

(Drislane - Purcell)

1 As of 1973, did the FMSI understand that small job
2 shops could expose individuals to high asbestos fiber
3 concentrations if operations on the brake linings were not
4 performed without controls.

5 MR. FRIESTEDT: Objection to form.

6 A I don't know. That was in the report, whether
7 people read this report or not, I have no idea. He did
8 deliver this report verbally at the meeting. But these here
9 are sales managers, primarily, at the Institute, now they --
10 they had other -- maybe other things on their mind. Whether
11 they brought that back to their companies, I don't know.

12 Q Could you read for us the paragraph that begins
13 "To me" in Mr. Weaver's report to the Institute?

14 A "To me, labeling all containers or packages of
15 asbestos-containing friction materials is the very least the
16 industry can do to fulfill moral obligation to its customers,
17 their employees and the public and at the same time conform
18 with minimum requirements of the Occupational Safety and
19 Health Act. I seriously question whether mere labeling is
20 enough to fulfill this requirement. It has been suggested by
21 others as well as by myself several times in the past that
22 additional instructions, of a more comprehensive nature than
23 is practical to provide on a label, be inserted inside each