



Interoffice Communication

To : J. A. Dixon
From : R. B. Harned
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Subject: FIXED POINT MONITOR COMPUTER
(AFE 9680)

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4. Change leak numbering system such that leaks are numbered sequentially for the month. (if possible)
5. Modify the software to continue data logging if the printer goes down. (if possible)
6. Program and install a computer failure alarm. (if possible)
7. Try to make the system more resistant to operator shutdown. Some possibilities are:
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 - b) Put the CRT terminal behind the panel and put a video display beside the printer.
8. Purchase diagnostic programs and scratch floppies.
9. Purchase parallel/serial and serial/parallel converters to improve communications from the computer to the printer.
10. Change locations on GC#3 as follows:

Stream 9 - Bottom of D-700
Stream 10 - Bottom of D-745
11. Change title on monthly report to Aberdeen Chemical Plant.



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