PLAINTIFF'S
EXHIBIT
AL-1769

~~J. A. Shockey~~

FROM J. L. PALMER

TO MEMORANDUM

Joe Damiano
Pgh-06

Joe, I knew you would be glad to see this. With some team work with Mayfield & a discussion I had with Hiram about liability I was able to get Johnny on board and as you can see he's bought in.
Jeff
87-11-5

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RE: ASBESTOS REMOVAL FROM SCRAP METAL AND PIPING

In a continuing effort to provide a safe and healthy work environment, P REDACTED is committed to maintaining the highest standards possible around the issue of asbestos removal and disposal. Currently, we are following a combination of practices from OSHA Standard 1926.58 and EPA Guidelines for Removing and Disposing of Asbestos Material. We also operate on the premise that all insulation is considered as asbestos unless it is clearly identified as non-asbestos material through verification by a certified analyst or lab.

In reviewing these current policies we find that a further clarification concerning all scrap material leaving the Point Comfort plant site must be made. No material containing any form of asbestos will leave the REDACTED site. If scrap metal is to be sold, any insulation deemed to be asbestos must be removed and disposed of in Landfill Site III. With this established, many areas may find it less costly to dispose of the metal and insulation in Site III versus spending labor dollars to remove the insulation to make the metal suitable for scrap sale. I would encourage all REDACTED employees to use the services of Bill Elliott, Jeff Shockey and Lupe Flores in the process of identifying asbestos containing material and in evaluating the cost of removal where applicable.

J. L. Palmer
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cc: All Superintendents
All Managers
All Engineers
All Supervisors

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