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FROM: Tony Ozarchuk - LP&S - Texas City, Texas

DATE: May 23, 1978

cc: J. A. Glass
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SUBJECT: Feedback for April Hourly Safety Committee Meeting

REFERENCE: Memo WHT to TO 5/4/78

TO: W. H. Triplett - O-10A

This memo is in reply to Item No. 4-78-4 brought up by the Hourly Safety Committee and reflected in their minutes of April 25, 1978, as follows:

> "We have information that Dow Chemical has a portable HCN monitor which can be placed at the work site. Ozarchuk will get information from Dow."

I have contacted Mr. Harry Edwards, Supervisor of Loss Prevention and Safety at Dow Chemical Company in Freeport, Texas, and he advises that they do not have in use or know of an HCN monitor-type instrument which can be carried by craftsmen and placed at the work-site to give an early warning of potential HCN exposure.

They, like we, are constantly in touch with manufacturers who are endeavoring to perfect such an instrument and when this occurs, we plan to test the instrument and, if acceptable, will make it available for use in this plant.

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