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EXHAUST WRAP INSPECTION

PRIORITY: Regular P.M. Period Inspections
PURPOSE: Fire Protection
VEHICLES INVOLVED: Getman vehicles utilizing exhaust wrap

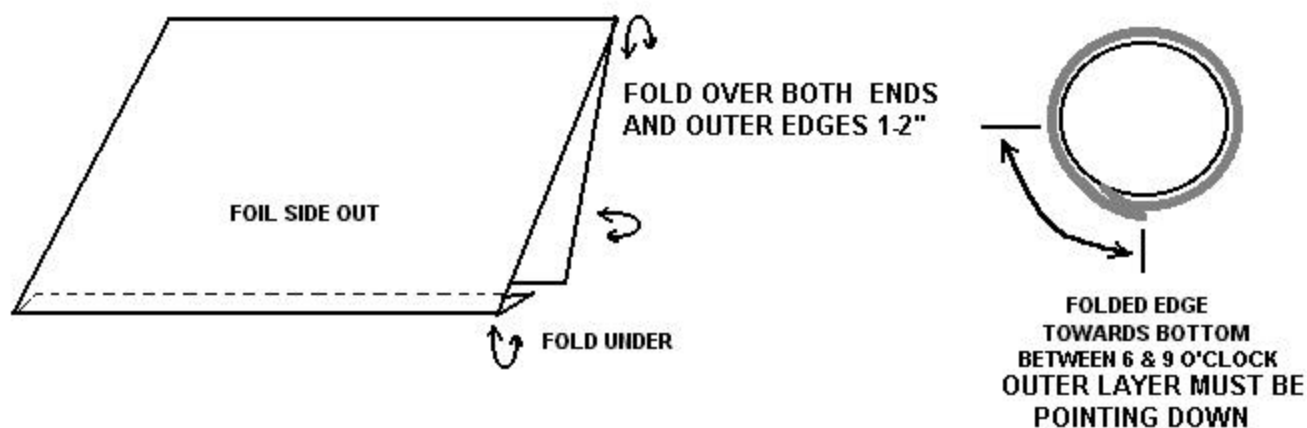
It has come to the attention of Getman Corporation, that over a period of time, the exhaust wrap utilized to shield the exhaust systems of many Getman vehicles may deteriorate to the point of becoming non-functional. This deterioration can often be attributed to high-pressure washing, accidental damage and maintenance work in the general area.

The purpose of this wrap separate the limited ignition source of hot exhaust systems components from possible fuel sources. The wrap is designed to reduce the surface temperature of the exhaust component to below auto ignition temperature of the combustible fluids on the machine. Its outer surface is impervious to combustible fluids, however it must be installed to prevent fluids from being absorbed by its inner surface or getting between the insulation and exhaust components. In order to complete this function properly, the wrap must be properly installed and maintained at all times.

Getman recommends this wrap be carefully inspected during each regularly scheduled maintenance period and be repaired and/or replaced if found to be worn, loose, torn or deteriorated in any way. When re-installing this wrap, it should properly installed to ensure exhaust components are provided maximum protection. See instructions on page 2 for proper installation.

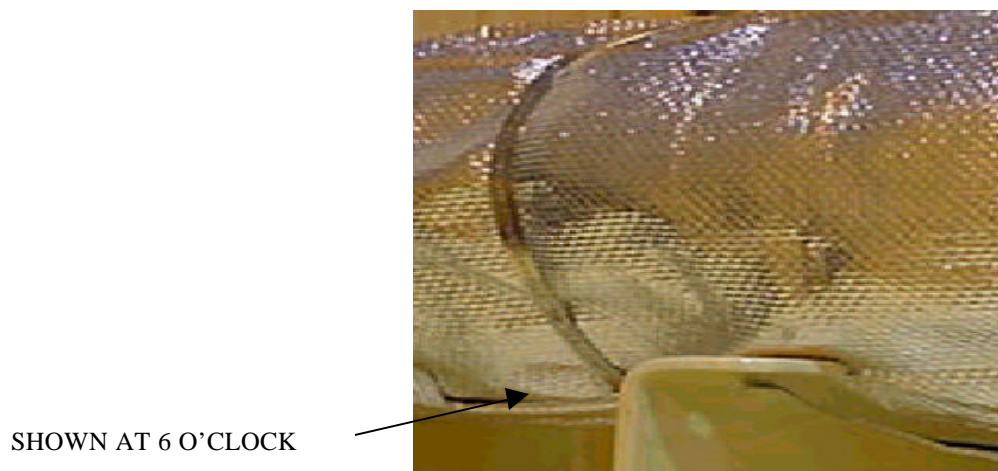
FIGURE 1. Worn Insulating Material Requiring Replacement





When re-installing the wrap, it should be folded so there is a double layer with the foil facing in towards the exhaust component being wrapped and also foil facing outward. Care should be taken to ensure all ends of the material whether at the bottom or both ends, are folded under minimum 1-2 "to prevent any frayed areas from being exposed. When wrapping any exhaust components, all seams must be at the bottom of the component being wrapped and secured utilizing clamps or wired securely in place. This will ensure any possible infiltration of fluids be allowed to drain out and not collect between the wrap and the exhaust system.

FIGURE 2. Correct Application of Insulating Material



The insulating material is readily available through Getman Corporation Parts Department. Part Numbers for the material and clamps as follows:

Part No. 605537 - Wrap, Aluminized Heat Barrier (roll = 40" wide X 20' long)

Part No. 605538 - Straps for Wrap 605537 (25' + 25 clips)

For further information regarding the purchase of these components, please contact Getman Corporation Factory Direct Parts @ 1-800-533-1110.

For further information regarding the above referenced Service Bulletin, please contact the Getman Corporation Technical Service Department @ 269-427-5611 ext. 326. E mail cdoiron@getman.com