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SUBJECT REVIEW OF AROCLOR-IN-ENVIRONMENT
STATUS SALES--USE IMPLICATIONS
AND CONTROL

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Meeting - Bldg. A-303
2:00 p.m. Friday, June 6

Confirming my telephone contact with a number of you a meeting has been scheduled as indicated above to review the current situation involving polychlorinated biphenyls and environmental contamination. Below is a suggested agenda which, of course, can be varied to fit the needs and interest of those attending.

SUGGESTED AGENDA

1. Status in U.K. & Europe
Richard, Keller and Wheeler
2. Status in U.S.
 - a) DDT (and PCB)-Wisconsin-Public Relations - Ford
 - b) State and possible Federal restrictions on persistent chlorinated hydrocarbons - Wheeler
3. Status of Research Efforts
 - a) Analytical - Keller and Tucker
 - b) Toxicity studies - Wheeler
 - c) Plans for effluent and river sampling;
in Alabama and on the Mississippi - Hodges
 - d) Possibility of Government grant for waste treatment studies and treatment plant - Richards & Wheeler
 - e) Other environmental sampling and analysis?
4. Customer relations
 - a - Dielectric fluids
 - b - Functional fluids
 - c - Oil and grease additives
 - d - Cutting oils
 - e - General plasticizers
 - f - Rubber base paints
 - g - others (?)

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