

June 27, 1972
El Paso, Texas

Mr. Lee C. Travis, General Manager
Western Department
Salt Lake City, Utah

APPLICATION FOR PROPERTY APPROPRIATION
LOW LEVEL EMISSION CONTROL INSTALLATIONS
EL PASO PLANT NO. 567 - \$521,000

An appropriation approval in principle, P-2150, in the amount of \$424,000 was granted by the Board of Directors on March 28, 1972. The items contained in that appropriation approval had been discussed with the Vice President on his visit here on March 17.

Estimates had been compiled by the Engineering Department to determine the cost that would be necessary for the appropriations. Unfortunately, the matte ventilation system has been revised by Central Engineering, and the revised system requires an expenditure of \$111,000 more than the original design. This increase is because of recommendations by the Fume Recovery Department. The original design would discharge into the up-takes and a portion into the R&R flue system. The Fume Recovery Department calculated that the system would decrease the draft to such an extent as to prohibit utilizing complete gas availability. The new design incorporates a baghouse which will filter the fume and discharge into the preheaters, as well as the same volume as present into the up-takes. Surveys by the Environmental Science section indicate that smoke around the reverb when tapping matte contains sufficient quantities of lead that, at times, it may exceed the standards set by OSHA.

The estimate on the replacement of the blast furnace baghouse stacks has been increased by \$15,000 over that discussed in March. The increase is a result of a closer inspection of the stacks when measurements were taken and it was discovered that the breeching between the stacks and the baghouse is corroded to such an extent as to require changing. The breeching and the stacks will be fabricated steel which will be insulated on the outside and coated on the inside to prevent corrosion in the future. This baghouse has been in operation 1941, and this is the first replacement of the stacks in that baghouse.

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