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December 18th, 1947

Havens Structural Steel Company,
1713 Crystal Avenue,
Kansas City, Missouri

ATTENTION: MR. ARTHUR ZACHOW

Gentlemen:

EL PASO CD-5133, N.Y. 14940

We have just learned that the Asbestone Corporation, New Orleans 15, Louisiana, are offering Corrugated Asbestos-Cement sheets 42" wide with 10 corrugations 4.2" center to center for shipment two weeks after receipt of approved layout prints.

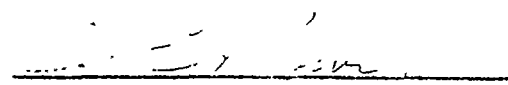
Their recommended maximum spacing for roofing is 4'-6" while most of our purlins are on 4'-10" centers with a few at 5'-2". Due to not having to figure any snow loading at El Paso, we are willing to use these corrugated asbestos sheets without changing our purlin spacing.

Please disregard my letter of December 15th instructing you to furnish 20 gauge Corrugated Steel Sheets when you could get them and advise what the additional cost would be if you substitute these corrugated asbestos sheets.

Your proposal should be sent to Mr. E. W. Thornley with a copy Air-Mail to this office.

In contacting Asbestone Corporation for a proposal, please be advised that staggered joint application will be satisfactory but that we will want lead headed fasteners in place of their standard fasteners.

Yours truly,
AMERICAN SMELTING & REFINING CO.


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Chief Engineer

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