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Dr. Morton Corn
Assistant Secretary of Labor
Occupational Safety and Health
Administration
U. S. Dept. of Labor
3rd & Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D. C. 20210

Dear Dr. Corn:

Please recall that we advised we would request from TBA Industrial Products Ltd. the asbestos fiber exposure data pertinent to the English factory experience cited as "of significant importance" in the discussion of "new evidence" at pages 47655-6, Federal Register, October 9, 1975. This Association and the Johns-Manville Corp. took exception to OSHA's interpretation of the British data in comments on the proposed revision to the current standard for occupational exposure to asbestos.

By letter of September 17, 1976 a statement from TBA Industrial Products Ltd with comprehensive data from the English factory was transmitted to the OSHA Docket Officer. For your convenience we enclose a copy of this communication. We would welcome the opportunity to discuss this matter with you and appropriate members of your staff, if there are further questions regarding this issue.

Sincerely yours,

Guy G. Gabrielson, Jr.
Chairman
Asbestos Standard Task Force

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