

WHY YOU CHOOSE ELITE

One visit. *One* teardown.

The M278 front cylinder covers are known to leak. Left alone, that oil can take your alternator with it. Elite Benz does the full repair in one visit, so you pay for the teardown **only once**.

- Master-certified technicians, 13+ years each at Mercedes-Benz dealers.
- New turbo coolant lines are **factory Mercedes-Benz parts**.
- **3-year / 36,000-mile** warranty.
- Done in **2-3 days** on most vehicles.

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Elite Benz is here for all your Mercedes-Benz service and repair needs. We fix what other shops can't. We're committed to being the highest-quality alternative to the dealership. When you need your Mercedes fixed right and fast, call Elite Benz.



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MERCEDES M278 V8 OWNERS

Oil leaking *up* *front?*

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WHY IT LEAKS

And what it *costs you*



Magnesium covers. The factory sealant doesn't bond well to them, so most start leaking after **4 to 5 years**.



Your alternator is next. Leaking oil soaks the front of the engine and the alternator below it. Replacing one runs **\$1,500–\$2,500**.



Brittle turbo coolant lines. They have to come off for this job, break almost every time, and only last about **60,000 miles**.

1 visit

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The dealer charges \$4,000–\$5,000 for the turbo coolant lines alone, and the oil leak is still there. At Elite, we do it all in one visit.

SMARTER REPAIR

Built to *last*

- ✓ Front covers resealed, surface sanded for a lasting bond
- ✓ New drive belt and all pulleys
- ✓ New turbo coolant lines, factory MB parts
- ✓ Mobil 1 oil change and filter
- ✓ Engine coolant flush
- ✓ Full engine, engine bay and lower panel cleaning
- ✓ 3-year / 36,000-mile warranty
- ✓ Done in 2–3 days on most vehicles

Over 100,000 miles?

Replace the water pump at the same time. It's nearly the same job and saves about 8 hours of labor.

Book your M278 repair

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