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1. The asbestos materials shall be packed while still wet into sealable and impermeable containers for removal.
2. All plastic sheets, tapes, cleaning materials, clothings and filter bags used in the vacuum systems and all other disposable materials used in the work area shall also be packed into sealable and impermeable containers for removal. In removing the filter bags from the vacuum system, suitable respirators shall be worn by workers.
3. Containers of asbestos waste shall be labelled as follows : 'Asbestos- Do Not Inhale Dust'
4. The containers of asbestos waste shall be barged directly to Semakau Landfill.

Guidelines on the Transportation of Asbestos Waste

1. Transporter shall ensure that the asbestos wastes are properly kept in air-tight containers with appropriate labels, and that the outside of the containers is not contaminated with asbestos debris.
2. The containers shall be loaded onto the transport vehicle in a careful manner so as to prevent damage to the containers.
3. The vehicles used to transport containers with asbestos waste shall have enclosed compartments or canvas to contain the transported waste to prevent damage to the containers and also to prevent fibre release.
4. No compactors shall be used as it may cause rupture to the containers with asbestos waste.

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