



Asbestos

PLAINTIFF'S EXHIBIT

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U.S. CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20207

June 22, 1977

Mr. Julius Nemeth
President
Bondex International, Inc.
P.O. Box 88
Brunswick, OH 44212

Dear Mr. Nemeth:

On April 28, 1977, the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) voted to ban asbestos in consumer patching compounds under Section 8 of the Consumer Product Safety Act. A.T. Kearney, Inc., is under contract to the Commission (Contract #CPSC-C-77-0009) to study the economic and environmental effects of the proposed ban as it pertains to patching compounds, including present and future use of substitutes, and certain background data concerning the production and marketing of these products.

I would greatly appreciate any assistance and information you can give to the representatives of A.T. Kearney, Inc. If you have any further questions about this study, please do not hesitate to call me at (301) 492-6567.

Sincerely,


Walter R. Hobby, Deputy Assoc.
Executive Director for Economics,
Hazard Identification & Analysis

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