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Mr. J. Gelberman
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Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army
26 Federal Plaza
New York, New York 10007

Reference NANOP-E

Dear Mr. Gelberman

Your letter of May 8, 1970 requesting information on the disposal of polychlorinated diphenyls was forwarded to me since I have the responsibility for preventing these materials from contaminating the environment.

Our present method for handling this material is to have it returned to one of our manufacturing plants for recovery and reuse. In those instances where recovery is impractical, we are storing the material until we can install a properly designed incinerator and stack gas scrubbing system. We plan to have this unit in full operation by the end of the year. Disposal will then be made by complete incineration. We have made this service available to our customers and have emphasized to them that disposal in fresh water systems or at sea is not recommended.

Sincerely,

W. B. Papageorge
Manager
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