

VINYL CHLORIDE SAFETY ASSOCIATION MEETING

October 20-21, 1983

New Orleans, Louisiana

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<u>Time</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Discussion Leader</u>
8:00-8:30 a.m.	Registration and Coffee	
8:30-10:00 a.m.	<u>OLD CASE HISTORIES</u>	
	Thompson Chemical Explosion 1964 (Group discussion on practices with sight glasses)	J. T. Barr - Air Products
	Hooker Burlington Plant Fire 1968	J. A. King - Occidental Chemical
	Goodyear Plaquemine Plant Fire 1972 (Results of Corrective Action Taken to Preventa Recurrence)	C. D. Langlois - BFGoodrich Chemical
	Over-Pressurization of a PVC Reactor	P. Rangnes - Norsk Hydro
	Oxichlorination Explosion	B. Reynolds - PPG
	BFGoodrich Altona Sphere Release (Update of revisions made with VCM storage)	H. Waltemate - BFGoodrich Chemical
10:30-10:45 a.m.	Coffee Break	
10:45-12:00 p.m.	<u>CURRENT CASE HISTORIES</u>	
	Formosa Plastics' Baton Rouge VCM Tank Car Loading Fire July 30, 1983	W. Hager - Formosa Plastics
	Bursting of a Resin Hopper Truck	J. Wallace - Esso Chemical
	Rupture of a VCM line Esso Chemical	J. Wallace -
	VCM Loading Pump Housing Failure	L. White PPG
	Conoco's 1982 VCM Tank Car Derailment and Clean-up in Texas	D. Ashby - Conoco
	Other Current Case Histories	Group

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12:00-1:30 p.m.	Lunch Vinyl Institute	Roy T. Gottesman Vinyl Institute
1:30-3:00 p.m.	<u>HEALTH</u> Angio Sarcoma Update	J. T. Barr - Air Products
	Similarities of Plants with Multiple Cases of Angio Sarcoma (Group discussion)	J. T. Barr - Air Products M. N. Johnson - BFGoodrich Chemical
	PVC Dust	J. T. Vaughan - ICI
3:00-3:15 p.m.	Coffee Break	
3:15-4:30 p.m.	<u>SAFETY EQUIPMENT</u> Area Monitoring System, Leak Detectors and Personnel Monitoring Equipment	M. Nevill - Dow Chemical
	Valve Position Indicator Switches (Response to questionnaire)	J. H. McCulley - Conoco

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<u>Time</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Discussion Leader</u>
8:00-8:30 a.m.	Business Meeting -Election of Officers -Selection of 1984 Meeting Site -Vinyl Institute and Interaction with VCSA	
8:30-9:30 a.m.	<u>SAFETY PROGRAMS</u> Safety Performance Assessment	J. T. Vaughan - ICI
	Plant Evacuation - Planning and Training	T. M. Jones - BFGoodrich Chemical
9:30-10:00 a.m.	<u>PROCESS SAFETY</u> Controlling Runaway Reactions and Emergency Power (Results of questionnaire)	M. J. Bate - Esso Chemical A. Peterson - Georgia-Pacific
10:00-10:15 a.m.	Coffee Break	
10:15-12:00 p.m.	<u>ENVIRONMENTAL - REGULATORY</u> Handling VCM Waste from Small Pilot Plants (Results of questionnaire)	J. Wallace - Esso Chemical
	Update on EPA-OSHA Court Action (Group discussion)	W. C. Holbrook - BFGoodrich Chemical
	Regulatory Update	W. C. Holbrook - BFGoodrich Chemical
12:00-2:00 p.m.	<u>LUNCH</u> Livingston, Louisiana Sept. 28, 1983 Derailment Involving Seven Tank Cars of VCM	Captain W. T. Poe - Louisiana State Police

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