

1 Q And in the '70s the published information, the
2 most frequently cited piece of published information is
3 the Mt. Sinai study?

4 A No, probably the weakest of all the studies are
5 the Sinai studies. The most important and most
6 frequently cited are the NIOSH study, most cited by
7 those in the exposure assessment world. The most cited
8 perhaps in general are the Sinai ones because they were
9 first.

10 Q Okay.

11 A And because they are in the peer review
12 literature. That's why they get cited. The NIOSH
13 studies don't get cited because they are not in the
14 search engines.

15 Q In the NIOSH studies they began in the late
16 1970s?

17 A Yes.

18 Q And they continued into the 1980s?

19 A That's true.

20 Q And the majority of those studies we're
21 looking for garages that were currently using control
22 methods?

23 A To a large measure that's true.

24 Q And part of that was because they wanted to
25 investigate whether the control methods that were being