

DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

Several situations may arise which require some form of disposal action: scrapping a vehicle containing a deployed air bag, scrapping a vehicle with a live air bag, disposal of a live but electrically inoperative air bag module or scrapping a deployed module. Disposal recommendations for these situations are shown in the following chart and discussed in detail below.

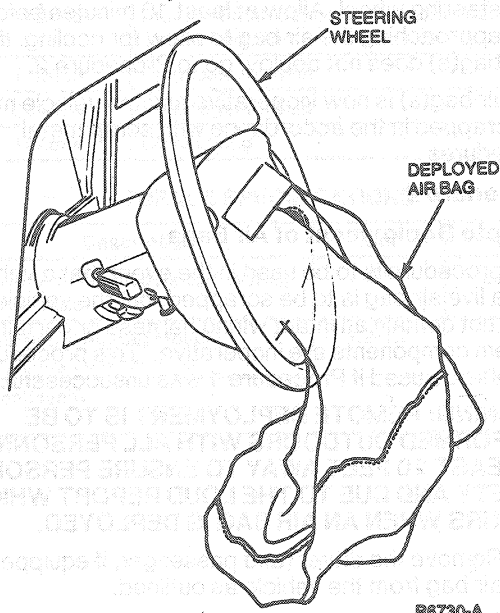
AIR BAG DISPOSAL RECOMMENDATIONS

CONDITION	INSTRUCTIONS
1. Vehicle to be Scrapped; Live Air Bag.	Electrically Deploy Using Procedures 1 or 2 as Required.
2. Vehicle to be Scrapped; Deployed Air Bag.	Scrap Vehicle in the Usual Manner.
3. Module Replaced; Faulty but Live Air Bag.	Package and Label Properly. Return Per Instructions with New Air Bag.
4. Module Replaced; Deployed Air Bag.	Scrap Module in the Usual Manner.

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Deployed Air Bag

To service a vehicle in which the air bag has deployed, the deployed driver air bag must be replaced with a new air bag. The deployed air bag can be disposed of in the same manner as any part to be scrapped.



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Undeployed Air Bag—Faulty

In the event that an air bag is diagnosed as faulty (refer to Diagnostic Procedures), the faulty air bag must be replaced by a new air bag. The faulty air bag **CANNOT BE DISPOSED OF IN THE USUAL MANNER**. It must be returned intact to Ford Motor Company for proper disposal. Return the carton to the following address for warranty claim credit:

- **WARRANTY PARTS RETURN CENTER**
1285 S. MILL STREET
PLYMOUTH, MI 48170

NOTE: All faulty live air bags have been placed on the Mandatory Return List. All discolored or damaged modules should be treated the same as any faulty live air bag being returned.

The air bag must be packaged and shipped according to the U.S. Department of Transportation regulations. Retain packaging used for replacement air bag including the labeling. **Do not deploy air bag.** Properly package the module in the original service replacement carton and securely tape shut, with the Flammable Solid label and shipping exemption affixed to it.