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## ASBESTOS PREVENTION

### By inquiry receipt

If an assembly request is received by Novoferm involving a previous disassembly of an old fire protection element, three years must be checked:

1. It is a **closure "Schievano Arduino" produced before April 1992**: Fire protection elements from this period are likely to contain asbestos.
2. It is a fire protection element of a **competitor from before 1993**: It cannot be excluded that they contain asbestos.
3. The **fire protection area was built before 1993**: There is a risk that asbestos-containing products were used in the area.

If at least one of the three cases occurs, there is a risk that asbestos may be released during disassembly.

Actions:

The asbestos note will be sent to the customer. As soon as the customer assures the disposal of the contaminated products by a certified company prior to the start of assembly, the offer is drawn up.

### At order intake

An assembly order is received by Novoferm and includes the dismantling of an old fire protection element. Check the age of the element (s) and the age of the fire protection area

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2. It is a fire protection element of a **competitor from before 1993**: It cannot be excluded that they contain asbestos.
3. The **fire protection area was built before 1993**: There is a risk that asbestos-containing products were used in the area.

If at least one of the cases is present or if the customer can not give any indication of the age of the products, there is a risk that asbestos fibers will be released during disassembly.

Actions:

The asbestos note will be sent to the customer. In the case of an assurance of the disposal of the loaded products by a certified company before the start of assembly and the confirmation of the safety by the customer, the order is accepted.



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## At Order Clarification

As part of the clarification, the customer points out that existing fire protection closures are to be dismantled. Then the age of the degrees is checked to estimate the asbestos risk:

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2. It is a fire protection element of a **competitor from before 1993**: It cannot be excluded that they contain asbestos.
3. The **fire protection area was built before 1993**: There is a risk that asbestos-containing products were used in the area.

If the installed elements, walls or wall connections have been produced before the indicated dates or if the customer can not make a reliable statement about the age, then it can be assumed that asbestos-containing products were installed.

Actions:

The asbestos notice will be sent to the customer. The clarification will continue with the disposal of the contaminated products by a certified company and the confirmation of the safety by the customer.

## During Assembly

During the dismantling of elements by Novoferm partner companies, it is noticeable that they could contain asbestos, according to the training provided by Novoferm and Asbestos leaflet. The degrees are estimated on their age and thus on their asbestos risk;

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2. It is a fire protection element of a **competitor from before 1993**: It cannot be excluded that they contain asbestos.
3. The **fire protection area was built before 1993**: There is a risk that asbestos-containing products were used in the area.

If there is a possibility that the elements, walls or wall connections contain asbestos or if no reliable statement about the age can be made and the customer can not certify the safety, disassembly / assembly will **not be started**.

Actions:

Immediate notification to Novoferm will be made by the installer. The assembly gets in contact with the customer, who ensures that the elements are disposed of by a certified specialist company. Once a confirmation of the safety is present, the assembly can be resumed



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