

Occupational Safety and Health Administration

203 Midtown Plaza
700 E. Water St.
Syracuse, N. Y. 13210

CSHO NO.	OSHA-11 NO.
P-1568	48
AREA	REGION
6010	2

CITATION*

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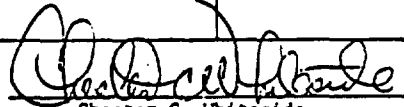
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Item number	Standard or regulation allegedly violated	Description of alleged violation	Date on which alleged violation must be corrected
1.	29 CFR 1910.93a (d)(3), Page 22143	Failure of the employer to provide and require use of special clothing, such as coveralls or similar whole body coverings, gloves, and foot coverings to prevent skin contact with asbestos fibers, of employees within the dry mix and packout area.	Multi-Step Abatement (See Reverse Side of this Citation)
2.	29 CFR 1910.93a (d)(4) Page 22143	Failure of the employer to provide change rooms, two separate clothes lockers for work and street clothes, and the laundering and handling of work clothes for all employees exposed to airborne concentrations of asbestos fibers in excess of prescribed limits, within the joint compound mixing and packout area.	Multi-Step Abatement (See Reverse Side of this Citation)

Area Director's Signature


Chester C. Whiteside

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MULTI-STEP ABATEMENT

I. Immediate Temporary Administrative Controls

Initiate immediate temporary administrative controls to prevent employee exposure to excessive asbestos dust concentrations by July 31, 1973. A Compliance Officer will determine if these temporary controls are preventing employee exposure.

- (1) Provide U. S. Bureau of Mines approved respirators for all packout areas of the main plant. Continue the use of respirators until the installation of permanent engineering controls.
- (2) Establish a complete respirator program in accordance with the provisions of the American National Standard Practices for Respiratory Protection Z88.2-1969.
- (3) Establish a program for maintaining the joint compound dry mixing and packout areas of the main plant in a clean, orderly and sanitary condition to prevent asbestos dust contamination of the air. This program will include utilizing sealed impermeable bags for the storage of waste asbestos.
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II. Permanent Engineering and Administrative Controls

- (1) By July 27, 1973, submit a plan for approval to the U. S. Department of Labor, Occupational Safety and Health Administration, 203 Midtown Plaza, 700 E. Water Street, Syracuse, New York 13210, Mr. Chester C. Whiteside, Area Director, showing a timetable for the installation of engineering controls to prevent employee exposure to asbestos dust concentrations above allowable limits.
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3.	29 CFR 1910.93a (f)(2)(ii) Page 22143	Failure of the employer to establish a personal monitoring program at intervals not greater than 6 months within the joint compound mixing and packout areas where asbestos exposure may reasonably be foreseen to exceed prescribed limits.	Multi-Step Abatement (See Reverse Side of this Citation)
4.	29 CFR 1910.93a (g)(1)(i) Page 22143	Failure of employer to post "Caution" signs at all approaches to the joint compound mixing and packout area where airborne concentrations of asbestos fibers may be in excess of prescribed limits.	Multi-Step Abatement (See Reverse Side of this Citation)

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5.	29 CFR 1910.93a (g)(2)(i) Page 22144	Failure of the employer to affix a "Caution" label to all raw materials, mixtures, scrap, waste, debris and other products containing asbestos fibers to prevent exposure to concentrations above prescribed limits during any reasonably foreseeable use.	Multi-Step Abatement (See Reverse Side of this Citation)
6.	29 CFR 1910.93a (h)(1) Page 22144	Failure of the employer to maintain all external surfaces within the joint compound, dry mixing and packout area, free of accumulations of asbestos fibers (dry sweeping is to be discouraged, utilize vacuum sweeping methods).	Multi-Step Abatement (See Reverse Side of this Citation)

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9.	29 CFR 1910.93a (d)(2)(iv) Page 22143	Failure of employer to establish a respiratory program throughout the dry mixing area in accordance with the American National Standard Practice for Respiratory Protection Z88.2-1969, for employees who are exposed to excessive asbestos dust concentrations.	Multi-Step Abatement (See reverse side of this citation)

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