REFRIGERATOR DISPOSAL (GOVERNMENT)

POSSIBLE AREAS OF CONCERN

Cooling equipment contains ozone-depleting chemicals that should not be released into the atmosphere. These items may include refrigerators, freezers, dehumidifiers, water coolers, window air conditioners, self-contained room heater/air conditioner units, juice dispensers, milk dispensers and other cooling devices.

CHARACTERIZATION

Barracks room refrigerators must be defrosted before they are repaired or turned in for disposal.

HANDLING PROCEDURES

Step 1 Turn off the refrigerator and allow it to defrost.

Step 2 Complete DA Form 2407 (Maintenance Request)

Step 3 Turn in the refrigerator to **AFSBn/IMD (Refrigerant Removal)** located at building 5339, 9th and Tennessee Ave for evaluation or serviceability, IMD will label "EMPTY" and attach appropriate documentation.

Refrigerators can contain some refrigerants that are ozone depleting gas and must be disposed of properly

Step 4 Unit prepares 1348-1A for turn-in.

Step 5 Notify the Army Barracks Management Program Manager for instructions pertaining to the de-gas and turn in of ABMP refrigerators.
POC Bldg.# 6460, Tel # 270-956-1012

NOTE: DO **NOT** try to defrost the freezer by using sharp/piercing tools. If you have punctured the freezer coils, a Report of Survey or a statement of damage is required at turn in.

NOTE: Use caution when moving or conducting maintenance on refrigerant equipment to avoid damage to the cooling unit.

GENERAL INFORMATION

For more information, contact **PPOC Services**.