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QUESTIONNAIRE ON VINYL CHLORIDE EXPOSURE

Exposure Levels:

1. Odor of vinyl chloride monomer present throughout much of the day.
From years 1965 to present.
2. Odor of VCM present occasionally during the work day.
From years 1965 to 1974.
3. Odor of VCM a rare event in any work day.
From years April 1974 to present.
4. Have there been process or processing changes introduced which have resulted in an increased escape of VCM.
List years when these occurred.
1966.
5. Have there been process or processing changes introduced which have resulted in a reduction in the escape of VCM.
List years when these occurred.
1969, 1973, 1974.
6. Do you have environmental measurements prior to 1970?
Yes ☒ No ☐.

Personnel Exposure Data:

1. When did the plant start to work with VCM?
Give year 1965.
2. How many employees are working with VCM?
Give number 120.
3. How many employees are still working for you who once worked with VCM but do not do so now?
Give number 27.
4. Of the persons identified in 2 and 3 above give the number who have been exposed for the following time intervals.

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More than 1 and up to 10 years	<u>129</u>
10 and up to 15 years	<u>6</u>
15 and up to 20 years	<u>12</u>
20 and up to 25 years	<u>1</u>
25 years and more	<u>-</u>

5. Of the persons identified in 2 and 3 above give the number falling within each latent period given below and considering only employees with more than one years service. A latent period is the time lapse from first exposure to the present date.

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10 and up to 15 years	<u>6</u>
15 and up to 20 years	<u>13</u>
20 and up to 25 years	<u>1</u>
25 years and more	<u>-</u>

Data From Current Examination Programs

1. Give the number of persons who have been examined since January, 1974. 96.
2. Were liver profile studies made?
Yes _____ No _____.
3. Did the studies include at least bilirubin, SGOT, LDH and alkaline phosphatase?
Yes _____ No _____.
4. How many of those examined showed an abnormality in:
one test _____
two tests _____
three or more tests _____
5. Have you had any cases of angiosarcoma?
Yes _____ No _____.
6. Was this determination made by your own survey?
Yes _____ No _____.

7. What per cent of the total exposed population was covered in the survey? _____.
8. Were retired personnel included?
Yes ☒ No _____.
9. Were persons who had left your employ and gone to work elsewhere included?
Yes _____ No ☒.
10. Did you review causes of death of those who died while still employed by you?
Yes ☒ No _____.
11. Did your plant participate in the Tabershaw-Cooper epidemiologic survey?
Yes ☒ No _____.

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