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PLAINTIFF'S EXHIBIT
GP-222

to	Lance Ryder	location	Stamford
from	R. L. McCallister	location	Portland
subject	Akron - Asbestos Problem	date	July 1, 1974

Attached is a copy of a evaluation report submitted to our Akron management by Dr. Marvin Amdur.

Jim Hurd and the other management people in the Gypsum Division are most anxious to have you investigate this problem further and advise what corrective action you feel is indicated.

I suggest that you contact Mr. Schifferle and advise him when you will be able to come to the Akron area to handle this problem.

During the course of your investigation, I would appreciate a contact with Dr. Amdur for further explaination of some of his findings on specific employees. Also, at that time you can elicit from him, his recommendations with regard to what actions he feels should be taken in specific cases. Incidentally, none of these individuals tested by Dr. Amdur have filed workmen's compensation claims and we hope that they will not.

In your travels you've probably come across other safety personnel who have asbestos exposure in their operations and it might be well for you to contact some of them together with whatever information you can with respect with how they've handled asbestos exposure situations. Of particular interest would be information with respect to what they do with the employees that have had asbestos exposure and who have positive findings, as we have with some of the employees at Akron.

In your talks with Dr. Amdur, would you find out from him whether there is any evidence that any of the individuals who show a diminished vital capacity or pathology on x-ray have developed whatever the positive findings are as a result of an exposure to asbestos or any particulate matter in our Akron plant.

This is becoming a priority matter and I would appreciate your immediately contacting Mr. Schifferle and arranging to contact him at an early date.

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R.L.M.

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TO: [illegible] - PORTLAND
FR: [illegible] D. HAUCK - AKRON

WE SHOULD RUN ASBESTOS AIR TESTS IN AKRON CT. SYSTEM PLANT,

6 MONTH MONITORING, IN AUG. 1974.

SHOULD WE ARRANGE FOR TESTS ON LOCAL BASIS OR ARE YOU GOING TO ARRANGE COMPANY WIDE TESTS. AKRON MUST BE COMPLETED BY END OF AUGUST.

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