

FILE NAME: Superior Combustion Industries (SCI)

DATE: 1968 Apr 3

DOC#: SCI005

DOCUMENT DESCRIPTION: Field Activity Report

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
 OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH

FIELD ACTIVITY REPORT

 REGION VI
 PROG. NO. OR SERVICE stream
generators and oil burners
 DATE OF ACTIVITY 1/3/68

EMPLOYEES	COUNTY
MALE	<u>39</u>
FEMALE	IND. CODE
TOTAL <u>125</u>	<u>35</u>

PLANT

Superior Combustion Industries, Inc.

ADDRESS

801 Broad Street, Emaus, Pa.

ZIP

18049

PHONE

(215) 965-9051

PERSON INTERVIEWED

Mr. Ray Hester

TITLE

Assistant to Superintendent

PURPOSE: INVEST, SURVEY, INSPECT, PRELIM, F.U.I. CONF, VISIT

REASON: SELF-INIT, O.D. REP, COMPL, REQUEST, SOURCE

SPECIFIC HAZARD OR CONDITION	WORKERS EXPOSED	RECOMMENDATIONS	ACCOMPLISHED		
		WRITTEN - VERBAL	YES	NO	IN PROG.
		<u>None</u>			

 SAMPLES COLLECTED
 (NO. & KIND)

TOTAL

 DETERM. MADE
 (NO. & KIND)

TOTAL

MEDICAL - O.D. REPORTED, NO. & KIND

PUNCH CARD

 YES ☒

 NO ☐

FOLDER

 YES ☒

 NO ☐

REMARKS:

Reinspection, operations similar to 3/13/62. Retain old punch card. Note these changes: Workmen's Compensation from American Casualty to PMA. Legal owner from Superior Combustion Industries, New York, N.Y. to Bigelow Superior Industries, New Haven, Conn. This is mainly an assembly plant - the Wilkes Barre division is the fabrication plant. There is no physical or x-ray program of any kind.

They never have to enter the boilers to weld and couldn't if they wanted to due to the large amount of space occupied by the pipe work.

Add these paints to the specialty spray painting:

S16069 - Gray - Allentown Paint
 Preparks - 653011

Also, they now use an industrial felt as an insulator and not fiberglass as reported in the 1962 punch card.

PA STATE ARCHIVES
 200 North Third Street, Harrisburg, PA 17120-1000
 PA (717) 772-1000

 BY J. Garis

RIN

 WINS 3.5

6/12/68
 JH
 LCB

SUPPLY - COMBUSTION INDUSTRIES

Frederick & Blackman Streets

Wilkes-Barre

<u>OPERATION</u>	<u>HAZARD</u>	<u>CONTROL MEASURE</u>
Stress relieving furnace (electric)	Convective & conductive heat	Enclosed
Laths, drill	Steel dust Soluble cooling oil vapor, mist, smoke (derm.)	General ventilation Personal hygiene
Grinding	Steel, carborundum dusts	General ventilation (See recommendation #2)
Bending, shearing	Steel dust	General ventilation
Brick sawing	Silica dust	Water spray
Asbestos sawing	Asbestos dust	Wet method
X-ray	Ionizing radiation (130-170 KVP, 8 MA)	Warning lights 35 ft. roped-off area Lead lined operator booth Pocket dosimeter
Test burning	Carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide gas Convective heat, steam	General ventilation Intermittent

Copy taken of an Original Record
Please Check

PA STATE ARCHIVES

800 North Street, Harrisburg, PA 17120-0000
PA Historical & Museum Commission