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Dear Mr. Rhodes;

Two additional minor points regarding the TBA submission to OSHA have been brought to my attention by a member of AIA/NA; regretfully, after my letter to you of August 5.

The first point is in regard to the sampling upon which your environmental data is based. It would be helpful if the first two paragraphs included in your introduction to the "January document" were also included in the narrative accompanying the tables for submission to OSHA. These are as follows:

> "Details of dust counts taken in our factory by static membrane filter techniques between 1961 and 1972. This information describes the location, mean dust concentration, standard deviation and number of samples.
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> "1961 was the first year in which TBA used the membrane filter method for sampling, prior to this date the thermal precipitator had been used for sampling asbestos dust."

I am sorry to ask that this further clarification be made but I agree with those who indicate that it is important that the type of dust sampling be absolutely clear.

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The other matter relates to your suggested footnote for Tables 7 and 8. Should we retype these tables with the indicated addition, or is it planned that this be done by you and sent to us?

Again, many thanks for your fine cooperation and considerable assistance. With best regards,

Sincerely yours,

Hans Weill, M.D.

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