## DISCONTINUED CAT "ARD" CLEANER PARTS UPDATE #16-03

## **CAT Aftertreatment Device Cleaner Replaced by Loctite Varnish Remover**

Tech Tip #10-0204 advised the nozzle of Aftertreatment Regeneration Device (ARD) on CAT C-7 engines having 2007 emissions be periodically cleaned with CAT's own product (Part #308-1504). It also advised putting this into your PM program to avoid unit downtime.

Recently we learned that the CAT product will no longer be available and they recommend using Loctite "Varnish Remover" (Figure #2) in its place.



FIGURE #1



FIGURE #2

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Figure 1 above shows the ARD Cleaner in a "one shot" application of 2 fluid ounces.

The best way to be use the Loctite Varnish Remover (Figure 2), we are told, is to use an old ARD Cleaner dispenser. If that is not available then use the "plastic straw" that is provided with some aerosols and spray directly into the cleaning port.

Loctite Varnish Remover is available from our Parts Dept as Part # 442-30529

Thanks to Jason Johnson from Horseheads Central School for pointing this out to us.

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