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2 DIRECT EXAMINATION (CONTINUED)

3 BY MR. HOFFMAN:

4 Q Dr. Hill, does exposure to dust released
5 from asbestos-related brake material cause asbestos-
6 related diseases in people?

7 A Yes.

8 Q And how do you know that?

9 A Well, I know it from my reading, and, in
10 fact, if you think about it, I know about it from the
11 case that I am testifying about today.

12 Q Well, before we get to the Wood case, can
13 you tell me, are there any articles reported in the
14 medical and scientific literature which document cases
15 of asbestos disease in individuals where their
16 documented asbestos exposure comes from dust released
17 from asbestos brake materials?

18 A Yes. There are papers as early as the 1970s
19 attesting to asbestosis in patients -- sorry, men who
20 worked in garages and other studies where they worked
21 on brakes, either repairing them, installing them, et