

FILE NAME: Westinghouse (WH)

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Westinghouse RE Safety & Health Violations

OSHA ~~attorney~~
rec'd notice
of alleged harr.
ask. to contact
'employee' 1992

WESTINGHOUSE POWER GENERATION
Power Generation Service Division

4400 Alafaya Trail
Orlando, Florida 32826-2399
FAX No. 407-381-6299 (VIN 439-6299)
P.O.S.O. HUMAN RESOURCES

Please fill in the following completely:

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Name: Roger Willis Name: _____
Co./Dept: Legal Dept: Safety
Location: Gothway Tele: _____
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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: Enclosed find the O.S. N.R.
correspondence we received today. I will
obtain the facts, prepare a response,
and forward to you for review and comment.
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U.S. Department of Labor

Occupational Safety and Health Administration

Nashville Area Office
2002 Richard Jones Road
Suite C-205
Nashville, TN 37215



Reply to the Attention of:

July 28, 1992

Westinghouse
4400 Alafaya Trail
Orlando, FL 32826

Dear Westinghouse:

On 7/27/92, the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) received a notice of (safety and/or health) hazards at your worksite at:

Callatin Fossil Plant
Callatin, TN 37066

The specific nature of the alleged hazards is as follows: Employees exposed to asbestos from machines in gas turbine holding yard. Asbestos was removed by another contractor without using an enclosure.

We have not determined whether the hazards, as alleged, exist at your workplace; and we do not intend to conduct an inspection at this time. However, since allegations of violations have been made, you are requested to investigate the alleged conditions and make any necessary corrections or modifications. Within 20 days of your receipt of this letter, please advise me in writing of the results of your investigation. Please provide any supporting documentation of your findings, including any applicable measurements or monitoring results, and photographs which you believe would be helpful, as well as a description of any corrective action you have taken or are in the process of taking, including photographs of the corrected condition.

This letter is not a citation or a notification of proposed penalty which, according to the OSH Act, may be issued only after an inspection or investigation of the workplace. If we do not receive a response from you within 20 calendar days indicating that appropriate action has been taken or that no hazard exists and why, an inspection may be conducted.

Please note, however, that OSHA selects for inspection a random sample of cases where we have received letters in which employees have indicated

satisfactory corrective action. This policy has been established to ensure that employers have actually taken the action asserted in their letters.

Finally, any action taken by you in this matter will not automatically remove your workplace from the possibility of an unannounced inspection by duly authorized representatives of OSHA in accordance with routine scheduling procedures currently in effect.

In addition to its function of inspecting workplaces, the OSHA Area Offices has been expanded to become full service resource center, offering a wide range of safety and health related services in response to the needs of the working public, both employers and employees. These services include training and education, consultation, voluntary compliance programs and assistance in correcting hazards.

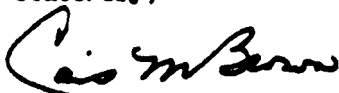
Your State offers OSHA consultation services, without charge, to assist in resolving all occupational safety and health issues. However, the variety of services available or the scheduling of those services may be limited by the consultation project's requirement to give priority to small businesses in high hazard industries and by its backlog. To discuss or request the services, call or write your State consultation project at the following address:

Tn. Dept of Labor
501 Union Building, Suite 300
Nashville, TN 37219
615-741-2793

You are requested to post a copy of this letter and your response to it where it will be readily accessible for review by all of your employees.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact the Area Office at the address in the letterhead. Your personal support and interest in the safety and health of your employees is appreciated.

Sincerely,



Chris M. Brown
Area Director

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ENVIR. AFFAIR

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Mark
Did you see this?
for discard. Paul

~~CC T. M. BATTON
C. D. BICKERSTAFF
P. Palmieri - 1570~~

Roger E. Wills Jr.
WIN 272-5815