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Dear Sirs:

Enclosed herewith is copy of letter dated 25 August 1972 from Mr. Robert H. Schutz of NIOSH, enclosing draft copy of a list of approved respirators. While only pages 8 and 9, and 11 and 12, are applicable to asbestos dust, I am enclosing the entire information circular. I am sure that Spence Royer would appreciate receiving any suggestions with respect to what we do with this list.

Very truly yours,

James W. R. Brown
for the firm

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Dear Mr. Brown:

Your letter of 15 August 1972, to Mr. Lynch, concerning a list of approved respirators, has been referred to me for reply.

Prior to my leaving the Bureau of Mines in May 1972, we prepared a list of respirators approved under the most recent approval schedules. We understand that this list is not yet published but should be soon. To help you, a draft copy is enclosed.

Applicable supplied-air respirators appear on pages 8 and 9; and dust, fume, and mist respirators appear on pages 11 and 12. All of these, used where permitted in 29 CFR § 1910.93a, will provide respiratory protection against asbestos dust and mist.

Sincerely yours,

Robert E. Schutz
Director, TCL

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