

1 mesothelioma of the pleura.

2 Q Do you have an opinion, again, with
3 reasonable medical certainty, as to what the cause was
4 of his malignant mesothelioma?

5 A Yes.

6 Q And what is that opinion, Doctor?

7 A The cause of the malignant mesothelioma was
8 his occupational exposure to asbestos.

9 Q Now, assume that Mr. Grewe worked as an
10 automobile mechanic from the mid '50s to 1957 to 1992,
11 and as part of his work that he was exposed to
12 asbestos-containing dust which he inhaled when he
13 performed removal, repair and installation of brake
14 linings and disc pads, and that those products, some
15 of those products were supplied by Ford Motor Company
16 which contained approximately 40 to 60 percent
17 chrysotile asbestos.

18 And also assume that part of that time his
19 exposure resulted from work sanding, scoring and
20 grinding new Ford brakes and linings and disc pads
21 prior to their installation on the vehicle.