

BARBER v. PITTSBURGH CORNING CORP.
ASBESTOS LITIGATION

April 3, 1968

Mr. L. O. Griffith, Jr.
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Port Allegany, Pennsylvania 16743

Dear Larry:

Subject: U.S.P.H.S. Asbestos Dust Studies Report - March 27, 1968

I have reviewed the subject report to you from J. R. Lynch, a copy of which was sent to me at my request. This showed a significant health hazard existed from asbestos dust inhalation throughout the unibestos operation. The following jobs were evaluated: mixer feeder, forming builder, finishing saw operator, material handler, packer, inspector and foreman. Similar findings have been made in previous industrial hygiene surveys of this operation and control recommendations have been made. You must anticipate that both some cases of asbestosis and an increased incidence of pulmonary carcinoma will develop in your employee population as a result of continued exposure to these levels for 15 or more years. I strongly recommend appropriate steps be taken as soon as possible to reduce asbestos dust exposure of the unibestos employees to safe levels.

Sincerely,

Lee B. Grant, M.D.

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cc: Mr. B. M. Stout

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