

## **Discussion Topics**



What is Remanufacturing?

What are the benefits of remanufactured products?

What concerns are being voiced about trade in reman goods?

What modernization of trade laws are we seeking?

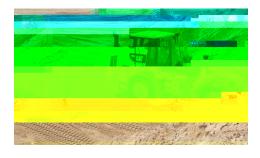
Reduce Reuse Recycle



# **Caterpillar is Making Progress Possible**

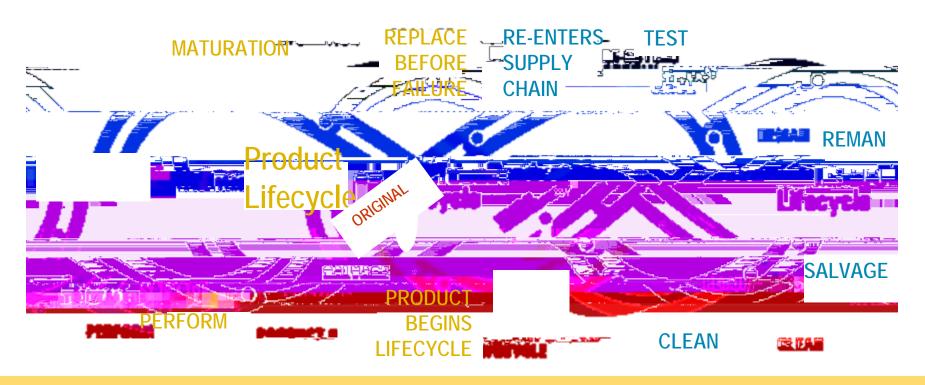












Remanufacturing: The process of returning an end-of-life, broken or blemished product to "same-as-new" condition in a manufacturing environment.



## Reduce Reuse Recycle

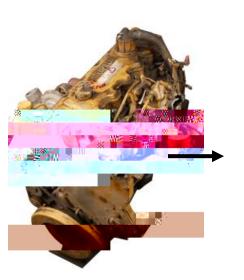


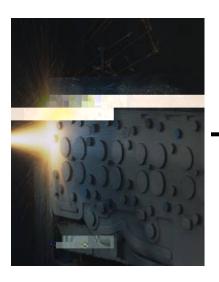
#### The Reman Business Model...

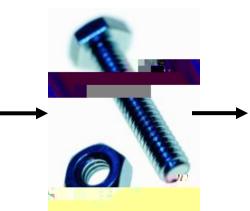
End-of-life Material Advanced Recycling Technology

New Material

Assembly & Test









- 1. Remanufactured Products are brought back to original condition
- 2. Remanufactured Products have "Same-as-New" quality & reliability
  - 3. Remanufactured Products are not "Used Goods"
- 4. This is an exchange business











**Green House Gases** 

**Raw Material Use** 

**Landfill Waste** 

**Energy Use** 

**Water Use** 

**Cost to Customer** 

**Value to Customer** 

Recycling

**Jobs** 



## Reman – Trade Concerns



#### **Existing laws for new parts apply to remanufactured parts**

**Consumer safety** 

**Dumping of used goods** 

**Intellectual Property** 

Labeling

**Product quality** 

Existing consumer protection laws apply

Reman core recovery (1-for-1 exchange)

All existing Intellectual Property laws apply

Truth-in-labeling laws apply

Unique Reman part numbers & labeling

Same-as-New warranty

Recognised by ISO, IMO,

multiple Free Trade Agreements

#### No Multilateral common reference for remanufactured parts

Available freely to customers in most countries

Too many countries still impose tariff and non-tariff barriers on remanufactured goods

- Classified as « used » goods
- Import prohibited
- Core export prohibited
- Heavy bureaucratic processes

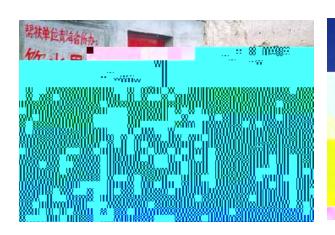


## Remanufacturing...

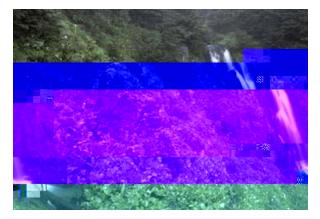
## **Good for Customers**

## **Good for Business**

## **Good for the Environment**









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