

## **Cleaning and Care**

### **Car Washing**

(refer to your regular Owner's Manual)

### **Soft Top**

Clean soft top with soft top raised and locked. Lower the soft top into the storage compartment only if the top is completely dry. If the top is kept in the storage compartment for a lengthy period, raise it and air it out with the windows down about every 4 months.

Dry cleaning:

Brush top (always from front to rear) with a soft-bristled brush.

Wet cleaning:

Brush the dry top. Wash with a mild detergent and an ample supply of lukewarm water by wiping with a soft-bristled brush or sponge from front to rear. Then rinse thoroughly with clear water.

If only parts of the top have been washed, wet the entire top and allow it to air-dry before lowering it into the storage compartment.

Do not use sharp-edged instruments for the removal of ice and snow.

### **Caution!**

Never use gasoline, thinner, tar and stain removers, glass cleaner or similar organic solvents to clean the soft top or wind screen. They will cause damage which is not covered by the Mercedes-Benz Limited Warranty.

Note:

Never run the vehicle through an automatic car wash or use a power washer to clean it, as you may damage the soft top material.

Remove bird droppings immediately. The organic acid damages the material and causes the soft top to leak.

In general, regular spraying or cleansing with clear water is sufficient to keep the top clean.

Wash the top only when heavily soiled.

### **Wind Screen**

Use only water or mild detergent to clean the wind screen.