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SUBJECT

REFERENCE

TO Judy Wade R. N.
Texas City

Dear Judy:

Enclosed are summaries of the readings by one of the consultants on the recently submitted asbestos workers from Texas City. I recently spoke with Dora Sendejas about several of these employees. There were several questions that came up at the time of that conversation. One was concerning H. E. Baker and, in his case, the most recent chest X-ray had not been read, but was misplaced in the group. This has subsequently been read, and he would be classified as one of those with suspicious changes. There are several others as can be seen from the enclosed work sheet. In addition there are several other individuals whose most recent X-rays were quite some time ago, including one going back to 1951.

What we really need is a determination of their current status and the date of their termination of employment if this is available. In some cases it may be necessary to get more up-to-date X-rays even on the separated employees.

In addition to the summary sheet, I am enclosing a copy of each of the individual readings by one of our St. Louis consultants. We are in the process of determining whether or not we want each of these also read by another consultant. If you have any questions about these, let me know, and I would appreciate your getting information for me regarding any clinical disease that may have been mentioned in their medical record.

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JHS: np

TEXAS CITY STUDY

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date Last Xray</u>	<u>Normal</u>	<u>Abnormalities</u>		
			<u>Pleural</u>	<u>Parenchymal</u>	<u>Other</u>
Baker, H.E.	1979		+	+	↓ PF; heavy smoke
Bean, W.	10/3/79	✓			
Beard, D.	10/2/79	✓			
Bourgeois, A.	10/2/79	✓			epigastric clips
Chapman, D.	6/23/51	✓			
Cyr, C. J.	10/2/79	✓			
Dunlap, R. E.	4/29/70		+		
Elliott, J.L.	9/22/78		calci- fied plaques	minimal fibrosis	not present in 1970; 1st noted in 1974
Eierdam, G.O.	10/2/79	✓			
Frankovich, R.F.	10/1/79	✓			
Gillum, W.T.	5/17/67	✓			
Guidry, J.E.	9/23/77	✓			
Guidry, R.	10/2/79	✓			
Harvey, M.L.	8/24/64	✓			
Henry, W.	8/15/74		+		Blunting of rt. costophrenic angle Pleural reaction between 1964 & 1967
Hogan, D.J.	10/1/79	✓			
Howard, B.J.	10/1/79	✓			
Hurst, O.E.	10/1/79	✓			
Jones, S.M.	9/25/78	✓			
Langlinais, B.	11/19/79	✓			
Lome, J.D.	10/3/79	✓			
Marsh, E.	3/27/69	✓			calcified hilar nodes; metallic F.B.

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McCarry, J.W Jr.	2/27/62	✓			
Merrill, W.R.	12/3/76				Minimal fibrotic changes
Myers, M.C.	7/7/76	✓			Old vertebral compression
O'Briant, D.O.	10/2/79	✓			Small parenchymal calcifications Rt costophrenic angle missing
Overturf, J.C.	10/3/79		2 - 4 mm pleural thickening		
Skipper, J.H.	10/1/79	✓			
Smith, E.L.	9/28/79				Old pleural reaction Rt diaphragm & chest wall; linear fibrosis
Spencer, T.P.	10/3/79	✓			
Stubblefield, E.	9/18/78	✓			Left hilar calcification
Thrash, J.	8/15/74	✓			Artifacts
Utley, H.D.	6/24/70				Rt apical density-- Retired
Watson, B.I.	8/7/73	✓			
Wheeler, E.M.	8/4/52	✓			
Williams, M.E.	1/7/72	✓			

XRAY REPORTNAMEXRAY #DATE

BAKER, H. E.

CN-278

7-21-70

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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54 or 55
Was a heavy smoker; stopped about 1 or 2 yrs. ago
Dr. Zaunbrecker in Galveston a chest
specialist

Aug 77 P.F. ↓ FEV₁ 62%
FVC 47% of predicted
4.9 L/sec.
2.12 L. FVC
1.37 L FEV₁
25-75 = 0.88 L/sec.

Stated he had "emphysema"

Last exam 9-28-79; checked as normal.
Refused to take pulm function test because of chest pain.

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>XRAY #</u>	<u>DATE</u>
McCARRY, John W., Jr.	AL-262	2-27-62

Chest PA view. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>XRAY #</u>	<u>DATE</u>
UTLEY, Harold D.	U-120	6-24-70

Chest PA view. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum. The left chest is well within the range of normal. There is significant difference in the opacity with the right apex more dense than the left. There is a fluffy density in the right apex, which seems to have one, and possibly more, cystic structures within it. This was not present on the prior examination of 5-22-63. There is no evidence to suggest pleural involvement.

Without a lateral view to help establish its exact location, the possibility of apical parenchymal disease cannot be excluded. Considerations include acute pneumonia and tuberculosis. Other considerations include artifact, since this density cannot definitely be localized on one view.

IMPRESSION: Increased density in the right apex with suspicious lucencies within it, compatible with the possibility of acute pneumonia, tuberculosis, and conceivably artifacts.
No evidence of pleural disease or asbestosis.

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XRAY REPORT

NAME

XRAY #

DATE

WILLIAMS, Marian Edward

T-697

1-7-72

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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XRAY REPORT

<u>NAME</u>	<u>XRAY #</u>	<u>DATE</u>
FRANKOVICH, Robert F.	BB-894	10-1-79

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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DATE

HARVEY, Maurice L.

AW-369

8-24-64

Chest PA view. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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XRAY REPORT

NAME

XRAY #

DATE

BEARD, Doyle

W-191

10-2-79

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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XRAY REPORT

NAME

XRAY #

DATE

JONES, Sherman M.

U-154

9-25-78

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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XRAY REPORT

NAME

XRAY #

DATE

GUIDRY, James E.

DC-342

9-23-77

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>XRAY #</u>	<u>DATE</u>
LOME, Joe Don	L-993	10-3-79

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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XRAY REPORT

NAME

XRAY #

DATE

STUBBLEFIELD, Ernest

B-506

9-18-78

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum. There is a group of calcifications within the left hilum. No active consolidation, effusion or pneumothorax.

IMPRESSION: Negative with left hilar calcifications.

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XRAY REPORT

<u>NAME</u>	<u>XRAY #</u>	<u>DATE</u>
HENRY, Wallace, Jr.	B-480	8-15-74

Chest PA view. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and left chest. There is pleural reaction in the right base. The right hemidiaphragm is minimally flattened. There is blunting of the right lateral costophrenic angle. In review of the previous x-rays, pleural reaction was noted in 1967, but not in 1964. The original examination dates back to 1948.

IMPRESSION: Pleural reaction right base and lateral costophrenic angle
Unchanged between 1967 and 1974

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XRAY REPORT

NAME

XRAY #

DATE

WATSON, Booker, I.

BS-209

8-7-73

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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XRAY REPORT

<u>NAME</u>	<u>XRAY #</u>	<u>DATE</u>
CYR, Clarence J.	BW-913	10-2-79

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>XRAY #</u>	<u>DATE</u>
O'BRIANT, Duffy O.	N-823	10-2-79

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum. There are several small parenchymal calcifications measuring no more than 2-3 mm. in the right midlung zone and right perihilar area. No active consolidation, effusion, pneumothorax. The pleura appears well within the range of normal.

The right lateral costophrenic angle is not included on the radiograph. The left costophrenic angle is within the range of normal.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest with small right perihilar and right midzone calcifications unimportant.

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XRAY REPORT

<u>NAME</u>	<u>XRAY #</u>	<u>DATE</u>
SPENCER, Timothy P.	C2-958	10-3-79

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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XRAY REPORT

NAME

XRAY #

DATE

EIERDAM, Glenn O.

DC-382

10-2-79

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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XRAY REPORT

<u>NAME</u>	<u>XRAY #</u>	<u>DATE</u>
GUIDRY, Raymond	CN-130	10-2-79

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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XRAY REPORT

<u>NAME</u>	<u>XRAY #</u>	<u>DATE</u>
HOGAN, Daniel J., III	CN-127	10-1-79

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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XRAY REPORT

NAME

XRAY #

DATE

HOWARD, Billy J.

DD-874

10-1-79

Chest PA view. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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XRAY REPORT

<u>NAME</u>	<u>XRAY #</u>	<u>DATE</u>
SKIPPER, Joe H.	DD-856	10-1-79

Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.

IMPRESSION: Negative chest.

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XRAY REPORT

<u>NAME</u>	<u>XRAY #</u>	<u>DATE</u>
HURST, Odis E.	DD-871	10-1-79
Chest PA and lateral views. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields.		
IMPRESSION: Negative chest.		

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<u>NAME</u>	<u>XRAY #</u>	<u>DATE</u>
OVERTURF, Jimmy C.	DE-003	10-3-79

Chest PA view. Examination of the chest demonstrate a normal heart mediastinum and lung fields. There is 2-4 mm. of pleural thickening along the right lateral chest wall. This pleural thickening is not noted on the left lateral chest wall. There is no evidence to suggest pleural calcifications.

IMPRESSION: Negative heart and lungs
Minimal pleural thickening without calcification right lateral chest wall.

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