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DATE & SUBJECT:	1981 May 12	ASBESTOS DUST

I am in receipt of your 1981 May 7 memo to E. A. Patterson (Safety Dept.), regarding his safety inspection. Under Item 4-D, reference is made to asbestos dust - clean-up, etc.

This has been brought to our attention by Mr. Patterson and The Travelers; however, the problem which you and Mr. Patterson describe seems to be more extensive than we had initially realized. As a result, please find enclosed a copy of the Reynolds program for demolition and/or removal of asbestos-containing material. Strict adherence to these guidelines is necessary, to ensure minimum employee exposure to asbestos fibers as well as compliance with existing OSHA regulations.

We will be happy to send someone from this department to Stratford to carry out the asbestos monitoring program. On the other hand, we will be glad to assist your personnel in carrying out this function in-house.

One other possibility would be to have the asbestos removed by an outside contractor that specializes in this type work. This may, of course, be the method of choice, since the contractor would have the proper equipment and know-how to conduct this job with minimum asbestos exposure to his as well as RABPCO employees. Utilizing this approach would also eliminate the need to follow the enclosed guidelines on asbestos removal and/or demolition.

In any event, please notify this department, so that we may take the necessary steps to ensure the protection of RABPCO employees and compliance with existing OSHA regulations.

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