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FROM W. J. Bennis
CITY Cleveland 44115
ANSWERING LETTER OF
SUBJECT INDUSTRIAL MAINTENANCE STOCK
CLEVELAND DISTRICT CENTER

DATE July 18, 1972

FOR Mr. G. R. Doolittle, UCB

cc: Mr. I. J. Foote,
Mr. G. L. Bechtel,
Mr. J. D. Russell,

THE J.C.

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As of January 1, 1973 we will not be able to ship interstate those products having in excess of 0.5% lead. A number of the industrial maintenance materials currently on hand either in the Cleveland district center or carried as back up stock at the Cleveland plant have lead in excess of this limit. One of the projects which you have undertaken is a review of the products carried in the centralized industrial maintenance inventory. You are reviewing reorder points, reorder quantities and current overstocks. Would you also assume the responsibility for coordinating prior to January 1, 1973 the movement out of this inventory and to the state in which it will ultimately be sold stocks which exceed the 0.5% lead limit.

I suggest that you review with Mr. J. D. Russell the best method for moving out these products. A copy of Mr. W. M. Tome's listing of July 5, 1972 showing the solvent and lead status on various products is enclosed. You might insure that the status of all products currently being carried is shown on this list and work directly with Mr. Tome on any additional information required.

W. J. Bennis

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Enc.

THE J.C.

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