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Subject: WESTINGHOUSE CORPORATION

I have reviewed the letter from Westinghouse to Ed Fisher that you forwarded to me recently asking for my comments.

I would tell Westinghouse, "There is presently no successful economic substitute for asbestos in asbestos-cement products, and in many applications there is no product that can substitute for an asbestos-cement sheet. There are no active research and development programs in Johns-Manville which might yield asbestos-free substitutes in the near future."

I enclose Material Safety Data Sheets for EBONY and CHEMSTONE as requested.

E. M. Fenner

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