

**FOSECO, INC.**

**PLAINTIFF'S  
EXHIBIT**  
FOS-507

INTER-COMPANY AND INTER-DEPARTMENTAL CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Geoff Fenton

FROM: Brian McConnell

DATE: October 12, 1973

SUBJECT: USS-Fairless 699 Ring

Fairless keeps throwing barbs at me that Ferro is supplying a completely asbestos free ring. All of their operating personnel appear to be aware of the fact that our ring is not asbestos free and hint that we could loose some business for it.

At the moment, I believe this to be friendly sparring, however, as I indicated some time ago, it could become serious and cost us business.

Please advise me what our time table is to develop an asbestos free ring for Fairless.

Thank you.

*Brian McConnell*  
Brian McConnell *cc*

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cc: HDS WCF NDW

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