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Subject: Pressure Packed Asbestos Opener

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This will confirm a meeting which we have set up for the addressed at 9:30 a.m. Monday morning in Harry Stolar's office to review subject project and to establish future plans for integrating the Asbestos Opener in both our dry mix and wet mix processes.

Production has approved the equipment and Engineering has approved on the basis of dynamometer test, critical formulas including resin starved dry mix and wet mix materials. For these approvals, refer to PX-76 A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, J and K reports.

For your information, we are attaching copy of our original summary of equipment costs, estimated savings and production difficulties. If we could be successful in integrating opening equipment in our process, we can foresee a 60¢/ton savings which would justify the procurement of equipment on a dollars and cents basis. In addition, there are very definite intangible savings such as a 30% savings in warehouse space, intangible savings in handling and a very definite intangible advantage of uniformity in mixes. Production is convinced that pressurized asbestos uniformly opened with the opening equipment will result in more uniform mixes which will result in better control and less rejects.

The big problem will be the integration of this equipment in our present wet mix and dry mix lines. The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss this aspect and to determine what future action is to be taken.


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Attach.

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9/9/57 Meeting: Purchasing Opener. CWM to determine installation method and placing of opener.