

## FIX-N-FAX #55

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#### **Air Systems (Air Dryers)**

With the introduction of FMVSS 121 air brake requirements, problems with excessive moisture in the air brake system on affected Models of #9 fire engines resulted in field testing of air dryers.

This Fix-N-Fax recommends installation of air dryers on those units operating where climatic and other operating conditions are causing excessive moisture buildup in the brake systems.

Units tested and approved are manufactured under the following names:

STRATOFLEX CYCLO-GARD

BENDIX SYSTEM-GUARD #209726

BRAKEMASTER MODEL 1200

All of the above models are available through local jobbers and price will vary with quantity.

Mounting location will vary depending upon available space. To protect the integrity of the air system, installation instructions are to be adhered to as provided by each manufacturer.

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