General discussion followed:

James Moran of Flintkote asked why the proposed group should not be a sub-committee of the Quebec Asbestos Mining Association. Mr. Meyer replied that this did not appear to be advisable, based upon the experience in the United Kingdom.

Mr. Moran asked about the make up of the proposed organization; specifically why it did not include manufacturers of flooring tile. Mr. Meyer replied that he and Mr. Burnett had started with a list of 125 companies and had sought to pick out eight that were representative of the industry, in order to get this new-association started. There is no intention to limit it, ultimately, to this number.

Al Fay of National Gypsum asked whether the plan was to broaden the base of membership in the future, admitting additional companies. Mr. Meyer replied that this was, indeed, the plan.

Referring back to the previous question concerning the QAMA, Mr. Solon pointed out that the chief area of press volatility is in the United States, not in Canada. It would be difficult to carry out an effective information program in the name of an organization based in Canada.

Mr. Moran asked how the organization would be funded in 1972. Just what would be the basis for assessments. Mr. Meyer replied

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