U.S. Department of Transportation

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

DOT Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire

To Report Vehicle Safety Defects
1-888-DASH-2-DOT
(1-888-327-4236)
INTERNET:www.nhtsa.dot.gov/hotline

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OWNER INFORMATION (Type or Print)

Name: [redacted]

Address: [redacted]

City: BOULDER | State: CO | Zip Code: [redacted]

Daytime Telephone Number: [redacted] | E-mail Address:

Evening Telephone Number:

Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of this report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? ☐ YES ☒ NO
In the absence of an authorization, NHTSA WILL NOT provide your name or address to the vehicle manufacturer.

Signature of Owner _____ Date ___/___/___

VEHICLE INFORMATION

17 digit Vehicle Identification Number located at bottom of windshield on driver's side: JHLRD186X1C054984

Make: HONDA | Model: CRV | Model Year: 2001

Date Purchased: 10/20/01 | Dealer's Name and Telephone Number: Ralph Sharp Honda 303-798-1500

Original Owner: ☒

Dealer's City: Littleton, Co 80121 | State: Co | Zip Code: 80121

Engine: No: Cylinders | Fuel Type: unleaded

Transmission Type: Automatic | ☒ Antilock Brakes | ☒ Cruise Control

Powertrain: 4cylinder AWD

Vehicle Component Code: 114100 ELECTRICAL SYSTEM:WIRING:FRONT UNDERHOOD ???

Multiple Failure: Gas line as per fire dept.

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Incident Date(s)	Failure Mileage	Failure Speed
Aug 7, 2003	17,886 (17000)	20mph

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A TIRE FAILURE

Tire Make | Tire Model (Name or Number) | Tire Size (Example P215/65R15)

DOT No. (Example: DOTMA1GABC036) | ☐ Original Equipment ☐ Prior Repair | Failure Location:

Tire Component Code | Tire Failure Type

ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO BE COMPLETED WHEN REPORTING A CHILD SEAT FAILURE

Make: | Date Manufactured: | Model No./Name:

Seat Type: | Installation System:

Child Seat Component Code: | Failed Part:

APPLICABLE INCIDENT INFORMATION

(Please describe in detail the incident(s), Fatalities, Crashes, and Injury(ies).)

Crash: ☐ Yes ☒ No | Fire: ☒ Yes ☐ No | Number of Persons Injured: 0 - minor injuries | Number of Deaths: | Reported to Police: (Y) Case # CR 03-5408

Broomfield Police Dept
7 DesCombes Dr Broomfield, Co 80020

Narrative Description of Incident(S), Crash(es), and Injury(ies).
Please describe (1) events leading up to the failure, (2) failure and its consequences, and (3) what was done to correct the failure; i.e., parts repaired or replaced (and if old part is available).

CONSUMER WAS DRIVING IN THE CITY, "THERE WAS A LOUD POP THAT CAME FROM THE DRIVER'S SIDE FLOOR OARD NEAR GAS AND BRAKE PEDALS." DRIVER IMMEDIATLY SAW FLAMES COMING FROM UNDER THE HOOD AND PULLED OVER. ANOTHER DRIVER TRAVELING BEHIND TOLD CONSUMER THERE WAS A TRAIL OF GAS LEAKING UNDER THE VEHICLE PRIOR TO STOPPING. THE VEHICLE WAS TOTALLED. *AK

Include, if available: Police/Fire Department Report, Photos, and Repair Invoice. ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY

The Privacy Act of 1974-Public Law 93-579 This information is requested pursuant to authority vested in the National Highway Traffic Safety Act and subsequent amendments. You are under no obligation to respond this questionnaire. Your response may be used to assist the NHTSA in determining whether a defect exists and should take appropriate action to correct a safety defect. If the NHTSA proceeds with administrative enforcement or litigation against a manufacturer, your response, or a statistical summary thereof, may be used in support of the agency's action.

Narrative Description of Incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies)

On Aug 7, I had just left the parking lot at Flat Irons Mall in Broomfield, Co. I turned on West Flat Irons drive to go the Great Indoors Store - I smelled gas & immediately felt & heard a loud pop under my seat (drivers) & within seconds flames came up from under hood going across my windshield & then entire front of car was on fire. After jumbling (I was in shock) with my seat belt - I got out & the people behind me had already called 911 & told me they were trying to get my attention as gas was pouring out the bottom of my car. A cement truck came by & put out most of the fire - before the fire dept arrived

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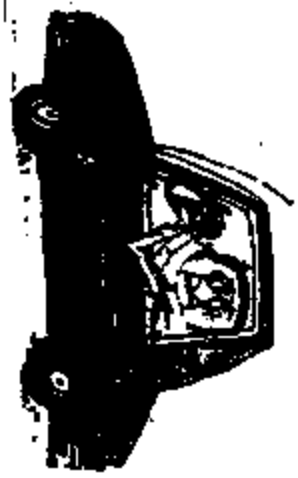
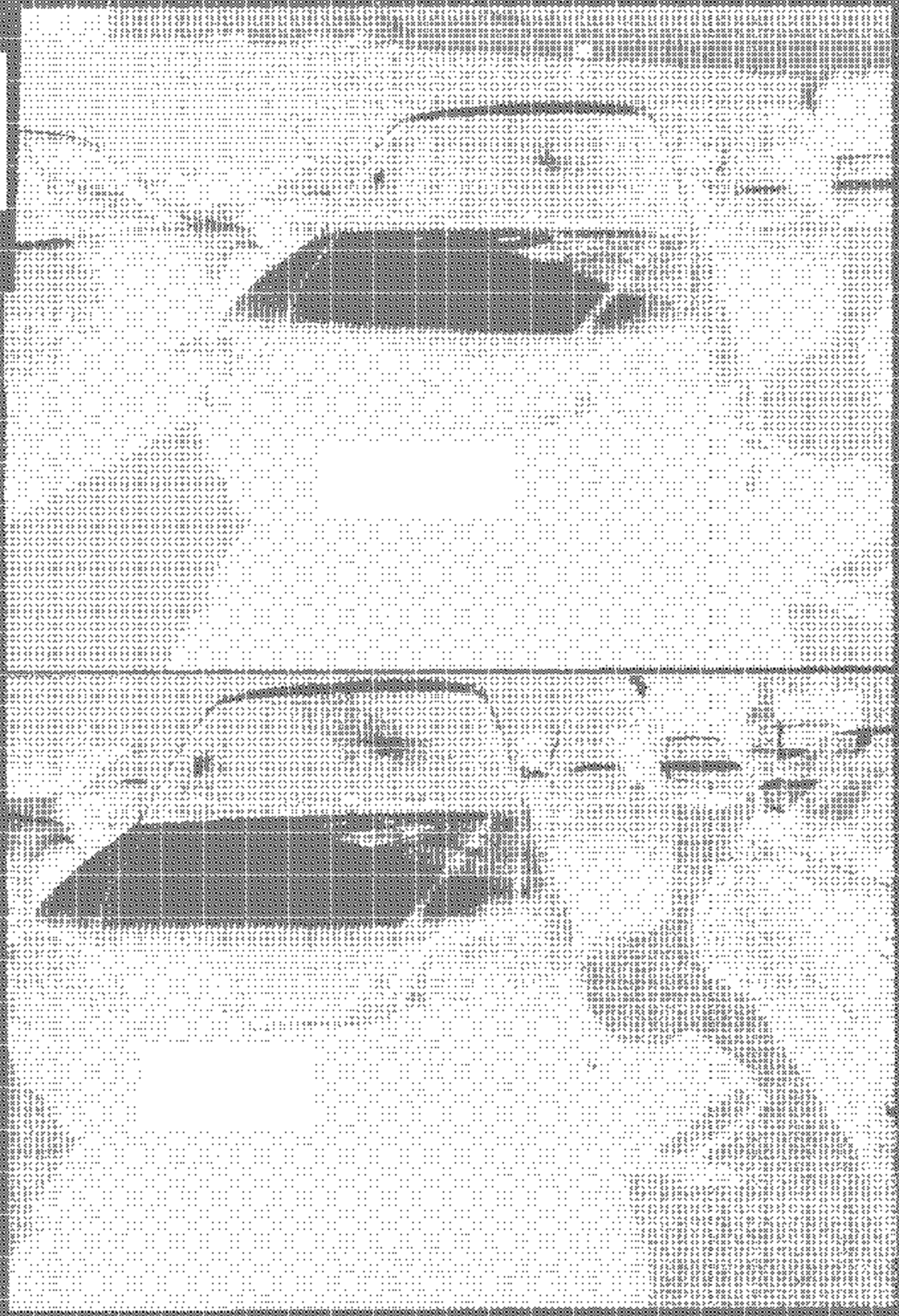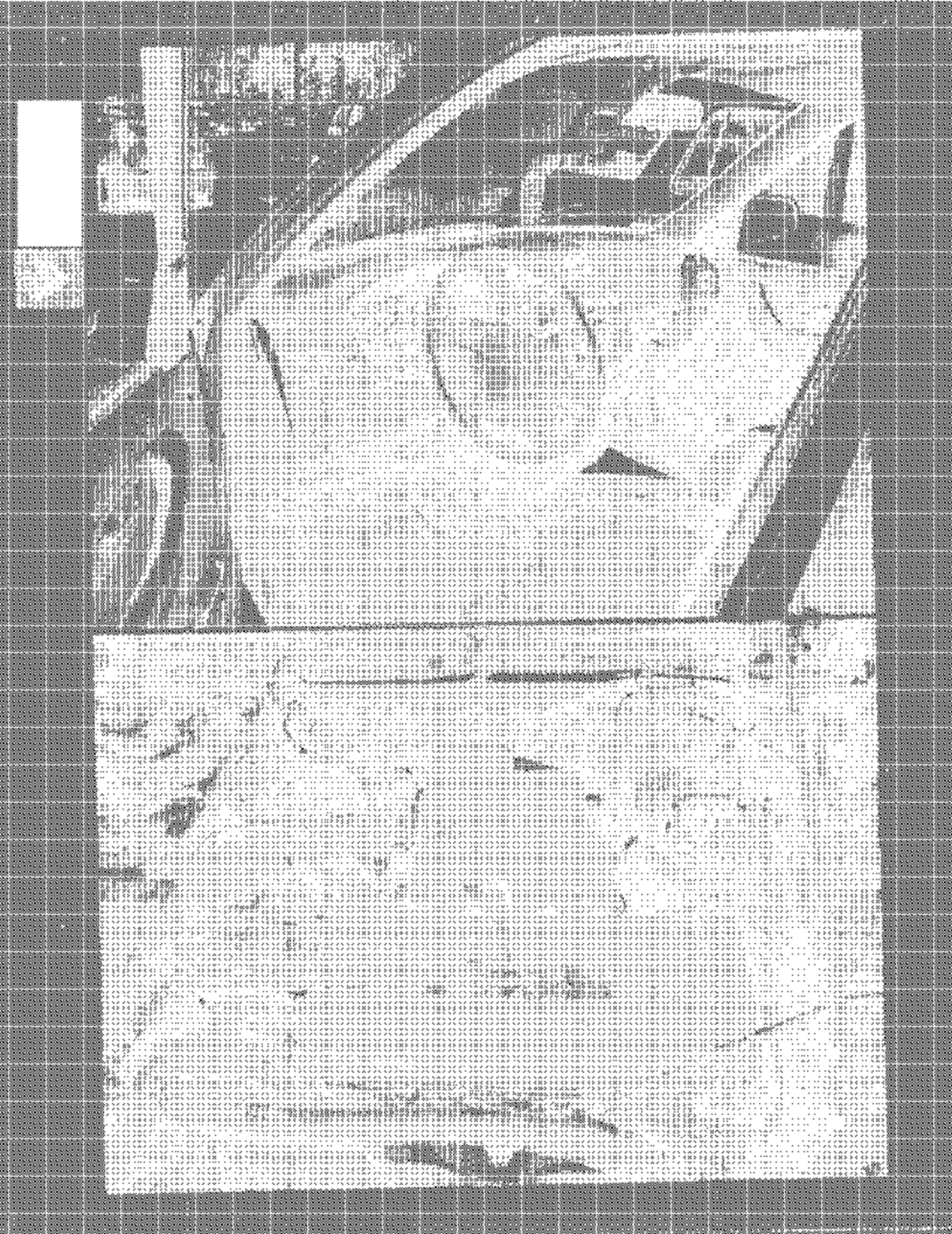
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