chrysotile asbestos.

Assuming these facts are true and that this individual contracted mesothelioma, do you have an opinion to a reasonable degree of scientific certainty as to whether this individual's mesothelioma was -- I am sorry, let me -- do you have an opinion to a reasonable degree of scientific certainty as to whether this individual's exposures to asbestos-containing friction products were substantial contributing factors to his mesothelioma?

MR. SHELLENBERGER: Objection.

THE COURT: Overruled.

MR. SHELLENBERGER: May I be heard?

THE COURT: You may not.

You may answer.

A Yes, I have an opinion.

Q What is your opinion?

A There is no basis to conclude based on your hypothetical that the exposures could have caused or contributed to the disease process that you referred to as mesothelioma.