MONSANTO CHEMICAL COMPANY — Inter-Office Correspondence

FROM LOCATION: Long Beach, California

DATE: March 4, 1964

SUBJECT: Toxicity of Benzene

REFERENCE:

TO: Dr. R. E. Kelly
Medical Section
St. Louis

Messrs:
C. Boutin
J. J. Jansen

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PROTECTIVE ORDER
APRIL 23, 1989

We anticipate using Benzene in the Organic Esterification process starting some time in the latter part of March. It was recommended by Ed Volz in his recent visit to our plant, that we contact your office for recommendations on physical testing of personnel involved in the handling of Benzene.

The construction of the plant involving use of Benzene is a complete open air operation. Benzene will be brought in in tank trucks probably no more than 5 times a year. The Benzene will be pumped from tank trucks into storage tanks, from there pumped directly into a reactor. The personnel unloading the tank trucks would be the tank farm operators who are exposed to the Benzene only during the unloading operations. The operators in the production unit will be exposed of course, on a daily basis, although the Benzene will be in a closed system in an open deck plant.

The brochures we have obtained on Benzene indicate there should be physical examinations of all personnel involved prior to the handling of Benzene and then routine checks approximately every six months. The general industry safety orders for the State of California briefly touch on the subject and recommend a similar program. May I have your comments on a procedure that could be established at the Long Beach plant for the handling of personnel involved in the Benzene operation. Thank you.

John L. Tulen
Safety Supervisor

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

IN AND FOR NEW CASTLE COUNTY

MONSANTO COMPANY, Plaintiff,	:	Civil Action Number
v.	:	88C-JA-118-1-CV
AETNA CASUALTY & SURETY COMPANY, et al., Defendants.	:	NON-ARBITRATION CASE

KELLY DEPOSITION EXHIBITS

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