

FILE NAME: Quebec Asbestos Mining Association (QAMA)

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two phone nos.

M. Pomerleau - statistics in comp.
works for Bernier

slen navigay Venna - no documentation
file on asbestos by stories - strikes in 1965
and 1975 strike on health - 3" thick - 3-4
articles. Certain non-disclosures to workers ill.

~~called asbestos~~

105 papers
from 30
projects

one story says union files
on claims only in 1968 -
*17 refused, 4 cancelled

he has minutes but wants
to hide it. - 61 tract ca
reported.

Gone to Library

cancels - death of researcher
- mines vs insulators

recent
Vigilant - 1972 publ.

shipping articles cancelled over split up of researchers

2 union groups speak some English from Vennat

(Montreal) U.S.W.

Jean Marc Carle 288-7200 (514)
and asbestos articles library - See Sam's note

C Nat. Trade Union -

La Federation Metallurgie
Maladie de Travail

(Montreal)

Claude Mainville = 286-2161 (514)

QAMA main ofc in minutes, advisory committee in Quebec

QAMA - IRDA - IDEH same board of directors

1950's one earlier secretary - now V. Pres. in charge of minutes
+ Presidents of companies

QAMA advisory committee - one on OHS - one consultant
their work noted in annual rpts. doctor

Cardner funded by individual firms, mainly S.M.
then QAMA formed in 1981, supported Lange in 1984.

Healy 1944

532
5680

Ed Lundy - monitors legislature

law firm
ex-union, gov't brought him +
18 others out of the plant
tr

EC: He started 1953 Scarborough (Toronto)
Plant opened in 1948 plant
Transite pipe
brake shoes (1953 ~ 1968) and
sold to Bendix in Windsor.
One is 34 Meso. after 15 yrs
UAW found other 9 L.C.'s
shingles - flexboard 3'x8" (1958-1968)
(M moved machinery to Toronto,
motors no good, tax deal only)

Legislature
Q's for Comp.
Dept.
How many (disability since 1960)
AS is about attack
w/ L.C., stom. C., M. since 1966
interviewed for rehabilitation
Idea - rehabilitation instead of a
pension

Couldn't find any comp before 1960.

Albert
got it in
English or
Beaudry report only in French has history. (1976)

Larry Theam I. Chen. Wks. Akron
Aubrey Golden