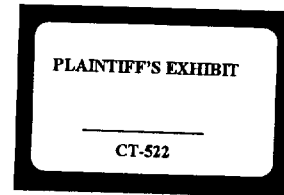


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May 22, 1978

John Nixon, General Superintendent
Certain-Teed Products Corporation
600 St. Cyr Road
St. Louis, Missouri 63137

Dear Mr. Nixon:

Reference is made to your letter of request under the Freedom of Information Act concerning your employer, Certain-Teed Products Corporation.

The information which you requested is attached with certain deletions as specified.

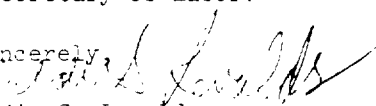
Employee identification on sample sheets, etc. - DELETED.

Employee identification in the file is wholly non-disclosable under Exemption 7 of the Freedom of Information Act and Departmental regulations at 20 CFR 70.27. Exemption 7 recognizes the need of the government to protect sources of information and to preserve the ability of the government to conduct future investigations.

With regard to deleted information, my decision that it is not disclosable may be appealed in writing within 90 days of the date of this letter to the Solicitor of Labor, United States Department of Labor, Washington, D. C. 20210. Any such appeal should state in writing the grounds for appeal together with supporting statements and arguments.

The materials furnished consist of 120 Xerox pages for which there is a charge of .10¢ per page for reproduction (\$12.00). These charges are required by 29 CFR Part 70. Please remit to me your check in the amount of \$12.00 payable to the "Secretary of Labor."

Sincerely,


Uldis S. Levalds
Area Director

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