

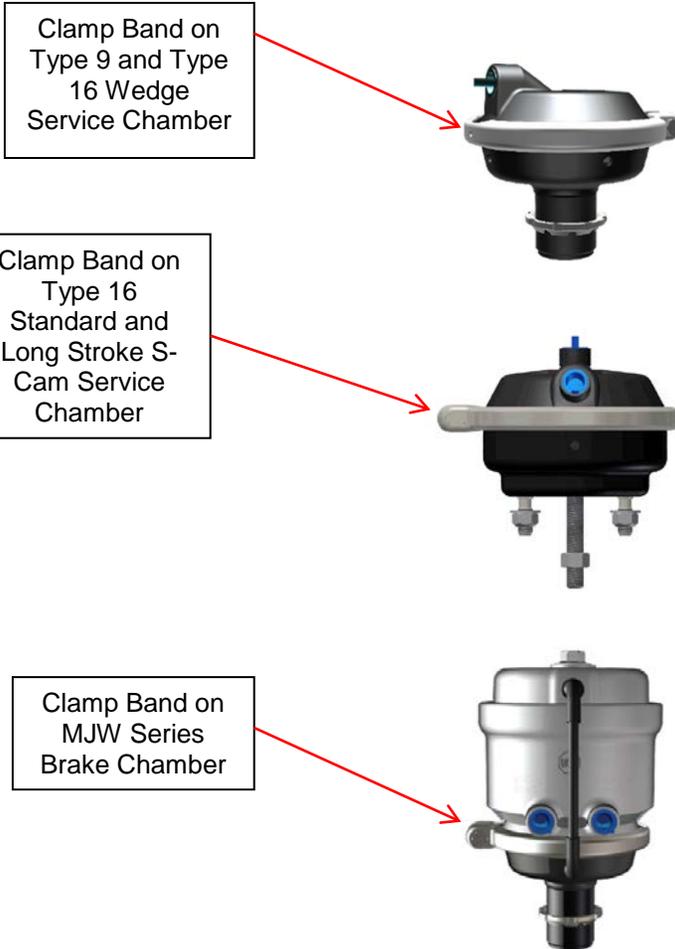
MGM Brakes

A Division of Indian Head Industries, Inc.

SUPPLIER CHANGE - NON-IMPACT NOTIFICATION

SUBJECT: Clamp Band Coating Change from Autophoretic to Trivalent Chromium

Affected MGM Part Numbers: Select Type 9 and Type 16 Service Chambers from the following part number families: 1009xxx, 1016xxx, 1416xxx, 1418xxx, and MJW1616ATxxx.



Summary of Change: The single-piece clamp bands used on the select part numbers noted above are currently being coated with an autophoretic coating, which is black in appearance. The autophoretic coating process at our current supplier is phasing out, therefore we will be changing the process to a trivalent chromium coating in order to standardize these two clamp bands to the process used on all other clamp bands provided by MGM Brakes. The trivalent chromium coating has a clear appearance, so there will be a visible change only. The trivalent coating used on all other clamp bands currently meets all of MGM Brake's stringent requirements for corrosion resistance and durability and the coating itself has no impact on the overall functionality of the service chamber, so no additional testing will be conducted on these affected units with the trivalent chromium coated clamp bands.

If you have any questions or concerns related to this change, please contact your MGM Brakes Sales Representative.