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Johns-Manville Corporation,
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Attention: Mr. Vandiver Brown, Secretary

Dear Mr. Brown:

I appreciate your letter of July 20th, with which you enclosed a photostatic copy of Dr. Gardner's letter of July 15th.

I quite agree with you that the information involved will make a valuable supplement to the final report covering the experiments which Dr. Gardner has made; while as you indicate it will not involve additional expense, I feel that some additional expense would be justified. I imagine the Metropolitan is intensely interested and since I know from my talks with Mr. Fehnel, of the Metropolitan, that they have had access to the information concerning the tests which our group has underwritten, it is likely that both Dr. Gardner and Mr. Fehnel feel that we should have the benefit of such work as they are doing in Asbestos dust experiments.

In any event, I am well pleased with your action in the matter and will be glad to co-operate when it may be required to get the most comprehensive report.

With kind personal regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

GATKE CORPORATION

Charles E. Gatke
President

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