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May 2, 1978

Dr. John Stafford
Division Manager
Health and Environment Protection
Imperial Chemicals Industries Limited
Plastics Division
Welwyn Garden City
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Dear Dr. Stafford:

Since Mr. Seawell of MCA is in the hospital, I'm transmitting to you Russell A. Park's letter of April 28. Mr. Park has been kind enough to supply details on the angiosarcoma case who died May 2, 1969.

I hope we are able to get information on all the other gaps in your table.

Sincerely,

T. R. Torkelson

T. R. Torkelson, Sc.D.

cc: J. T. Seawell ✓
R. A. Park

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Firestone

PLASTICS COMPANY



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April 26, 1978

Mr. J. T. Seawell
Project Manager
Vinyl Chloride Research
Manufacturing Chemists Association
1825 Connecticut Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D. C. 20004

Dear Mr. Seawell:

I have examined the "Liver Angiosarcoma Registry" attached to your letter of April 17, 1978 to the Vinyl Chloride Technical Panel. It appears that the Firestone Plastics Company case is missing. These data, in the format of the registry, are attached. Please forward them to Dr. J. Stafford to be included in his compilation.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Russell A. Park
Special Projects Coordinator
Technical Departments

RAP:djs

Attach.

cc: Dr. T. R. Torkelson, Dow

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Name - Francis A. Bachman

Date of Birth - November 17, 1918

Company - Firestone Plastics Company

Factory - Pottstown, Pa.

First VC Exposure - July 13, 1949

Date of Diagnosis - After Death

Age at Diagnosis - Deceased

Years of Exposure to Diagnosis - 20+ Subject as listed in

Date of Death - May 2, 1969

Case v. Conoco, Inc., No. 00-4337
14th Judicial District Court
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Histological Confirmation - Yes

Estimated Exposure Level - Approximately 10 years - High

Occupation - Approximately 10 years Reactor Operator. Balance in
other related production positions.

Other Career Highlights - Utility & Service Operator, Bagger,
Dryer Operator, Centrifuge Operator,
Relief Operator, Stripping Operator,
and 3 years prior service in Tire
Plant.

Other Comments - None

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