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Location Niagara Falls, NY

Date February 8, 1980
Originating Dept. "Calidria" Asbestos

Answering letter date

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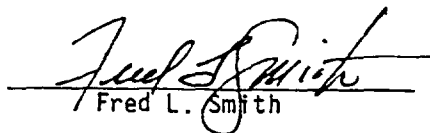
Subject Plenum Chamber Tests
Report No. 2332-22

Enclosed are the results of a series of controlled environmental tests between LTX-144 and Megaloid Detox H-1 asbestos products to determine airborne fiber emissions.

Both products were agitated on a derrick pan vibrator to simulate handling of the material. Monitoring of the atmosphere within the chamber was a constant 15 minutes for each. One control was run prior to the comparison.

Megaloid Detox H-1 is a gray pelletized material approximately 1/16 of an inch in average diameter. The asbestos is designated JM 7RF9. LTX-144 is a premix of RG-144 in diisodecyl phthalate (DIDP).

Airborne fiber concentrations were determined by the membrane filter method using phase contrast light microscopy.


Fred L. Smith

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PLAINTIFF'S EXHIBIT

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REPORT NO. 2332-22

AIRBORNE ASBESTOS COUNTS

for

Plenum Chamber Comparison Data
Union Carbide Corporation
Niagara Falls, New York

Date Sampled: February 1, 1980
Date Reported: February 8, 1980

Samples Collected By: F. L. Smith
Union Carbide Corporation

Samples Analyzed By: F. L. Smith
Union Carbide Corporation

Reported By: F. L. Smith
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SUMMARY OF FIBER COUNTS

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Plenum Chamber Tests
UCC - Niagara Falls, New York

Airborne Fiber Count
(fibers/cc >5 μ)

Sample No.	Air Sample		Operation Description	Airborne Fiber Count	
	Time	Minutes		Chrysotile Asbestos	Possible Amphibol Asbestos
A-12	On: 10:00a Off: 10:15a	15	Control	0.115	0.0
A-16	On: 10:00a Off: 10:15	15	Control	0.046	0.0
A-7	On: 10:20a Off: 10:35a	15	Megaloid Detox H-1 (JM 7RF-9) Test No. 1	0.437	0.046
A-8	On: 10:20a Off: 10:35a	15	Megaloid Detox H-1 (JM 7RF-9) Test No. 1	0.230	0.0
A-5	On: 10:55a Off: 11:10a	15	Megaloid Detox H-1 (JM 7RF-9) Test No. 2	0.253	0.0
A-19	On: 10:55a Off: 11:10a	15	Megaloid Detox H-1 (JM 7RF-9) Test No. 2	0.253	0.0
A-10	On: 1:15p Off: 1:30p	15	LTX-144 (3-1/2 min. mix)	0.069	0.0
A-25	On: 1:15p Off: 1:30p	15	LTX-144 (3-1/2 min. mix)	0.161	0.0

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