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Testing performed or information acquired	Year	Companies	Information acquired	Action
Dust levels during manufacturing	1930-1932	Raybestos, JM, Southern: conducted by Met Life	Low dose exposures caused disease. TLV inadequate	None
Testing for Diseases in production workers	1930-1932	Raybestos, JM, Southern: conducted by Met Life	Asbestosis often fatal. May cause heart disease and obstructive lung disease	Published Lanza 1935
Worker testing	1937	Multibestos	Short exposures cause disease	Published (George & Leonard)
Animal testing	1938-1946	Group of brake manufacturing companies	Asbestos causes cancer – asbestosis not required. TLV wrong. New measurement method for fibers required. Fibers (not chemical composition of rock cause of disease)	Only fiber information published (Vorwald 1951)
Product testing	1939	GM	Exposures during use above TLV. Lead exposure possible	Published (Castro 1949)

Substitutes available	1936	OI, various German companies	Various patents; OI-1936; Bendix-1955 (ceramic brakes marketed)	Published
Warnings Inadequate	1966	Bendix	EA Martin letter	Unpublished
Warnings Inadequate	1972	AIA, FMSI, CMA, Chrysler	Weaver speech, CMA OSHA letter	Unpublished except as to Borel
Chrysotile causes mesothelioma	1974	AIA, FMSI	Weaver speech	Unpublished
Auto shops not equipped to deal with problem	1974	AIA, FMSI	Weaver speech	Unpublished

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