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TEST FOR ASBESTOS

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We are in the midst of drafting specifications for the raw materials used in Kaylo products.

In this particular instance, we are concerned with specs to insure that future lots of 7D chrysotile are comparable in quality to the 7D-1 material of National Gypsum which has already been received and used at the plant with success.

Since the pan fraction in the Quebec Test makes up the bulk of the material, control of the make-up of this fraction is of utmost importance while we have the results of the Bauer-McNett analysis, I feel that we should get some data on wet bulk density as an indication of the ratio of fibrous to non-fibrous material in the fines.

Will you please, therefore, perform this determination on J.M. 6D-20 and on N.G. 7D-1?

The test procedure is as follows:

"Place 990 ml of water at 77°F. into a 1000 ml graduated cylinder. Add 10± .1 grams of fiber and fill with water to the 1000 ml mark. The cylinder is then inverted 20 times (10 complete inversions). The cylinder containing the suspension is then set aside on a vibration-free base, and timing begun.

The volume in ml to which the material has settled after 3 hours is read and recorded. Report the average of two tests."

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