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FOSECO, INC.

INTER-COMPANY AND INTER-DEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

TO: R. Porter
and Distribution

FROM: D.B. Woodbury

DATE: June 15, 1973

SUBJECT: Wollastonite

Following up on the memo of G. H. Fitzgerald on the dermatological effects of Wollastonite, it appears that our reactions have already surpassed those of Interpace Corporation. An employee with one year of service, George Brown, a pulper in Department 207 has resigned as a result of the discomfort from a rash he claims is associated with Wollastonite.

Joe Mohr has experienced a reaction from this material and reports that approximately twelve of his employees have varying degrees of irritation. Perspiration apparently acts as a collecting agent for the material causing greater irritation.

The Personnel Department has purchased both wet and dry Kerodex. Its effectiveness is being monitored by Joe Mohr and Mike Varhola.

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