

In conclusion, let me say that General Motors Corporation has a long standing commitment to protect the health and well-being of its employees, the general public and the environment. While we encourage the use of materials having little or no hazard, we are prepared to continue using materials that require more extensive controls whenever substitutes are not available.

We are proud — justifiably — of our record of safety in dealing with potentially hazardous materials. And I assure you, we will pursue every effort to continue that safety record.

Once again, it has been a great pleasure to take part in this program.

Thank you very much.

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