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SUBJECT: SMITH & KANTLER
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re: 6506 Development

We would like to briefly review the status of the development of 6506 rubber-asbestos paper. This product is currently in limited production for use on Victorec 150, Jobber requirements. Restricted release has been held pending evaluation of the effect on basis weight and gauge variation caused by the installation of the beta gauge control device. Prior to the installation of this device, the variation in these properties was far greater than that encountered in the Armstrong material used for the same purpose.

Since the unit was installed, we have had the opportunity to evaluate one production run in this respect. Two more such evaluations are needed before a definite conclusion can be reached regarding the uniformity of the sheet. In order to insure a minimum time lapse in completing this evaluation, we would appreciate your informing us when shipments of 6506 are made to Chicago so that we can watch for them. By copy of this note, we ask Mr. Nyland to contact us when such shipments are received so that we may obtain the necessary samples for evaluation without further delay. Thank you.

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