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March 10, 1966

Mr. R. F. Reed
Supervisor of Safety
Worcester Works
United States Steel Corporation
340 Main Street
Worcester, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Reed:

Enclosed is a report by Mr. Harold Bayley and Mr. Heinrich G. Brugsch of our technical staff on a visit made to your plant on March 2, 1966.

The dust counts made by Mr. Bayley indicated that concentrations of asbestos dust and fibers are within permissible limits. The maximum allowable concentration for asbestos, however, has not been as firmly established as some others; hence, every reasonable effort should be made to keep the concentration of particles of this substance as low as possible.

Partly because of this fact, it is recommended that the most heavily exposed worker be given a chest X-ray regularly.

Very truly yours,

Hervey B. Elkins

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Director

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