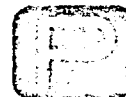


From the Director of Health and Safety
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Look Ahead with Lead

August 10, 1964

To All Members of the Lead Industries Association, Inc.:

We have received the following request from the National Academy of Sciences, National Research Council of the United States of America: "A study on pollution of water, air, and land is currently being undertaken by a Committee of the National Academy of Sciences - National Research Council.

We are seeking any material, unpublished or published, relative to (a) types, (b) sources, (c) total loads, and (d) observed effects of wastes produced by your Industry and discharged into U. S. air, streams or land.

Your cooperation in providing us with as much information as possible will be most helpful to the Committee in its forthcoming deliberations on the total national pollution problem."

Since this is the most distinguished scientific body in our country and has official status we feel it would be well to cooperate to the fullest extent in their survey. Therefore, could you please send to us any test data that we could use in a compiled form (without identifying a specific company or plant) or any other pertinent information that might be helpful? The specific information requested would include stack discharge data from process stacks, such as smelters, and water effluent data from pipes discharging into the lakes and streams.

Thank you for your help.

Very truly yours,

Don O. Fowler

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