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SUBJECT : POLYSULFIDE PROGRAM

REFERENCE

TO : N. W. Touchette
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Best - Flex. 60
Cereclor 52
1707
1254

We agreed to follow the action shown below:

1. Develop a product that has acrylic lacquer migration resistance no worse than Aroclor 1254, preferably superior.

2. Check blends of Aroclor 1260 and solvent for mar resistance, cure rates, general performance. Select a solvent with a structure that will have the least effect on acrylic lacquers.

3. Check blends of Aroclor 1254 and 1260 with Cereclor 52 for performance identified in Item 2.

4. Submit samples to Essex Chemical.

We based these decisions on some assumptions. The one that convinced us to continue our program was the fact that Essex have not settled on Cereclor 52 as the product of choice. Reason is that the epoxy stabilizer now used in Cereclor 52 is incompatible in their polysulfide system. They are working with ICI to develop a better, workable stabilizer and until, if ever, they find one, we have time to develop our own product.

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