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Gentlemen:

At a Board of Directors meeting of the S.M.F.M.A. on Thursday, August 18th, it was determined that the following testing program be set up by the Technical Committee as quickly as possible, to combat any future developments of repercussion from Dr. Selikoff's previous publicity concerning Asbestosis. Based on a meeting held with Dr. Selikoff, at which Jim Verhalen and Bert Levine were in attendance, and discussions between us after that meeting, it was determined that it might be advisable to test the following situations:

1- Test, with some reputable laboratory, dust concentration in the spraying area. In other words, we should take dust counts immediately adjacent to the men who are doing the spraying, and at various radii from that point, to indicate the fact that there is no spread of dust concentration beyond that point.

2- To remove the suspicion that the use of a sprayed fibrous material in a plenum chamber contributes to asbestos dust in the air of the system, we would like to run dust count tests on the emission from ducts from areas where the plenum has been treated:

a) With sprayed fibre fireproofing
b) With Mono-Cote fireproofing
c) With reinforced concrete treatment

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WE SHOULD USE A REPUTABLE LABORATORY TO ACCOMMODATE FOR THESE TESTS AND GET THEM DONE AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE, SO THAT WE CAN HAVE THE PROPER AMMUNITION TO FIGHT ANY DETRIMENTAL STATEMENT THAT MIGHT BE MADE BY UNIONS, ETC.

I THINK WE SHOULD ARRANGE TO HAVE A MEETING OF THE TECHNICAL COMMITTEE AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE, TO LOOK INTO THESE MATTERS AS WELL AS OTHERS WHICH HAVE DEVELOPED.

VERY TRULY YOURS,

SPRAYED MINERAL FIBRE MFRS. ASSN. INC.

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