PLAINTIFF'S EXHIBIT

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THE STATE OF WYOMING

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Department of Health and Social Services

Division of Health and Medical Services

HATHAWAY BUILDING . CHEYENNE, WYOMING 82002

June 27, 1979

Jack D. Garber
Pipe Division
Johns-Manville Sales Corp.
P.O. Box 5771
Denver, CO 80217

Dear Mr. Garber:

We are aware of the current medical literature which indicates no relationship between gastrointestinal carcinoma and other gastrointestinal disorders in those individuals who ingest water transported through asbestos cement pipe.

With our current knowledge our agency approves the use of asbestos cement pipe in the transmission of drinking water.

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence J. Cohen, M.D.
Administrator

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