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CHESTNUT RUN LOCATION

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ASBESTOS USE - CHESTNUT RUN LOCATION

Since talking to you on the telephone last week, I have collected information on the usage of asbestos in the various Chestnut Run areas.

Before setting a date for you to take a look at our activities, I thought you would be better prepared if I briefly summarized my findings.

I have listed below those areas using asbestos, the form that the asbestos is in and the frequency of use.

<u>Elastomers Lab</u>	Loose fiber handled weekly	248
<u>Plastics Lab</u>	Loose fiber handled semi-annually Gaskets cut weekly	
<u>Polymer Products Lab</u>	Loose fiber handled "rarely" Asbestos shingles cut "rarely"	
<u>Textile Research Lab Operations</u>	Asbestos paper 1/16" thick cut on "clicker" in P.T. Lab bi-monthly	
<u>Textile Research Lab Maintenance</u>	Loose fiber handled several times a month (for grout)	
-- <u>Central Maintenance</u>	Board - cut, sawed and/or drilled weekly	
<u>Engineering</u>	Board - drilled and/or sawed "occasionally" Loose fiber handled "occasionally" for grout	
--- <u>Christina Lab Maintenance</u>	Board - cut, sawed and/or drilled monthly (Christina Lab is 6 miles from Chestnut Run)	

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Most laboratories also used asbestos gloves and asbestos tape.

Let me know what activities, if any, you will want to see and when you will be free to visit Chestnut Run. My extension is 3512.

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