

**INITIAL ACKNOWLEDGMENT FAX SHEET OF RECEIPT OF DEFECT INFORMATION  
REPORT SUBMITTED UNDER 49 CFR PART 573**

Assigned Recall No. 00V-345 by the  
National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

Part 573 Report Date: **October 27 2000**

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**MANUFACTURER: General Motors Corporation (GM)**

**MANUFACTURER CONTACT: Mr. Frank C. Sonye, Jr.  
Director, Product Investigations**

**FAX: (810) 947-2318**

**SUBJECT: 1,383,922 GM 1999-2000 Chevrolet Silverado, Tahoe and Suburban, and GMC Sierra, Yukon and Yukon XL model vehicles manufactured from April 1998 through June 2000. Some of these vehicles have a clearance condition between the front right-hand brake pipe and the body cross sill that could decrease to the point of allowing contact during the life of the vehicle. If contact occurs and the brake pipe becomes damaged, in half of the brake system there can be a loss of brake fluid and pressure. The brake warning lamp will be activated when the brake fluid level reaches the indicator limit. *GM Recall No. 00093.***

This is an initial acknowledgment for this recall. A formal acknowledgment letter will be forthcoming shortly. After our review of your report and associated documents, we may have additional comments or concerns.

We have reviewed your draft owner notification and it meets the requirements of Part 577.

As stated in Part 573.6, submission of the first of six consecutive quarterly status reports is required within one month after the close of the calendar quarter in which notification to purchasers occurs. As stated in your letter, owner notification is expected to begin during December 2000. Therefore, the first quarterly report will be due in this office by January 30, 2001.

If you have any questions, please call:

Patricia Wallace, Recall Analyst on (202) 366-5232  
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Dear Mr. Sonye:

We have reviewed General Motors Corporation's (GM) Defect Information Report dated October 27, 2000, submitted in accordance with 49 CFR Part 573, "Defect and Noncompliance Reports." This recall involves 1,383,922 GM 1999-2000 Chevrolet Silverado, Tahoe and Suburban, and GMC Sierra, Yukon and Yukon XL model vehicles manufactured from April 1998 through June 2000. Some of these vehicles have a clearance condition between the front right-hand brake pipe and the body cross sill that could decrease to the point of allowing contact during the life of the vehicle. If contact occurs and the brake pipe becomes damaged, in half of the brake system there can be a loss of brake fluid and pressure. The brake warning lamp will be activated when the brake fluid level reaches the indicator limit. The assigned recall identification number for this recall is 00V-345 (GM Safety Recall No. 00093).

**GM is responsible for the remedy of these vehicles from this date forward, regardless of vehicle age, mileage, or ownership.**

**Quarterly Status Reports**

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If you have any questions, please contact Mrs. Pat Wallace at (202) 366-5232 or fax at (202) 366-7882.

Sincerely,

  
Jonathan D. White, Chief  
Recall Analysis Division  
Office of Defects Investigation  
Safety Assurance