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DO YOU HAVE POLYCHLORINATED BIPHENYL (PCB) PROBLEMS?

WHAT ARE PCB'S?

A chemical composition present in non-combustible (fire resistant) transformer and capacitor fluids known under the generic name of **ASKAREL.**

WHO PRODUCES ASKAREL AND UNDER WHAT TRADE NAME?

MANUFACTURER	TRADE NAME
Aerovox	Hyvol
Allis-Chalmers	Chlorextol
American Corporation	Abestol
Cornell Dubilier	Dy Kanol
General Electric	Pyranol
Kuhlman Electric	Saf-T-Kuhl
McGraw Edison	Elemex
Sangamo Electric	Diaclor
Wagner Electric	Noflamol
Westinghouse Electric	Inerteen

HOW DO (PCB'S) ASKARELS BECOME A PROBLEM?

Mounting evidence has proven that vast amounts of these toxic fluids have escaped into the environment through

(1) Loss of **Askarel** fluids during manufacture and filling of Askarel filled electrical equipment.

(2) Accidents during the transporting of Askarel and Askarel filled equipment.

(3) Transformer and capacitor ruptures and leaks.

(4) Improper disposal of Askarel samples removed from transformers for dielectric test.

(5) Improper disposal of solid items such as rags, gloves, tools, soil and other items that have been in contact with Askarel.

(6) Improper disposal of unserviceable Askarel filled electrical equipment.

HOW CAN GEDCOR HELP?

Gedcor markets the Dow Imbiber Bead that possesses the unique ability to imbibe (**Absorb**) **Askarel** fluids and turn them into a solid mass. The solid (imbibed) Askarels can be shipped to Gedcor for proper incineration and disposal. The attached brochures of Gedcor Products using Dow Imbiber **Beads** are available to help you.

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DISPOSAL OF UNSERVICEABLE ASKAREL FILLED TRANSFORMERS & CAPACITORS

In order to comply with recently proposed environmental regulations, industry is faced with the problem of how to properly dispose of Askarel filled electrical transformers and capacitors. A common mistake is not giving enough consideration to the Askarel fluids that adhere to the inner surfaces of the transformer or capacitor after draining, and before ultimate disposal. Appropriate attention should be given to even these small amounts since the Environmental Protection Agency's proposed standards are calling for effluents to contain no more than 1 part per trillion of **PCB.** Why not consider using Gedcor's complete disposal service?

Gedcor will accept your transformers and capacitors that are to be disposed of. We remove all of the Askarel fluids from them and solidify the fluid with imbiber beads. We then solvent wash the reservoir of the unit in order to remove any Askarel that is adhering to the metal surfaces. We solidify the solvent used in the wash process with imbiber beads, and dispose of all solidified Askarel and solvent by proper incineration. We then dispose of the metal parts by an ecologically accepted manner.

To avail yourself of this service, please follow the three steps listed below.

(1) Request our price for the service in writing on your quotation request. Please advise us of the size and number of pieces of equipment that you desire to dispose of and the amount of Askarel fluid in each piece.

(2) Our quotation will be promptly submitted complete with shipping instructions. **IMPORTANT** — All equipment containing ASKAREL fluids should be safeguarded against loss of the toxic substance during transit. Gedcor will assume no responsibility for the equipment until delivery is accepted at our facilities.

(3) Sit back and rest assured that Gedcor has accepted and relieved you of your problem.

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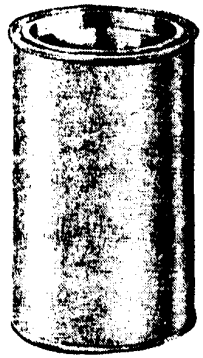
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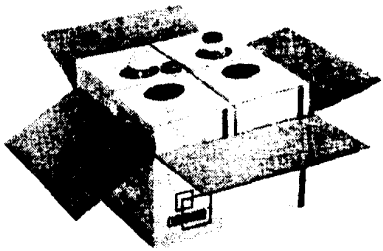
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GEDCOR PCB DISPOSABLE PACK - PART No. PCB-3-1

This unit was designed to elimimate problems relating to the disposal of items such as gloves, rags, absorbent materials, soil, and other solids that have been contaminated by contact with **PCB'S.** The unit is comprised of a 1 cubic foot fiber drum lined with a vapor proof plastic bag. The bag contains an amount of Imbiber Beads that serve to solidify any excess fluids that drain out of the solid matter.

TO USE- Simply place a maximum of 50 pounds of contaminated solid waste into the plastic bag and seal the bag with the bag tie. Replace the fiber container lid and ship the unit to Gedcor Corporation, freight prepaid. Gedcor will provide proper incineration and disposal of the entire PACK at no additional charge to the purchaser of the pack.

PRICE -
Gedcor PCB Disposal Pack - No. PCB-3-1 $29.00

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GEDCOR PCB DISPOSAL UNIT - PART No. PCB-1-4

This unit was designed primarily to minimize the problems relating to the disposal of sample amounts of **Askarel** removed from transformers for dielectric test.

TO USE - Simply fill each of the 1 gallon plastic containers with the **Askarel** fluid. Shake the container vigorously; this shaking action will mix the **Askarel** with the Imbiber Beads in the container. The mixture will solidify after allowing the container to stand a short while. Place the 1 gallon container back in the master carton. When all four 1 gallon containers have been filled, seal the master carton and ship the unit to Gedcor Corporation, freight prepaid. Gedcor will provide proper incineration and disposal of the entire unit at no additional charge to the purchaser of the disposal unit.

A Gedcor **PCB** disposal unit is also available in a single container of a capacity of 5 gallons under Part No. PCB-2-5.

PRICE -
Gedcor **PCB** Disposal Unit - No. PCB-1-4 $40.00
Gedcor **PCB** Disposal Unit - No. PCB-2-5 $45.00

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