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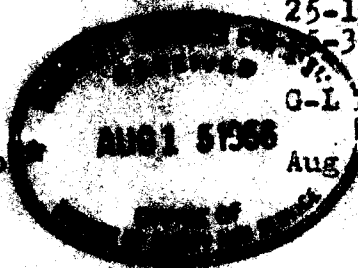
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H. A. CAMPBELL, Chief Inspector

Mr. C.W. Taylor
 Director, Bureau of Safety
 and Service
 Interstate Commerce Commission
 Washington 25, D.C.



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Aug 14, 1956

Dear Mr. Taylor:

Confirming our telephone conversation, I am in receipt of a request from the B.F. Goodrich Chemical Company, 2060 W. Ninth St., Cleveland 15, Ohio, Mr. F.S. Nagorney, Supervisor-Traffic, for a special permit to authorize the shipment of vinyl chloride in tank cars in full compliance with the requirements of the I.C.C. Regulations except that the vinyl chloride shall not be inhibited.

This company has studied the matter of inhibiting this material and accumulated data to show that the use of an inhibitor is not necessary to safety in transportation.

In order to gain actual experience before submitting a proposal to amend the regulations, it is respectfully recommended that a special permit be issued as follows:

B.F. Goodrich Chemical Company is hereby authorized to ship vinyl chloride, uninhibited, in tank cars as prescribed in sec. 73.314(a) of the I.C.C. Regulations.

Shipping orders, bills of lading, or other shipping papers issued in lieu thereof shall bear the notation "I.C.C. Special Permit No. 1662" following the placard notation.

Each tank car shall be stenciled, near the other prescribed markings, "I.C.C. Special Permit No. 1662."

This permit does not relieve the shipper from compliance with any requirement of the Interstate Commerce Commission Regulations except as expressly provided herein.

This permit expires Aug. 31, 1957.

The shipper shall report to the Bureau of Explosives any evidence of polymerization which may occur in shipments moving under the terms of this permit and shall advise the Bureau of Explosives as to their experience with these shipments two months prior to the expiration date of the permit.

Yours truly,

Chief Inspector

Copy to:
 B.F. Goodrich Chemical Co.

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