1997-00 SCHEDULED MAINTENANCE INTERVALS
(HEAVY-DUTY F-250, F-350, AND SUPER-DUTY)

FREQUENT OPERATION MAINTENANCE (SEVERE SERVICE)

If a vehicle is operated under any of the following conditions it is considered severe service:

- Towing a trailer or using a camper or car-top carrier.

- Repeated short trips of less than 5 miles in temperatures below freezing, or trips of less than 10 miles in any temperature.

- Extensive idling or low-speed driving for long distances as in heavy commercial use, such as delivery, taxi or police cars.

- Operating on rough, muddy or salt-covered roads.

- Operating on unpaved or dusty roads.

- Driving in extremely hot (over 90°) conditions.

Engine oil & filter - replace every 3,000 miles.

Tires - rotate and inspect every 6,000 miles.

Steering linkage, suspension, U-joints - lubricate every 6,000 miles.

Exhaust system - inspect for leaks or damage every 12,000 miles.

Fuel filter - replace every 15,000 miles.

Automatic transmission fluid - change every 21,000 miles.

Front wheel bearings (2WD) - inspect and repack every 30,000 miles.

PCV valve - replace every 60,000 miles.

Accessory drive belt - inspect every 60,000 miles.