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*To: Berry Contract
File.*

February 5, 1980

PLAINTIFF'S EXHIBIT

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Mr. T. C. Covert
Coastal States Petrochemical Co.
P.O. Box 521
Corpus Christi, Texas 78403

Dear Mr. Covert: *?*

Attached is a letter from Hocker Incorporated regarding the price of x-ray film. Note that film has basically doubled in price in 1979. This undoubtedly has been influenced by the fluctuation in the silver and gold markets, as well as the petroleum industry rise in base prices.

Berry Contracting is in a position of having to respond to this cost increase by an appropriate increase in the selling price of our film and processing charges.

In addition to the increase in film charges, we have also experienced additional increases in the cost of labor and operating expenses for the crews associated with the x-ray department. This has resulted in the necessity to revise the hourly rates for non-destructive examination work.

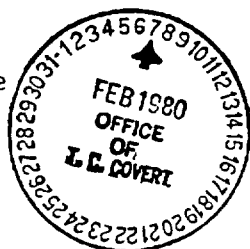
We are enclosing our new Exhibit "G" for Non-Destructive Examination Services which will become effective on February 15, 1980. We would appreciate your incorporating this revised exhibit into our rate package on file in your offices.

Sincerely,

BERRY CONTRACTING, INC.

Michael Berry
Michael Berry
Vice President

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Enclosure



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EXHIBIT "G" NON-DESTRUCTIVE EXAMINATION SERVICES

A. RADIOGRAPHIC SERVICES:

Utilizing Iridium 192 Source

Utilizing Cobalt 60 Source

1 Man Crew at Straight Time Rate	\$22.00/Hour
1 Man Crew at Overtime Rate	\$30.00/Hour
2 Man Crew at Straight Time Rate	\$31.00/Hour
2 Man Crew at Overtime Rate	\$45.00/Hour

In addition to the above rates, a processing charge for film would apply:

4½" x 10".....	\$ 2.90/Ea.
4½" x 17".....	\$ 5.15/Ea.
7" x 17".....	\$ 9.25/Ea.
14" x 17".....	\$ 12.75/Ea.

B. ULTRASONIC INSPECTION:

Utilizing a Branson 301 Unit

Rates stated in (A) above would apply.

C. MAGNETIC PARTICLE EXAMINATION:

Utilizing 110 Volt Magnaflux "Y-6 Yoke" for Field Inspection.

Utilizing 4000 Amp AC-DC P-510 Unit for Shop Inspection.

Rates stated in (A) above would apply.

D. DYE PENETRANT, BRINELL HARDNESS AND OTHER MISC. EXAMINATION:

Rates stated in (A) above would apply.

Services on the above basis will be charged from the time the crew leaves the office until it returns, with a minimum of 4 hours applicable.

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