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As a member of the PCB Planning Task Force, I have been asked to contact you with regard to the probable phase-out of our PCB Manufacture. This phase-out is quite probable within the next two years and could come precipitously as a result of governmental action.

It has been suggested that a survey should be made of key transformers that contain Askarel fluids in our Monsanto plants to determine our exposure to transformer failures when these fluids are no longer available and to develop contingency plans. Assistance and consulting in this survey can be provided by David Wood regarding alternate fluids that can be used for "topping out". Assistance can also be obtained from CED through J. R. Middleton regarding alternate courses of action in case of failure.

Please let me know if there is any further information that I can provide on this subject.

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