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TO: MR. D. H. SEPT — C. E. WARREN Aug. 31, 1976

FROM: MR. B. P. Faas Materials Lab

SUBJECT: Replacement For Asbestos Rope and Tape

OUR FILE: ~~M. 369.00~~ M. 280.00

YOUR FILE:

Johns-Manville is offering tape and rope for made from glass fiber for gasketing application where asbestos is normally used (duct-work, etc.). This would be of interest if there are any conditions where the use of asbestos is considered undesirable, such as sulfuric or sulfurous acid. It must be pointed out, however, that the glass tapes are about double the cost of asbestos.

cc JGK

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We found this particular tape did not offer as good a "K" factor and have to double wrap to obtain equivalent to asbestos tape. We are working with JM to provide denser weave to better "K" factor etc.

WHEN REPLY IS REQUIRED, FORWARD ORIGINAL AND ONE COPY

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