

## 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 5338, 9<sup>th</sup> and Tennessee Ave for evaluation or serviceability, IMD will label "EMPTY" and attach appropriate documentation.



- 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  
270-839-5652**

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

- 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.