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DEATH CERTIFICATES FOR AN EPIDEMIOLOGY STUDY**

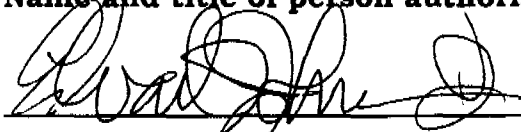
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July 6, 1995

Hasmukh C. Shah, Ph.D., D.A.B.T.
Director, Vinyl Chloride Panel
Chemical Manufacturers Association
2501 M Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20037

Dear Dr. Shah:

RE: Application Number: 1C-1748
Study/Project Title: Update of the Epidemiologic Mortality
Study of Vinyl Chloride Workers

Thank you for forwarding a completed application detailing the activities of your mortality study as referenced above.

With the updated information you have provided in your application, along with the assurances from all parties involved concerning confidentiality of information, I am able to authorize the transfer of Pennsylvania death records currently housed at ENSR Health Services to your new contractor, Applied Epidemiology Inc. Enclosed is a signed page authorizing the transfer of these records and any information derived from them, as you requested.

If you require additional death records to update the current cohort for this specific study, please submit your list of study subjects along with the above referenced application number to Mr. Charles Hardester, Director, Division of Vital Records, P.O. Box 1528, New Castle, PA 16103 for processing. You will receive noncertified copies of the requested certificates and an invoice in the appropriate amount directly from them. The current fee for noncertified copies is \$2.00 per copy. Please do not send payment with your list of study subjects, as the Division of Vital Records prefers to invoice upon completion of your request.

Thank you for contacting the Division of Health Statistics and Research. Please let us know if we can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Patricia W. Potrzebowski".

Patricia W. Potrzebowski, Ph.D.
Director, Division of Health
Statistics and Research

Enclosure

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Patricia W. Potrzebowski, Ph.D. Director, Division of Health Statistics & Research
Pennsylvania Department of Health

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July 7, 1995

Date

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