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PLAINTIFF'S EXHIBIT

SWB-108

Dear Walt:

The bulk sample you sent from 210 Malapardis Road, Whippany, New Jersey, has been analyzed for asbestos. An x-ray diffraction scan revealed a significant crystalline portion of the material to be amosite, an asbestiform mineral belonging to the amphibole group. An optical examination of the material by polarized light microscopy and dispersion staining revealed the presence of many asbestiform birefringent fibers. The dispersion staining characteristics of these fibers were similar to those of amosite.

Sincerely,

Vicki R. Cohen
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