bcc: E. C. Wilde - Akron

May 5, 1970

Office of the President
Penn Refining Company
2686 Lisbon Road
Cleveland, Ohio 44104

Dear Customer:

It is our understanding that you are using Aroclor® 1254 in industrial soaps and hand cleaner applications.

You have received our letter dated February, 1970 alerting you to the allegations that certain polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) are environmental contaminants. More recent publicity on PCBs has indicated that their use in certain applications may be unwise. In view of this, we are discontinuing the sale of Aroclor 1254 for industrial soaps and hand cleaner applications effective June 1, 1970. After this date, no shipments will be made for this application.

Recognizing that this action may cause you some inconvenience, we are taking the liberty of suggesting Santicizer 148 as a possible replacement. Attached is a technical bulletin O/PL-351 on the product. We are also taking the liberty of sending a sample of Santicizer 148 so that you can carry out an evaluation. If you have any technical questions, the regional manager, Mr. E. C. Wilde of our Akron office, will be happy to assist you.

Very truly yours,

W. E. Schalk
Director of Sales
Plasticizers

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