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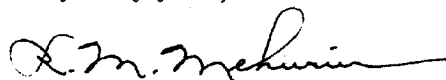
Mr. W. E. McCormick
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Hygiene and Toxicology
The B. F. Goodrich Co.
Akron, Ohio

Dear Mr. McCormick:

This refers to your letter of March 14 and previous correspondence regarding the acceptability of plastic films containing Geon 100X26S for use in contact with federally inspected meat food products.

The points raised in your letter have been given careful consideration; however, in view of the fact that extractability studies have not, according to the information in our file, been carried out on a plastic film containing Santomerse D or other wetting agent and large amounts of the rather soluble plasticizer, Santicizer #141, it is believed such studies, as requested in our letter of February 7, should be undertaken. We are authorized to state that this opinion concurs with that of the Pharmacology Division of the Food and Drug Administration.

Very truly yours,



R. M. Mehurin, Chief
Laboratory Section
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