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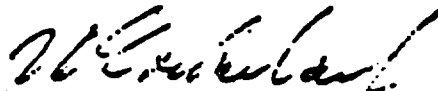
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As was anticipated, the TLV for asbestos will be lowered to 2 fibers (see attached article WSJ - 7 June 1972). We did not foresee either the 4-year delay or the 10 fiber ceiling limit which is effective almost immediately. The ceiling limit can be troublesome because you are in violation even if an inspector takes several samples and only one exceeds this amount. Of the eight plants sampled thus far in 1972, three had areas or operations exceeding 10: the vermiculite furnace at Traveler's Rest during expansion of L #2 ore; Wilder MK operations; and the Oklahoma City furnace room. Obviously, these problems should be considered for early attention.



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