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October 3, 1980

Area Director
U. S. Department of Labor
Occupational Safety and Health Administration
1240 East Ninth Street, Room 847
Cleveland, Ohio 44199

ATTENTION: Leslie W. Michael, Ph.D.

Dear Sir:

General Tire requests an extension of its October 8, 1980, date for increased ventilation in the Polymer building to May 1, 1981. Reference Citation 1, CSHO's No. P4561, Items Number 1A and 1B.

Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated.

Sincerely,

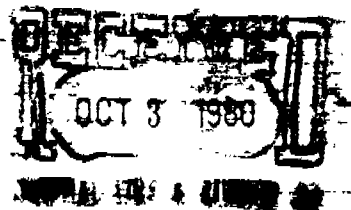
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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
Occupational Safety and Health Administration
Cleveland Area Office - Region V
1240 East Ninth Street, Room 847
Cleveland, Ohio 44199

October 2, 1980



Citation Number 1 Date of Citation 4-8-80 CSHO's No. P4561
Item Number 1A and 1B
Original Abatement Date 10-8-80
Proposed Abatement Date 5-1-81

EMPLOYER'S PETITION FOR MODIFICATION OF ABATEMENT PERIOD

Mr. Harlan Jewett, Plant Manager
GTR Chemical Company
Middle Road, P.O. Box 68
Ashtabula, Ohio 44004

Dear Mr. Jewett:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your transmittal petitioning for modification of the abatement date in the above mentioned citation. Before any action can be taken on your petition for modification of abatement, posting by you must be affected by placing a copy of your petition, together with this letter, in a conspicuous place; in addition, copies of said documents must be sent to the employee representatives if applicable. This is to further advise you that the office must wait for a period of 15 days from the date of said posting before any action can be taken on your petition. In view of this requirement, you have to notify this office as soon as possible of the following information:

(1) The date posting was effected, and that the petition will be posted for a period of 10 days, and

(2) That you have notified affected employees, or their representatives, that they may file an objection in writing to such petition with the Area Director, said notification being set forth below.

As mentioned, no action can be taken by this office until the expiration of 15 working days from the date the petition was posted. After said period has expired you will be notified as to whether your petition is approved or not. Failure to follow posting requirements as set forth herein will, of course, result in an adverse decision upon your request.

If you should have any questions please feel free to write or call this office at any time.

Very truly yours,

LESLIE W. MICHAEL, Ph.D.
Area Director

NOTIFICATION TO EMPLOYEES

The employer named herein has filed a petition to modify the abatement dates of the above cited citation, seeking additional time in which to abate the conditions cited in said citation. Inasmuch as the decision of our office may result in an order, prior to hearing, which grants the request for more time contained in the petition, employees or employee representatives of affected employees who may have any objections to the granting of the petition, and who desire to contest same should promptly communicate their objections in writing to the following office:

U. S. Department of Labor
Occupational Safety and Health Administration
1240 East Ninth Street, Room 847
Cleveland, Ohio 44199

Objections to the petition will be forwarded to the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission for the scheduling of a trial as to the merits of the petition and objections.

Failure to file such objections within ten (10) working days of the date of the posting of petition shall constitute a waiver of any further right to object to said petition.