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GRACE MEMO

to: B. J. Mees

date: September 2, 1981

from: B. D. Pollock

subject: Ore Concentrate

location: Ajax Office

Tremolite Notice

cc: S. A. Magnacca
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In June 1980, CPD - U.S. notified all ore concentrate customers of the fact that asbestos in the form of tremolite was present in the ore which they were receiving. Attached is a copy of the notice as well as Frank Blazik's memo outlining our intentions regarding notification to Canadian customers.

I do not know whether or not such notices were issued in Canada. However, no changes to the bags themselves to include a warning label, as described in the memo, have taken place.

The text of the printed warning on the ore concentrate bags in the U.S. reads as follows:

C A U T I O N

Contains Asbestos Fibres

Avoid creating dust

Breathing asbestos dust may cause
serious bodily harm

I would appreciate it if you would discuss the ramifications of placing this notice on all ore concentrate bags with Allan and let me know your views.

I believe it most appropriate that such a warning notice be present on ore concentrate packaging and would like to begin this practice as soon as possible.



B. D. Pollock/sg

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