and costs of suit incurred herein.

Contribution

Third-Party Plaintiff repeats and realleges the allegations contained in paragraphs I through XXIX as if set forth fully herein.

XXX.

Third-Party Plaintiff is entitled to contribution from Third-Party Defendants for the injuries and damages allegedly sustained by Plaintiff, if any, as a result of any judgment or settlement awarded against Third-Party Plaintiff herein.

XXXI.

Third Party Plaintiff has found it necessary to retain the services of an attorney in order to prosecute this action and is entitled to attorney's fees and costs of suit incurred herein.

Apportionment

Third-Party Plaintiff repeats and realleges the allegations contained in paragraphs I through XXXI as if set forth fully herein.

XXXII.

Based upon the acts and/or omissions of Third-Party Defendants, if judgment is rendered on behalf of Plaintiff and against Third-Party Plaintiff, Third-Party Plaintiff is entitled to an apportionment of liability among Third-Party Defendants.

1 XXXIII. 2 Third Party Plaintiff has found it necessary to retain the services of an attorney in order to prosecute 3 this action and is entitled to attorney's fees and costs of suit incurred herein. 4 5 WHEREFORE, Third-Party Plaintiffs pray for judgment as follows: 6 1. For judgment against Third-Party Defendants for general and special damages in an amount in 7 excess of \$10,000.00; 8 2. For damages against Third-Party Defendant if liability is found, upon the theory of indemnity; 9 3. For damages against Third-Party Defendant, if liability is found, upon the theory of contribution; 10 4. For an apportionment of liability among the Third-Party Defendant; 11 5. For damages against Third-Party Defendant if liability is found, upon the theory of strict products 12 liability; 13 6. For reasonable attorneys' fees and costs incurred herein; and 14 For such other and further relief as the Court deems just and proper. 15 DATED this 28 day of Opr. 16 LAW OFFICES OF VICKI L. DRISCOLL 17 18 VICKI L. DRISCOLL, ESQ. 19 Nevada Bar No. 3939 ELIZABETH R. COLLINS, ESQ. 20 Nevada Bar No. 8034 7201 West Lake Mead Blvd, Suite 106 21 Las Vegas, NV 89128 Attorney for Defendant/Third-Party Plaintiff 22 23 24 25 26 27

### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

Pursuant to Nevada Rules of Civil Procedure 5(b) and EDCR 7.26, I hereby certify that service of the foregoing ANSWER TO AMENDED COMPLAINT AND THIRD PARTY COMPLAINT was made this date by depositing a true copy of the same for mailing, first class mail, at Las Vegas, Nevada, addressed as follows:

Michael F. Bohn, Esq. Law Offices of Michael F. Bohn, Ltd. 1880 E. Warm Springs Road, Suite 110 Las Vegas, Nevada 89119 Attorney for Plaintiff

> EMPLOYEE OF LAW OFFICES VICKI L. DRISCOLL

4.29.11 DATED:

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1	to the Third-Party Complaint in accordance with the rules of the Court.  b. Serve a copy of your response upon the attorney whose name and address is shown below.
2	2. Unless you respond, your default will be entered upon application of the Third-Party Plaintiff and this Court may enter a judgment against you for the relief demanded in the Third-Party Complaint, which could resu
3	in the taking of money or property or other relief requested in the Third-Party Complaint.
4	<ol> <li>If you intend to seek the advice of an attorney in this matter, you should do so promptly so that you response may be filed on time.</li> </ol>
5	4. The State of Nevada, its political subdivisions, agencies, officers, employees, board member
7	commission members and legislators, each have 45 days after service of this Summons within which to file an answ or other responsive pleading to the Third-Party Complaint.
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10	VICKY L. DRISCOLL, ESQ. DEPUTY CLERK Date Nevada Bar No. 3939 County Courthouse
11	Law Offices, Vicki L. Driscoll, 200 Lewis Avenue Managing Attorney Las Vegas, Nevada 89155
12	ELIZABETH R. COLLINS, ESQ. Nevada Bar No. 8034
13	7201 W. Lake Mead Blvd., Ste. 106 Las Vegas, Nevada 89128
14	Attorneys for Plaintiff (702) 228-3176
15	NOTE: When service is by publication, add a brief statement of the object of the action.
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### Description of Accident / Narrative Continuation

FROM A PRIVATE DRIVEWAY ONTO N/B EASTERN THAT THE ACCELERATOR BECAME STUCK IN THE DOWN POSITION. V1 DRIVER SAID THAT IN AN ATTEMPT TO GET HIS VEHICLE TO STOP, HE PULLED THE EMERGENCY BRAKE LEVER UP AND CONSTANTLY PRESSED ON THE BRAKE PEDAL BUT THAT THE VEHICLE CONTINUED TO ACCELERATE. V1 DRIVER SAID THAT THE LEFT FRONT TIRE OF V1 STRUCK THE RAISED CEMENT MEDIAN, WHICH CAUSED V1 TO ROLL ONTO THE DRIVER'S SIDE BEFORE STRIKING VEHICLES 2,3,4, AND 5. THE WITNESS, ALONG WITH THE DRIVER OF V2, SAID THAT VEHICLE 1 DIDN'T ROLL UNTIL AFTER THE RIGHT FRONT OF V1 COLLIDED WITH THE LEFT SIDE OF V2. THE INITIAL COLLISION OF V1 INTO V2 PUSHED V2 IN A NORTHEAST DIRECTION, CAUSING THE FRONT OF V2 TO COLLIDE WITH THE REAR OF V3 BEFORE THE RIGHT FRONT OF V2 HIT THE LEFT FRONT OF V4, V2 CAME TO A STOP IN THE MIDDLE N/B TRAVEL LANE. AFTER COLLIDING WITH V2, V1 ROLLED ONTO THE DRIVER'S SIDE AND ROTATED CLOCKWISE, CAUSING THE TOP REAR OF V1 TO COLLIDE WITH THE REAR OF V5. V1 DRIVER AND PASSENGER COMPLAINED OF PAIN, BUT REFUSED TRANSPORTATION TO THE HOSPITAL. DIGITAL PHOTOS WERE TAKEN OF THE SCENE ALONG WITH PICTURES OF V1'S EMERGENCY BRAKE HANDLE PULLED IN THE UP POSITION WHICH CORROBORATED V1 DRIVER'S ACCOUNT OF WHAT OCCURRED. V1 DRIVER CITED FOR ACCIDENT CAUSING VIOLATION.

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