



TO: CORPORATE INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE
FROM: 236-5848
DATE: December 16, 1980
SUBJECT: MICARTA

TO: LESTER WORKS
M. P. Whittington, Manager
Safety & Health Departments

In response to your request of December 10, 1980, contact was made with the Engineering Department of the (W) Micarta Division at Hampton, SC to inquire about the composition of (W) 262 Commercial Grade Micarta.

We were informed that 262 Micarta is made up of cotton cloth and a phenolic resin. Smith Gauss of the Engineering Department stated that this Micarta does not contain asbestos and never has contained asbestos.

This grade of Micarta is available in sheet form with thicknesses ranging from 0.015 inches to 4 inches or greater on special orders.

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IN RE: ABRAMS

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