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July 27, 1959

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Miss Mabel E. Barnet
Insurance Department
Armstrong Cork Company
Lancaster, Penna.

Dear Miss Barnet:

Re: - Fred E. Strickland vs.
Armstrong Cork Company et al
Claim No. 96-C-898085
Date of Accident - Unknown

In accordance with order of the California Industrial Accident Commission, the Standard Accident Insurance Company paid their proportionate share of \$37.50 to Mr. Strickland. Numerous other insurance companies were involved in this matter.

We are closing our file.

Thanking you for your excellent cooperation in the handling of this claim, we are

Very truly yours,

V. L. P. SHRIVER AGENCY

D. B. Edgar
D. B. Edgar

November 21, 1958

AIRMAIL

Mr. Paul J. Herlihy
Employers Mutuals of Wausau
114 Sansome Street
San Francisco 4, Calif.

Dear Mr. Herlihy:

Subject: Fred Strickland
A42-411/1

2-13-59
W.C.

In reply to your request for employment information on the above-named individual, we suggest you contact the San Francisco office of The Travelers as this information was made available to them through our insurance brokers. The Travelers office is located at 315 Montgomery Street.

Whatever action The Travelers takes will be satisfactory with us.

Very truly yours,

ARMSTRONG CORK COMPANY

Wallace B. Hofferth
Assistant General Manager
Insurance Department

JEZ

J. E. Fannon
Alexander & Alexander, Inc.
2225 N. Charles Street
Baltimore 18, Md.

The Travelers Insurance Company
315 Montgomery Street
San Francisco 20, Calif.

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EMPLOYERS MUTUAL LIABILITY INSURANCE COMPANY OF WISCONSIN
EMPLOYERS MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
HOME OFFICE: WAUSAU, WISCONSIN



Address Reply To
EMPLOYERS MUTUALS OF WAUSAU
114 BANSOME STREET
SAN FRANCISCO 4, CALIFORNIA
PHONE GA-RFIELD 1-6364

Armstrong Cork Company
Lancaster
Pennsylvania

November 17, 1958

Fred Strickland
A42-41141

Gentlemen:

Fred E. Strickland has filed an application in the San Francisco office of the California Industrial Accident Commission alleging he suffered an aggravation of a pre-existing tubercular condition while in the employ of various defendants including yourself.

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WDBH
The application alleges that he was employed by you sometime in 1952, from March, 1955 to November 1955 and from December, 1956 through July, 1957.

We were your Workmen's Compensation carrier from January 1, 1944 to January 1, 1952 at your South Gate plant at 5037 Patata Street.

We would very much appreciate your writing us, informing us what your records reveal as to the dates and locations Mr. Strickland was employed by you.

Yours very truly

Paul J. Herlihy
Legal Department

Paul J. Herlihy:jh/sf

August 22, 1958

Mr. J. E. Fannon
Alexander & Alexander, Inc.
2225 N. Charles Street
Baltimore 18, Maryland

Dear Jim:

Subject: Fred E. Strickland
State of California
Asbestosis

According to the record of employment attached to Notice of Hearing Mr. Strickland worked for Anastrong Cork Company during the period 1948 to 1952. We have given Standard Accident the information we have available for the year 1950 and 1951, our payroll records having been destroyed for the years prior to 1950.

We are listing below the pay period, wages and contract number of Mr. Strickland's employment. The locations of the jobs for the various contract numbers are not now available. If you wish this information it can be obtained. All work was in the State of California.

<u>Pay period</u> <u>ending -</u>	<u>Wages</u>	<u>Contract</u>
6-8-52	\$ 46.40	#38251
6-15	116.00	"
6-22	116.00	"
6-29	116.00	{ 38643 38653
3-23-53	50.40	270059
3-30	126.00	"
4-6	126.00	"
4-13	126.00	270059 & 270487
4-20	126.00	270487
4-27	126.00	"
5-4	126.00	270411
5-11	126.00	"
5-18	126.00	"
5-25	126.00	"
6-1	126.00	"
6-8	100.80	"
6-15	126.00	270059
6-22	126.00	"
6-29	126.00	"
7-6	126.00	"
7-13	100.80	"

<u>Pay period</u> <u>ending —</u>	<u>Wages</u>	<u>Contract #</u>
7-20-55	\$126.00	270059 & 270537
7-27	126.00	270537
8-3	126.00	"
8-10	127.00	270059
8-17	125.54	270059 & 270537
8-24	128.46	270537
8-31	127.00	"
9-7	127.00	"
9-14	76.20	"
9-21	127.00	"
9-28	127.00	"
10-5	127.00	"
10-12	127.00	270537 & 270059
10-19	127.00	"
10-26	127.00	"
11-2	127.00	270059
11-9	127.00	270059 & 270537
11-16	127.00	"
11-23	50.80	"
		No work
12-23-56	104.80	270765
12-30-56	104.80	"
1-6-57	104.80	"
1-13	183.40	270725 & 270765
1-20	78.60	270725
1-27	131.00	"
2-3	131.00	"
2-10	131.00	"
2-17	131.00	270725 & 270727
2-24	209.60	270727
3-3	235.80	"
3-10	131.00	"
3-17	131.00	270727 & 270609
3-24	131.00	270815
3-31	131.00	"
4-7	131.00	"
4-14	131.00	"
4-21	131.00	"
4-28	131.00	"
5-5	131.00	"
5-12	131.00	"
5-19	131.00	270815 & 270793
5-26	131.00	"
6-2	104.80	270815
6-9	131.00	"
6-16	131.00	"
6-23	131.00	270815 & 270885
6-30	52.40	270885

August 22

<u>Pay period</u> <u>ending —</u>	<u>Wages</u>	<u>Contract #</u>	
7-7-57	\$104.80	270885	
7-14	117.90	"	
7-21	183.40	"	
7-28	183.40	270885 & 270815	
8-4	78.60	270815	Strike
9-8-57	71.00	"	Sick

In April, 1958 employed by Armstrong Contracting and Supply Corporation:

4-6-58	76.00	271063	
4-13	76.00	"	
4-20	76.00	"	
4-27	106.40	271063 & 271125	
5-4	121.60	"	
5-11	182.40	"	
5-18	136.80	271063	
5-25	152.00	"	
6-1	121.60	"	
6-8	152.00	"	
6-15	152.00	271213	
6-22	152.00	"	
6-29	152.00	"	
7-6-58	91.20	271125	Injured

Mr. Strickland had not returned to work as of our 8-17-58 payroll record.

He was injured on July 2, 1958, your Claim B-8485043 and your loss cards show the following:

"Placed weight on a light aluminum channel which gave way causing him to fall prox. 8 ft. to the floor below the furred ceiling.

- 1) pro fracture rt. carpal scaphoid
- 2) fracture lt. 6th rib
- 3) contusion lt. shoulder
- 4) displaced fracture lt. radial head
- 5) sprain left wrist

Very truly yours,

Mabel E. Barnet
Insurance Department

Letter in duplicate



Standard Accident Insurance Company
840 West San Bruno Avenue
San Bruno, California

Subject: 96-G 898085
 ✓ Armstrong Cork Company
 Fred E. Strickland
 D/I: Unknown

In our letter of yesterday we advised you Mr. Strickland was working for our subsidiary, Armstrong Contracting and Supply Corporation, from April, 1958 through July 6, 1958 (July 6 being the pay date). You may be interested to know that we have just received the following information:

Mr. Strickland was injured on July 2, 1958 when he fell approximately 8 feet to the floor below a furred ceiling. His injuries are listed as

- 1) pro fracture rt. carpal scaphoid
- 2) fracture lt. 6th rib
- 3) contusion lt. shoulder
- 4) displaced fracture lt. radial head
- 5) sprain left wrist

As of our August 17 payroll Mr. Strickland had not returned to work.

Very truly yours,

ARMSTRONG CORK COMPANY

Mabel E. Barnet
Insurance Department

cc - V-L. P. Shriver Agency

Information from Loss Cards 8/20/58

Claim B-8485043 D/A 7/2/58 - FRED E. STRICKLAND, California,
Asbestos Worker

Reserves W.C. - \$2,600.
Med. 350.

CALIF. Fred E. Strickland, Asbestos Worker, 345 Mission St., San Francisco,

Placed weight on a light aluminum channel which gave way causing him
to fall prox. 8 ft. to the floor below the furred ceiling.

- 1) pro fracture rt. carpal scaphoid
- 2) fracture lt. 6th rib
- 3) contusion lt. shoulder
- 4) displaced fracture lt. radial head
- 5) sprain left wrist

*8/17/58 Payroll
still not working*

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CABLE ADDRESS
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August 21, 1958

Mr. William L. Hughes, General Mgr.
Insurance Department
Armstrong Cork Company
Lancaster, Pennsylvania

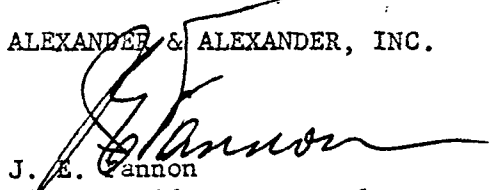
State of California
Fred E. Strickland
Asbestosis

Dear Bill:

We have for acknowledgment your letter of August 20th enclosing two photostatic copies of Notice of Hearing to be held by the Industrial Accident Commission of the State of California on October 20th, 1958. We are forwarding a copy of your letter and a notice to Mr. C. H. Bauer, Claim Department, Travelers Insurance Company, 315 Montgomery Street, San Francisco 20, California. Meantime, would you please let us have Mr. Strickland's employment record if this is available in Lancaster.

Very truly yours,

ALEXANDER & ALEXANDER, INC.


J. E. Cannon

Vice President - Casualty

no

August 21, 1958

Standard Accident Insurance Company
840 West San Bruno Avenue
San Bruno, California

Gentlemen: Attention: Vera E. Dowling
 Claim Representative

Subject: 96-C 898085
Armstrong Cork Company
Fred E. Strickland
D/I: Unknown

The first knowledge we had of the alleged claim of Fred E. Strickland was copy of the Notice of Hearing which we received from the Industrial Accident Commission of the State of California on August 8. We have no further information.

You are correct in your understanding that since January 1, 1952 we have not been insured with your company, and we have notified our present carrier of this possible claim.

According to copy of employment record attached to Notice of Hearing, Mr. Strickland claims to have worked for Armstrong Cork Company during the period 1948 to 1952 and again for periods in 1955, 1956 and 1957. For your information our records show that following termination of his employment in June, 1952 Mr. Strickland worked for Armstrong Cork Company from March to November in 1955 and from December, 1956 to early September, 1957. You will be interested to know that from April, 1958 through July 6, 1958 (our last payroll record report) Mr. Strickland has been working for Armstrong Contracting and Supply Corporation, a wholly owned subsidiary of Armstrong Cork Company which was formed January 1, 1958 to carry on contract operations formerly conducted by Armstrong Cork Company.

We have checked our records and list below all the information we are able to give you on Mr. Strickland's employment prior to January 1, 1952. In accordance with our Retention of Records Schedule all payroll records prior to 1950 have been destroyed, and contract files are kept for only seven years following completion of contract.

<u>Pay week ending -</u>	<u>Wages</u>	<u>Contract #</u>	<u>Location of Job</u>
4-9-50	\$ 37.60	46272	
4-23	75.20	46373	
4-30	94.00	46387 & 46373	
5-7	94.00	46389	
5-14	94.00	46277	Mendocino State Hospital, Talmadge, Calif.

<u>Pay week ending -</u>	<u>Wages</u>	<u>Contract #</u>	<u>Location of Job</u>
5-21-50	\$94.00	46277 & 46291	Mendocino State Hospital, Talmadge, Calif.
5-28	94.00	46277	"
6-4	75.20	46277 & 46291	"
6-11	94.00	46277	"
7-2	94.00	46277	"
7-9	65.80	46419	Youth Guidance Center, San Francisco, Calif.
7-16	94.00	{ 46277 46439	Mendocino State Hospital, Talmadge, Calif.
7-23	94.00	46417	"
7-30	84.60	{ 46445 46395	Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., Antioch, Calif.
8-6	98.80	46445	Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., Antioch, Calif.
8-13	100.00	"	"
8-20	100.00	"	"
8-27	100.00	46277	Mendocino State Hospital, Talmadge, Calif.
9-3	100.00	46277	"
9-10	80.00	"	"
9-17	100.00	"	"
9-24	100.00	"	"
10-1	100.00	46445	Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., Antioch, Calif.
10-8	100.00	"	"
10-15	100.00	{ 46445 46419 46507	Youth Guidance Center, San Francisco, Calif. Funston Fieldhouse, San Francisco, Calif.
10-22	100.00	46511	"
10-29	100.00	{ 46445 46511	Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., Antioch, Calif.
11-5	100.00	{ 46445 46507	Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., Antioch, Calif. Funston Fieldhouse, San Francisco, Calif.
11-12	40.00	46507	"
11-19	103.75	46381	American Trust Bank, Santa Rosa, Calif.
11-26	80.00	46445	Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., Antioch, Calif.
12-3	100.00	"	"
12-10	100.00	"	"
12-17	100.00	"	"
12-24	100.00	46514	"
12-31-50	120.00	46513	Weather Station, Madera, Calif.
1-7-51	160.00	"	"
1-14	100.00	46471	"
1-20	60.00	{ 46455 46471	Merced County General Hospital, Merced, Calif.
3-25	13.75	46455	Merced County General Hospital, Merced, Calif.
Paid 10-7 (Worked Jan. 2 & 3, '51	35.00	46471	

6-8-52 was Mr. Strickland's next employment - insured present carrier

Very truly yours,

ARMSTRONG CORK COMPANY

cc: V-L. P. Shriver

Mabel E. Barnett, Insurance Department

August 20, 1958

Mr. J. E. Fannon
Alexander & Alexander, Inc.
2225 N. Charles Street
Baltimore 18, Maryland

Dear Jim:

Subject: State of California
Fred E. Strickland
Asbestosis

We attach two photostatic copies of Notice of Hearing received by us from the Industrial Accident Commission of the State of California in the above captioned matter. This is the first notification we have had of this alleged claim.

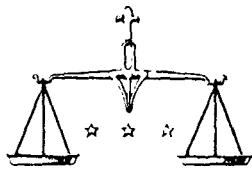
As Mr. Strickland worked for Armstrong Cork Company prior to January 1, 1952, this claim also involves the Standard Accident Insurance Company and we have been advised by them that they have received copy of this Notice of Hearing.

Will you please take the necessary steps to protect our interests in this case from January 1, 1952 forward.

Very truly yours,

Mabel E. Barnett
Insurance Department

Enclosures



Standard Accident Insurance Company

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ROY W. SMITH
MANAGER

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA BRANCH OFFICE

PHONE JUNG 3-4000

840 WEST SAN BRUNO AVENUE

SAN BRUNO, CALIF.

AUG 13 1958 WLH

AUGUST 11, 1958

ARMSTRONG CORK COMPANY
LANCASTER, PENNSYLVANIARE: 96-C 898085
ARMSTRONG CORK COMPANY
FRED E. STRICKLAND
D/I: UNKNOWN

GENTLEMEN:

PERHAPS YOU HAVE RECEIVED A COPY OF THE NOTICE OF HEARING IN THE ABOVE CAPTIONED MATTER. WE RECEIVED A COPY OF THE NOTICE ON AUGUST 5, 1958. IT IS OUR FIRST AND ONLY KNOWLEDGE OF THIS ALLEGED CLAIM.

ATTACHED TO THE APPLICATION FOR HEARING WAS AN EMPLOYMENT RECORD SHOWING THE VARIOUS DATES THAT FRED E. STRICKLAND ALLEGEDLY WORKED FOR THE VARIOUS EMPLOYERS.

WE NOTE THAT HE CLAIMS TO HAVE WORKED FOR ARMSTRONG CORK BETWEEN 1948 AND 1952; AGAIN BETWEEN MARCH 1955 AND NOVEMBER 1955; AGAIN DURING DECEMBER 1956 TO JULY 1957.

WILL YOU PLEASE CAREFULLY CHECK YOUR RECORDS AND ADVISE US THE EXACT PERIODS FRED E. STRICKLAND WORKED FOR YOUR COMPANY AND THE EXACT WAGE ON EACH OCCASION AND THE EXACT LOCATION OF EACH EMPLOYMENT.

IF YOU HAVE RECEIVED THE NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR HEARING OR ANY OTHER PAPERS IN CONNECTION WITH THIS CLAIM WILL YOU PLEASE FORWARD THEM TO US FOR OUR ATTENTION.

IT IS OUR UNDERSTANDING THAT WE DO NOT PRESENTLY CARRY OUR WORKMENS COMPENSATION INSURANCE AND HAVE NOT CARRIED IT SINCE JANUARY 1, 1952. YOU THEREFORE MAY WISH TO NOTIFY YOUR CARRIER SINCE 1952 OF THIS CLAIM AS THEY ALSO WILL APPARENTLY BE INVOLVED.

VERY TRULY YOURS,

VERA E. DOWLING
CLAIM REPRESENTATIVE

VED/s

CC: V.L.P. SHRIVER AGENCY
CC: PITTSBURGH CLAIM DEPT.

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OFFICE COMMUNICATION

Armstrong
CORP. COMPANY

8/13/58

To GERRY HELM, Payroll
From MABEL BARNET, Ins.
Subject FRED E. STRICKLAND
Soc. Sec. # 567-18-4891

PLEASE GIVE US WAGES, BY WEEKS, FOR ABOVE
MAN. (ASBESTOS WORKER)

ACCORDING TO SUIT PAPERS WE RECD. HE WORKED
FOR US, PRESUMABLY IN OR AROUND CALIF.
DURING THE PERIODS 1948 to 1952 AND
MARCH 1955 to Nov. 1955 AND DEC. 1956 to JULY 1957

ALSO, DO YOUR RECORDS SHOW REASON FOR
TERMINATION EACH PERIOD?

ALSO CONTRACT #'S,

AUG 13 1958

San Francisco Office

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Contract

46271 ✓
 46277 Mendocino State Hospital, Talmadge, Calif.
 46291 " " " "
 46373 ✓
 46381 American Trust Bank, Santa Rosa, Calif.
 46387 ✓
 46389 ✓
 46395 ✓
 46417 ✓
 46419 Youth Guidance Center, San Francisco, Calif.
 46439 ✓
 46445 Pacific Gas & Electric Co., Antioch, Calif.
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 46507 Hurston Fieldhouse, San Francisco, Calif.
 46511 ✓
 46513 Weather Station, Madera, Calif.
 46514

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46455 - Merced County General Hospital, Merced, Calif.
 46471 ✓

Los Angeles Office

Contract

38251 - ^{W.D.} Staller Center, Los Angeles, Calif.
 38643 ✓
 38653 (E. Wilkerson, Inc., L.A.)

San Francisco

1955

Contract

270059

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Dec 1956/1957

Contract

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270725

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270885

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13100	40	4-7
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13100	40	3-24
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13100	40	3-10
23580	52	3-3
20960	48	2-24
13100	40	2-17
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13100	40	2-3
13100	40	1-27
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4-13	40	12600	270059 - 8 hours	11-9	40	12700	2700537 - 16
4-20	40	12600	270487 - 32 "	11-16	40	12700	270059 - 30
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5-11	40	12600	"				
5-18	40	12600	"				
5-25	40	12600	"				
6-1	40	12600	"				
6-8	32	10080	"				
6-15	40	12600	270059				
6-22	40	12600	"				
6-29	40	12600	"				
7-6	40	12600	"				
7-13	32	10080	"				
7-20	40	12600	270059 - 27 hours				
7-27	40	12600	270537 - 13 "				
8-3	40	12600	"				
8-10	40	12700	270059				
8-17	40	12554	270059 - 19 hours				
8-24	40	12846	270537 - 21 "				
8-31	40	12700	270537				
9-7	40	12700	"				
9-14	34	7620	"				
9-21	40	12700	"				
9-28	40	12700	"				
10-5	40	12700	"				
10-12	40	12700	270537 - 8 hours				
			270059 - 32 "				

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION

FRED E. STRICKLAND,

Applicant

vs

BAY CITIES ASBESTOS COMPANY, WESTERN
ASBESTOS COMPANY, ET AL, and INDUSTRIAL
INDEMNITY EXCHANGE, STATE COMPENSATION
INSURANCE FUND, ET AL,

Defendants

Claim No. SF 182-526

NOTICE OF HEARING
OF APPLICATION
FOR ADJUSTMENT
OF CLAIM

You are hereby notified that an application to adjust a claim for compensation (a copy of which is attached hereto) has been filed with the Industrial Accident Commission of the State of California. You are further notified that said application has been set for hearing at:

965 Mission Street, San Francisco, California
October 20, 1958 - 9:00 A.M.

ALL MORNING

and that at said time and place the Industrial Accident Commission of the State of California will proceed to hear and dispose of the said application in the manner prescribed by law.

Note: The parties are expected to submit all issues in controversy for decision at this hearing; therefore, all necessary witnesses, evidence, documents, medical reports payrolls, and other essential proof must be available and ready for submission at the hearing.

Dated: SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
August 4, 1958

INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION
By

Assistant Secretary

The undersigned certifies that as an employee of the Industrial Accident Commission she served the foregoing notice on the parties mentioned, at the time set opposite their respective names, by depositing a copy of said notice attached to a copy of the application therein mentioned, in a sealed envelope in the United States mail on said day, at San Francisco, California, with the postage thereon fully prepaid, and addressed to the said parties at their last known places of business or residence, as follows, to wit:

NAMES OF PARTIES SERVED

DATE OF SERVICE

See attached sheet.

August 4, 1958

(Signature) _____

FRED E. STRICKLAND
Claim No. S. F. 182-526

Names of Parties Served

Assoc. Indemnity Corp., 433 California St., San Francisco, Calif.
Department of Employment, P. O. Box 3534, Rincon Annex, San Francisco, California
Fred E. Strickland, 39 Ellsworth St., San Francisco, California
Smith & Parrish, 501 Financial Center Bldg., Oakland 12, California
Bay Cities Asbestos Co., 5th Ave. & East 12th St., Oakland, California
Western Asbestos Co., 675 Townsend St., San Francisco, California
Pacific Coast Aggregates, Inc., 85 - 2nd St., San Francisco, California
M. A. & F. H. Harris & K. D. McGrew, Van Arsdale-Harris Co., 595 - 5th St., San Francisco, Calif.
Western Fiberglass Supply Co., 739 Bryant St., San Francisco, California
M. R. Carpenter, 907 Front St., Sacramento, Calif.
Armstrong Cork Co., Liberty & Charlotte Sts., Lancaster, Pennsylvania
General Insulation & Painting Co., 355 - 9th St., San Francisco, Calif.
Thomas C. Douglas, Jr., Douglas Insulation Co., 237 Shipley Street, San Francisco, Calif.
Plant Asbestos Co., 5309 Horton St., Emeryville, Calif.
J. T. Thorpe & Sons, Inc., 1351 Ocean Ave., Emeryville, California
C. F. Braun & Co., 1000 S. Fremont Ave., Alhambra, California
Plant Insulation Co. Corp., 2120 West 25th St., Los Angeles, Calif.
Harry A. Dutton, Jr., Burton Electric Engineering Co., 532 Natoma St., San Francisco, Calif.
Charles Ayres Co., 698 Minnesota St., San Francisco, Calif.
Fiberglass Engineering & Supply Co., P. O. Box 89, Santa Clara, Calif.
Owens-Corning Fiberglass Corp., Toledo, Ohio
Coast Insulating Products Corp., 2316 San Fernando Rd., Los Angeles, California
Insulation-Asbestos Industry of Northern California, 200 Guerrero St., San Francisco, California
Industrial Indem. Exch., 155 Sansome St., San Francisco, Calif.
Industrial Indemnity Co., 350 Sansome St., San Francisco, Calif.
State Comp. Ins. Fund, Personal Service
Standard Accident Ins. Co., 417 Montgomery St., San Francisco, Calif.
Employers Mutual Liab. Ins. Co. of Cal., 114 Sansome St., San Francisco, Calif.
U. S. Fidelity & Guarantee Co., 444 California St., San Francisco, Calif.
Pacific Emp. Ins. Co., 244 Pine St., San Francisco, Calif.
Lumbermens Mutual Cas. Co., 350 Sansome St., San Francisco, Calif.
Fireman's Fund Indemnity Co., 3333 California St., San Francisco, Calif.
Travelers Ins. Co., 315 Montgomery St., San Francisco, Calif.
Calif. Cas. Ind. Exch., 22 Battery St., San Francisco, Calif.
Argonaut Ins. Exch., 210 Sansome St., San Francisco, Calif.
Argonaut Ins. Co., 210 Sansome St., San Francisco, Calif.
etna Cas. & Surety Co., 220 Montgomery St., San Francisco, Calif.

BEFORE THE INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

CLAIM NO. S.F. 182-526

FRED E. STRICKLAND)

Applicant)

vs)

BAY CITIES ASBESTOS CO., WESTERN)
ASBESTOS CO., PACIFIC COAST AGGREGATES,)
INC., M. A. & F. H. HARRIS & K. D.)
McGREW, VAN ARSDALE-HARRIS CO.,)
WESTERN FIBERGLAS SUPPLY CO., M. R.)
CARPENTER, ARMSTRONG CORK CO., GENERAL)
INSULATION & PAINTING CO., THOMAS C.)
DOUGLAS, JR., DOUGLAS INSULATION CO.,)
PLANT ASBESTOS CO., J. T. THORPE & SONS,)
INC., C. F. BRAUN & CO., PLANT INSULATION)
CO. CORP., HARRY A. DUTTON, JR., BURTON)
ELECTRIC ENGINEERING CO., CHARLES AYRES)
CO., FIBERGLAS ENGINEERING & SUPPLY CO.,)
OWENS-CORNING FIBERGLAS CORP., COAST)
INSULATING PRODUCTS CORP., INSULATION-)
ASBESTOS INDUSTRY OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA,)
INDUSTRIAL INDEMNITY EXCHANGE, INDUSTRIAL)
INDEMNITY COMPANY, STATE COMPENSATION)
INSURANCE FUND, STANDARD ACCIDENT)
INSURANCE COMPANY, EMPLOYERS MUTUAL)
LIABILITY INSURANCE COMPANY OF WISCONSIN,)
U. S. FIDELITY & GUARANTEE COMPANY,)
PACIFIC EMPLOYERS INSURANCE COMPANY,)
LUMBERMENS MUTUAL CASUALTY COMPANY,)
FIREMAN'S FUND INDEMNITY COMPANY, TRAVELERS)
INSURANCE COMPANY, CALIFORNIA CASUALTY)
INDEMNITY EXCHANGE, ARGONAUT INSURANCE)
EXCHANGE, ARGONAUT INSURANCE COMPANY,)
AETNA CASUALTY & SURETY COMPANY)

Defendants)

ORDER JOINING

PARTIES DEFENDANT

Mailed From San Francisco Office

AUG 4 1958

Industrial Accident Commission
State of California

GOOD CAUSE APPEARING THEREFOR:

IT IS ORDERED that the following named be, and they are
hereby, joined as parties.defendant in the above entitled matter:

Bay Cities Asbestos Co.
Western Asbestos Co.
Pacific Coast Aggregates, Inc.
M. A. & F. H. Harris & K. D. McGrew
Van Arsdale-Harris Co.
Western Fiberglas Supply Co.
M. R. Carpenter
Armstrong Cork Co.
General Insulation & Painting Co.

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Thomas C. Douglas, Jr., Douglas Insulation Co.
Plant Asbestos Co.
J. T. Thorpe & Sons, Inc.
C. F. Braun & Co.
Plant Insulation Co. Corp.
Harry A. Dutton, Jr., Burton Electric Engineering Co.
Charles Ayres Co.
Fiberglas Engineering & Supply Co.
Owens-Corning Fiberglas Corp.
Coast Insulating Products Corp.
Insulation-Asbestos Industry of Northern California
Industrial Indemnity Exchange
Industrial Indemnity Company
State Compensation Insurance Fund
Standard Accident Insurance Company
Employers Mutual Liability Insurance Company of Wisconsin
U. S. Fidelity & Guarantee Company
Pacific Employers Insurance Company
Lumbermens Mutual Casualty Company
Fireman's Fund Indemnity Company
Travelers Insurance Company
California Casualty Indemnity Exchange
Argonaut Insurance Exchange
Argonaut Insurance Company
Aetna Casualty & Surety Company

GEORGE W. LANE, Referee
INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION

_____ : Filed and served on
parties shown on official address
record.

GWL:gh

DATED AT SAN FRANCISCO
CALIFORNIA

AUG 4 1938

August 22, 1958

Mr. J. E. Pannon
Alexander & Alexander, Inc.
2225 W. Charles Street
Baltimore 18, Maryland

Dear Jim:

Subject: Fred E. Strickland
State of California
Asbestosis

According to the record of employment attached to Notice of Hearing Mr. Strickland worked for Armstrong Cork Company during the period 1948 to 1952. We have given Standard Accident the information we have available for the year 1950 and 1951, our payroll records having been destroyed for the years prior to 1950.

We are listing below the pay period, wages and contract number of Mr. Strickland's employment. The locations of the jobs for the various contract numbers are not now available. If you wish this information it can be obtained. All work was in the State of California.

<u>Pay period</u> <u>ending -</u>	<u>Wages</u>	<u>Contract</u>
6-8-52	\$ 46.40	#38251
6-15	116.00	"
6-22	116.00	"
		"
6-29	116.00	{ 38643 38653
3-23-55	50.40	270059
3-30	126.00	"
4-6	126.00	"
4-13	126.00	270059 & 270487
4-20	126.00	270487
4-27	126.00	"
5-4	126.00	270411
5-11	126.00	"
5-18	126.00	"
5-25	126.00	"
6-1	126.00	"
6-8	100.80	"
6-15	126.00	270059
6-22	126.00	"
6-29	126.00	"
7-6	126.00	"
7-13	100.80	"

<u>Pay period</u> <u>ending —</u>	<u>Wages</u>	<u>Contract #</u>
7-20-55	\$126.00	270059 & 270537
7-27	126.00	270537
8-3	126.00	"
8-10	127.00	270059
8-17	125.54	270059 & 270537
8-24	128.46	270537
8-31	127.00	"
9-7	127.00	"
9-14	76.20	"
9-21	127.00	"
9-28	127.00	"
10-5	127.00	"
10-12	127.00	270537 & 270059
10-19	127.00	" "
10-26	127.00	" "
11-2	127.00	270059
11-9	127.00	270059 & 270537
11-16	127.00	" "
11-23	50.80	" "

No work

12-23-56	104.80	270765
12-30-56	104.80	"
1-6-57	104.80	"
1-13	183.40	270725 & 270765
1-20	78.60	270725
1-27	131.00	"
2-3	131.00	"
2-10	131.00	"
2-17	131.00	270725 & 270727
2-24	209.60	270727
3-3	235.80	"
3-10	131.00	"
3-17	131.00	270727 & 270609
3-24	131.00	270815
3-31	131.00	"
4-7	131.00	"
4-14	131.00	"
4-21	131.00	"
4-28	131.00	"
5-5	131.00	"
5-12	131.00	"
5-19	131.00	270815 & 270793
5-26	131.00	" "
6-2	104.80	270815
6-9	131.00	"
6-16	131.00	"
6-23	131.00	270815 & 270885
6-30	52.40	270885

August 22

<u>Pay period</u> <u>ending —</u>	<u>Wages</u>	<u>Contract #</u>	
7-7-57	\$104.80	270885	
7-14	117.90	"	
7-21	183.40	"	
7-28	183.40	270885 & 270815	
8-4	78.60	270815	Strike
9-8-57	71.00	"	Sick

In April, 1958 employed by Armstrong Contracting and Supply Corporation:

4-6-58	76.00	271063	
4-13	76.00	"	
4-20	76.00	"	
4-27	106.40	271063 & 271125	
5-4	121.60	"	
5-11	182.40	"	
5-18	136.80	271063	
5-25	152.00	"	
6-1	121.60	"	
6-8	152.00	"	
6-15	152.00	271213	
6-22	152.00	"	
6-29	152.00	"	
7-6-58	91.20	271125	Injured

Mr. Strickland had not returned to work as of our 8-17-58 payroll record.

He was injured on July 2, 1958, your Claim B-8485043 and your loss cards show the followings:

"Placed weight on a light aluminum channel which gave way causing him to fall prox. 8 ft. to the floor below the furred ceiling.

- 1) pre fracture rt. carpal scaphoid
- 2) fracture lt. 6th rib
- 3) contusion lt. shoulder
- 4) displaced fracture lt. radial head
- 5) sprain left wrist

Very truly yours,

Mabel E. Barnet
Insurance Department

Letter in duplicate

August 22, 1958

Standard Accident Insurance Company
840 West San Bruno Avenue
San Bruno, California

Gentlemen: Attention: Vera E. Dowling
 Claim Representative

Subjects: 96-G 898085
Armstrong Cork Company
Fred E. Strickland
D/I: Unknown

In our letter of yesterday we advised you Mr. Strickland was working for our subsidiary, Armstrong Contracting and Supply Corporation, from April, 1958 through July 6, 1958 (July 6 being the pay date). You may be interested to know that we have just received the following information:

Mr. Strickland was injured on July 2, 1958 when he fell approximately 8 feet to the floor below a furred ceiling. His injuries are listed as

- 1) pro fracture rt. carpal scaphoid
- 2) fracture lt. 6th rib
- 3) contusion lt. shoulder
- 4) displaced fracture lt. radial head
- 5) sprain left wrist

As of our August 17 payroll Mr. Strickland had not returned to work.

Very truly yours,

ARMSTRONG CORK COMPANY

Mabel E. Barnet
Insurance Department

cc - V-L. P. Shriver Agency



LANCASTER, PENNSYLVANIA

August 21, 1958

Standard Accident Insurance Company
840 West San Bruno Avenue
San Bruno, California

Gentlemen: Attention: Vera E. Dowling
 Claim Representative

Subject: 96-C 898085
Armstrong Cork Company
Fred E. Strickland
D/I: Unknown

The first knowledge we had of the alleged claim of Fred E. Strickland was copy of the Notice of Hearing which we received from the Industrial Accident Commission of the State of California on August 8. We have no further information.

You are correct in your understanding that since January 1, 1952 we have not been insured with your company, and we have notified our present carrier of this possible claim.

According to copy of employment record attached to Notice of Hearing, Mr. Strickland claims to have worked for Armstrong Cork Company during the period 1948 to 1952 and again for periods in 1955, 1956 and 1957. For your information our records show that following termination of his employment in June, 1952 Mr. Strickland worked for Armstrong Cork Company from March to November in 1955 and from December, 1956 to early September, 1957. You will be interested to know that from April, 1958 through July 6, 1958 (our last payroll record report) Mr. Strickland has been working for Armstrong Contracting and Supply Corporation, a wholly owned subsidiary of Armstrong Cork Company which was formed January 1, 1958 to carry on contract operations formerly conducted by Armstrong Cork Company.

We have checked our records and list below all the information we are able to give you on Mr. Strickland's employment prior to January 1, 1952. In accordance with our Retention of Records Schedule all payroll records prior to 1950 have been destroyed, and contract files are kept for only seven years following completion of contract.

<u>Pay week ending -</u>	<u>Wages</u>	<u>Contract #</u>	<u>Location of Job</u>
4-9-50	\$ 37.60	46272	
4-23	75.20	46373	
4-30	94.00	46387 & 46373	
5-7	94.00	46389	
5-14	94.00	46277	Mendocino State Hospital, Talmadge, Calif.

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<u>Pay week ending -</u>	<u>Wages</u>	<u>Contract #</u>	<u>Location of Job</u>
5-21-50	\$94.00	46277 & 46291	Mendocino State Hospital, Talmadge, Calif.
5-28	94.00	46277	"
6-4	75.20	46277 & 46291	"
6-11	94.00	46277	"
7-2	94.00	46277	"
7-9	65.80	46419	Youth Guidance Center, San Francisco, Calif.
7-16	94.00	{ 46277 46439	Mendocino State Hospital, Talmadge, Calif.
7-23	94.00	46417	"
7-30	84.60	{ 46445 46393	Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., Antioch, Calif.
8-6	98.80	46445	Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., Antioch, Calif.
8-13	100.00	"	"
8-20	100.00	"	"
8-27	100.00	46277	Mendocino State Hospital, Talmadge, Calif.
9-3	100.00	46277	"
9-10	80.00	"	"
9-17	100.00	"	"
9-24	100.00	"	"
10-1	100.00	46445	Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., Antioch, Calif.
10-8	100.00	"	"
10-15	100.00	{ 46445 46419 46507	Youth Guidance Center, San Francisco, Calif. Funston Fieldhouse, San Francisco, Calif.
10-22	100.00	46511	"
10-29	100.00	{ 46445 46511	Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., Antioch, Calif.
11-5	100.00	{ 46445 46507	Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., Antioch, Calif. Funston Fieldhouse, San Francisco, Calif.
11-12	40.00	46507	"
11-19	103.75	46381	American Trust Bank, Santa Rosa, Calif.
11-26	80.00	46445	Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., Antioch, Calif.
12-3	100.00	"	"
12-10	100.00	"	"
12-17	100.00	"	"
12-24	100.00	46514	"
12-31-50	120.00	46513	Weather Station, Madera, Calif.
1-7-51	160.00	"	"
1-14	100.00	46472	"
1-20	60.00	{ 46455 46471	Merced County General Hospital, Merced, Calif.
3-25	13.75	46455	Merced County General Hospital, Merced, Calif.
Paid 10-7 (Worked Jan. 2 & 3, '51	35.00	46471	

6-8-52 was Mr. Strickland's next employment - insured present carrier

Very truly yours,

ARMSTRONG CORK COMPANY

cc: V-L. P. Shriver

Mabel E. Barnett, Insurance Department

COMMISSION OFFICES:
FOR NORTHERN CALIFORNIA
(EXCEPT SACRAMENTO COUNTY)
965 MISSION STREET
SAN FRANCISCO 3
FOR SACRAMENTO COUNTY ONLY
ROOM 200, 631 J STREET
SACRAMENTO
FOR SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA
(EXCEPT SAN DIEGO COUNTY)
501 STATE BUILDING
LOS ANGELES 12
FOR SAN DIEGO COUNTY ONLY
1521 FOURTH AVENUE
SAN DIEGO 1

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS
INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION

APPLICATION FOR HEARING

Case No. 57 SF 182-526
Filed November 4, 1957

DO NOT WRITE IN
THIS SPACE

ENTERED IN DOCKET
BY _____

Employee's
Name FRED E. STRICKLAND

Employee's
Address 39 Ellsworth St.,
STREET AND NUMBER

Social Security No. 567-18-4891

San Francisco, Calif. Zone 10
TOWN OR CITY ZONE STATE

Name of
Employer Various

Employer's
Address _____
STREET AND NUMBER

Name of
Insurance Carrier See attached list

Insurance
Carrier's Address _____
STREET AND NUMBER

Employee's name Fred E. Strickland
Exposure over a long
Date of your injury period of time
Place where
injury occurred California
CITY AND STATE

Employee's date of birth June 22, 1907
Employee's occupation
at time of injury Asbestos Worker
When did you leave work
as a result of this injury? September 13, 1957

How did injury occur? Working with asbestos

What part or parts
of your body were injured? Aggravation of pre-existing tubercular condition

When did you return to work? still off Full or part time work
and at what wage? _____

Your wages or salary (before deductions) \$ Maximum per hour or \$ _____ per week or \$ _____ per month
If paid on hourly rate, how many hours did you work per week? _____
Did you receive any of the following: Board? Yes ☐ No ☐; Lodging? Yes ☐ No ☐; Tips? Yes ☐ No ☐; Other advantages? Yes ☐ No ☐
State their weekly value \$ _____

Have you been paid any compensation? Yes ☐ No ☒. How much \$ _____ Weekly rate of payments \$ _____
TOTAL AMOUNT

Date when last payment was made _____, 19____

Has the employer or the insurance carrier furnished you with any medical treatment? Yes ☐ No ☒.

Date when last treatment was given _____, 19____

List names of all doctors who have treated you and who were furnished by the employer or insurance carrier. _____

Have you obtained any medical treatment at your own expense? Yes ☒ No ☐.

List names of all doctors who have treated you at your own expense. French Hospital in San Francisco
Dr. Hinshaw raised all of the issues

Are you claiming any of the following benefits? (Answer Yes or No):

(a) Temporary disability payment Yes (b) Permanent disability payment Yes
(c) Further medical treatment Yes (d) Cost of your medical expense Yes
(e) List other benefits claimed and not mentioned above _____

Have you ever before filed a claim with this Commission? Yes ☐ No ☐. If so, when was it filed? _____
DATE

SMITH & PARRISH

REPRESENTATIVE OR ATTORNEY FOR APPLICANT
501 Financial Center Bldg.,
Oakland 12, Calif.

ADDRESS

Galencourt 2-2000

TELEPHONE NUMBER

/s/ Fred E. Strickland

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

Date October 31, 1957

NOTE—HEARING: After this application has been filed with the Industrial Accident Commission the parties will be notified in writing of the time and place of hearing. Either party may be represented in person, by attorney, or other agent.

ANSWER: The defendant is expected to file an answer within 10 days after service of a copy of this application, using the form furnished for that purpose. If a defendant employer is insured and the insurance carrier is properly named in the application, no answer need be filed by the employer, as that will be done by the carrier; but if the insurance carrier is not named, then the employer should notify the carrier immediately so the proper answer can be filed.

DATE OF SERVICE

SERVICE ON

November 1, 1957

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Dec.	1942 to 1945 1945		VenAusdale & Harris Bay Cities Asbestos Pacific Coast Aggregates Hunters Point Naval Shipyard (Civil Service)
	1945 to 1948		M. Carpenter & Co. Western Fiberglass Co. Tom Douglas Insul. Co. Armstrong Cork ✓ Dutton Asbestos
	1948		Thorpe
	1948 to 1952		Plant Asbestos Western Asbestos C. C. Ayers Western Asbestos C. C. Ayers Thorpe
Sept.	1952	Apr. 1953	Plant sbestos
Sept.	1952		Thorpe
Sept.	1952		Plant sbestos
Oct.	1952		Armstrong Cork ✓
May	1953		Fiberglass Engineering
June	1953	July 1953	
June	1953		Fiberglass Engineering
July	1953		Armstrong Cork ✓
July	1953	Jan 1954	Western Asbestos
Jan	1954	Dec. 1954	
Dec.	1954	Mar. 1955	
Mar.	1955	Nov. 1955	
Nov.	1955	Jan. 1956	
Traveller			
Mar.	1956	Dec. 1956	
Dec.	1956	July 1957	
		Sept 1957	