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TO: Vinyl Institute Health, Safety, & Environment Committee

Please find enclosed Page Five from the Health, Safety, & Environment Committee Meeting Minutes of July 17th and 18th.

This page should be substituted for Page Five of the Minutes which have previously been sent to you.

Thank you.

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TABLE II
 PVC LABELING AND MSDS PRACTICES* (RESIN)
 VI MEMBER COMPANIES MANUFACTURING PVC RESIN

Company	LABEL ON RESIN			MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEETS			Comments
	Does Label Carry An OSHA "Cancer Suspect Agent" Label?	Does Label Carry Notation Regarding Dust?	Does Label Carry Notation Re Fire/Comb. Hazard?	Does MSDS Include VC- "Cancer Suspect Agent" Statement?	Notation Re Dust As A "Hazard"?	Notation Re Fire/Combustion Hazard?	
AIR PRODUCTS	YES - On bags, bulk cars and silos.	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	
CERTAINTED	YES	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	
GEORGIA GULF	YES - On bags, bulk cars	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	Currently evaluating whether to put decomp. Res. Statement on MSDS.
OCCIDENTAL	YES - If > 1ppm RVCM NO - If < 1ppm RVCM	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	
BORDEN	All bags, bulk cars and silos are so labeled. Pasta resins are not.	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	
BP GOODRICH	If > 8.5 ppm RVCM, would be so labeled. Generally resins are < 8.5 ppm and are not so labeled.	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	Currently evaluating whether label should have notations re dust and fire combustion hazards.
VISTA	NO - Since RVCM is < 8.5 ppm.	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	

* Information received 7/17/86 at VI Health, Safety and Environment Committee Meeting.

TABLE III
 PVC COMPOUND LABELING AND MSDS PRACTICES*
 VI MEMBER COMPANIES PRODUCING PVC COMPOUNDS

Company	LABEL ON COMPOUND			MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET			Comments
	Does Label Carry An OSHA "Cancer Suspect Agent" Label?	Does Label Carry Notation Re Dust	Does Label Carry Notation Re Fire/Comb. Hazard?	Does MSDS Include VC- "Cancer Suspect Agent" Statement?	Notation Re Dust As A "Hazard"?	Notation Re Fire/Comb. Hazard?	
GEORGIA GULF	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES	Label also carries information on sensitivity to stabilizers
OCCIDENTAL	NO	NO	NO				
BP GOODRICH	NO If RVCM < 8.5 ppm	NO	NO	YES	YES	YES	
VISTA	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	YES	

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Note that the compositions of PVC Compounds were not discussed, but are likely to vary.

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