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C-8 BLOOD SAMPLING PROGRAM

As per J. G. Loschiavo's letter (see attached), I request an assertive effort be made to obtain blood C-8 data on the following persons:

- Retired male Fluoropolymers Division employees.
- Male employees transferred out of the Fluoropolymers Division to other Washington Works Divisions.

Blood C-8 data on males who have left the Fluoropolymers Division are extremely rare. For this reason, I request that sampling of these persons be increased from once a year to once every six months. This data is needed to accurately determine the rate of C-8 elimination from the body.

C-8 results from retired employees have been scant because of lack of participation in our program. Follow-up through Medical Division is recommended to increase participation.

Attachment

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