

1 A I do.

2 Q You mentioned a few minutes ago about the
3 number of cases you saw in the Bremerton area?

4 A Correct.

5 Q About how many have you seen in that area?

6 A Since I have been in Bremerton, I worked
7 there now going on the 7th year, and I have seen close
8 to about 90, 100 cases.

9 Q How many of those cases in your opinion,
10 Dr. Hammar, were asbestos related?

11 A 100 percent of them were.

12 Q 100 percent?

13 A Yes.

14 Q Is mesothelioma a common tumor in humans?

15 A Extremely uncommon.

16 Q What is the rate of mesothelioma in the
17 general population?

18 A The current studies indicate, and this would
19 depend a little bit where you took your sample from,
20 but if you just looked at the general population of
21 the United States, and looked at what the incidence