

ASBESTOS

(Disposal of Unserviceable Brake Shoes)

POSSIBLE AREAS OF CONCERN

Some brake shoes/pads or clutch disks may contain asbestos-containing materials.

CHARACTERIZATION

Asbestos-containing materials are managed as a Special Waste. These items may be handled by non-trained workers, but caution should be used and specific work practices should be followed for removal from vehicles.

HANDLING PROCEDURES FOR MILITARY & CIVILIAN ON POST

Step 1 Double wrap brake shoes/pads or clutch disks in 6 mil or thicker plastic and seal with duct tape for disposal. Do not exceed 20 pounds per package.

Step 2 Label package as follows:
a) "Danger. Contains Asbestos Fibers. Avoid Creating Dust. Cancer and Lung Disease Hazard."
b) Generator Information (e.g. unit, POC, phone)

Step 3 Place in a sturdy, closed container.

Step 4 Complete DD 1348-1A for each NSN turned in. Contact **DRMO Environmental** to determine further requirements for turn in.



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GENERAL INFORMATION

Proper brake shoe/clutch disk removal may be done by different approved techniques. Contact **Preventive Medicine / Industrial Hygiene** or **Environmental Division TSCA** for details on these techniques.