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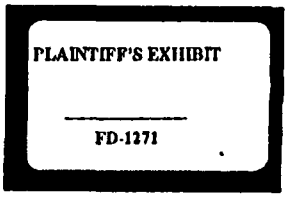

Intra Company

Engine and Foundry Division
Lima Engine Plant

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Subject: Environmental Exposure to Airborne Asbestos Fibers

A survey of the Lima Engine Plant was made and the following information obtained regarding potential asbestos exposures to employes.

1. Asbestos mitts are used by Furnace Operators. Three employes work in this classification.

2. Sheet asbestos paper (1/16" and 1/8" thick) is used on a very limited basis by Welders and Fire Protection Officers. Twenty employes are involved. (3 Fire Protection Officers and 17 welders)

3. Some of our older steam pipe insulation is the asbestos type. Pipefitters may be involved in removing it for repair or replacement. However, an estimate of the number of employes affected cannot be made at this time. All new or replacement pipe insulation will be the fiberglass type.

4. A product called C-75 Filterbestos supplied by the Industrial Filter and Pump Mfg. Co., Cicero, Ill., is used on a limited basis in the connecting rod plating operation. Three employes in the Oiler classification handle this material.

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