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TO A NAME AND TELEPHONE

J. M. Gatewood - Z1 (Ext. 3837)

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| DATE      | March 21, 1985                    | R. T. Hammann  | 0-22 |
|           |                                   | M. A. Riddle   | 0-22 |
| SUBJECT   | Hourly Safety Committee Meeting   | G. L. Tromblee | 0-10 |
|           | <u>Tuesday, February 26, 1985</u> | W. D. Walker   | 0-4  |
| REFERENCE |                                   |                |      |

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|----|---------------------|-------|-------------------|-------|
| TO | ✓ Charles Anders    | AB-1  | ✓ Jake Linkey     | SS-9  |
|    | ✓ Mike Burkhalter   | SS-11 | ✓ Donnie Lonsford | SS-14 |
|    | ✓ Madeline Hare     | LD    | ✓ Dan Nelson      | 33D   |
|    | *Robert Kozlek, Jr. | 51D   | *Ben Peek         | 14D   |

\*Absent

Jack Kiser spoke to the group about the Preventative Maintenance program for instrumentation.

OLD BUSINESSHCN Emergency Lights

Riddle discussed tentative proposal but he plans to meet with the HCN Safety Team before presenting the final proposal to SHAC.

NEW BUSINESSEyebaths

Chuck Anders expressed a concern about the single eyebath in those areas where chemicals are the type that could cause irreversible damage to the eyes. He felt that the double eyebath would afford much greater protection in that both eyes would be washed simultaneously.

Action: The Material Handling department made an audit on their eyebaths and it was determined that 29 out of the 80 eyebaths should receive a new double eyebath station. [SHAC will further pursue the plant direction in this area.]

*Need to do same thing plantwide*

Chlorine Storage

Chuck also expressed a concern about the maintenance of the chlorine valves and equipment at the chlorine tanks and loading spot. He recommended that we have a loss prevention review to ensure added safety emphasis is given to this area.

Action: We plan to discontinue storage of chlorine in these tanks and only use one ton chlorine cylinders throughout the plant.

Manlifts *look at Cl<sub>2</sub> specs. - LPR - used wrong valve - not a Cl<sub>2</sub> spec. valve - audit existing systems*  
*2 empties at 33 @ CT-8 - backweld lines?*

Mike Burkhalter expressed a concern about the condition of the manlifts in the plant especially those owned by Monsanto (ML-1, ML-2, and ML-3).

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*Snorkels - fill tires with foam?  
Who will control?  
Mfg. reps. - get PETS to discuss insp.  
Controls labeled  
Full maint. log on MK-1, 2, 3*

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Action: Gatewood will review with the Paint Foreman the HSC's concern over the poor condition of some manlifts and determine the adequacy of the preventive maintenance program.

#### Corrosion

Mike asked if the PETS department checks on super-hazardous lines inside the unit? Should a super-hazardous line inspection program be implemented?

Action: B. J. Sanders will review and make recommendation.

#### Fire Monitors

During a tarp fire north of CT-4, Mike Burkhalter reported a fire monitor in the northeast part of Dept. 51 failed to operate. Who is responsible for maintaining these?

Action: The unit has the responsibility to ensure the monitors function properly and the Fire Department checks every three months for proper operation. This will be an emphasis area on the second quarter inspection.  
*33, 51 - NO*

#### Emergency Drills

Jake Linkey expressed a concern that during a mock drill that two bicyclists were almost hit by a fire truck that was running without lights or siren.

Action: This was discussed with Fire Chief and will be reviewed with the Fire Crew.

#### Contractor Safety

Jake also brought up a concern that on the north ditch job, the Boggs & Tatum contractor was using rebar for scaffold braces.

Action: The job was stopped and the scaffold was supported before work continued.

#### Asbestos

*Need to get with Carpenters*

Donnie Lonsford expressed a need for washout station at the asbestos dumpster by the old phenol tank and asked if a dumpster could be moved.

Action: The dumpster has been moved as well as a washout station provided in the old 35 area.

There is also concern that the asbestos warning decal or the painted asbestos warning sign is left on the sheet metal jacketing when it is disposed of in an open top dumpsters. What should be done to eliminate this problem?

Action: This will be discussed further at the next meeting.

### New Business:

Robt. - Leadmen - Permits - need <sup>better</sup> communication

Donnie - Nothing

Mike - ① Deepwell - 4/4 plan to get out of this mode of operation

Patch on 9,000 psi line

② Bicycles - Bad state of repair

Dan - Contract Ins. using improper masks for asbestos in 33-Owens Corning

Chuck - Tank Gvs - AN Rack - (N) side cover goggles - (S) side nothing  
 $H_2SO_4$ , ACH, TBA, HOAC.

Jake - ① Safety Trivia - 4' scaffold

② HCE tank - not properly decontaminated tank -  
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Jim:

- Leo Garza to contact HSC members to help in distribution of ~~gift~~ safety awards
- O.T.-I safety - Driving Falls
- Signs at all ③ gates for safe manhours
- Beard policy
- Suggested subjects for speakers

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Unit Maintenance

Dan Nelson expressed a problem with maintenance pipefitters working without checking with the chief in Lactic Acid. They had pulled a methanol relief valve without first checking with the chief to begin work.

Action: This was reviewed with the Zone Supt. (Paul Bailey).

GENERAL COMMENTS

The Safety and Housekeeping Inspections were discussed and the HSC recommends that every other inspection be truly unannounced without any advanced warning. They feel like that we can get a better indication of how the plant stands on a day-to-day basis.

Jim Gatewood

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- Harry Conrad - Guest Speaker  
H/H Audits

- "Safety Reviews Are Not New To Texas City" - overhead

- Question - What's Different About What We Have Been Doing Many Years And What The Current Plant-Wide Safety Review Team Is Doing?

3 Things:

- ① H/H Chemicals only
- ② Look at Severity
- ③ Reduction of quantity

- H/H Materials Audited

- HCN 600K LBS. → 20,000 LBS.
- Crude AN 11,000 K "
- ACY 8,000 K "
- LN 450K "
- NH<sub>3</sub> 60,000K "
- Cl<sub>2</sub> 200, K → 37 one Ton Cylinders
- Anhydrous HCl

- H/H Audit Milestones and Status

- H/H Audits - Key Recommendations