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Mr. Edward Tannenhaus
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Dear Mr. Tannenhaus:

Enclosed are the following items:

1. Copies of price sheets showing prices and grade designations for 1939, 1940, 1942, 1949 and 1952. These indicate that the change from the old grade designations to the ones presently used (Canadian Chrysotile Asbestos Classification) took place in 1949.
2. Copies of Navy Dept. Spec. 32C16, Sept. 3, 1946; Military Spec. MIL-C-2908, Sept. 4, 1951; Navy Stock List of General Stores, August 1, 1958; Military Spec. MIL-C-2908A, March 29, 1960 and Federal Spec. SS-C-160, May 22, 1964. The asbestos supplied would have been 7M and bags would have been marked as required in the spec. which requires the words "Cement, Asbestos" as well as other markings. I can not recall whether or not they also carried the grade designation "7M".
3. Copy of Page 3 of the Industrial Products section of the GAF Trademark Manual forwarded to the various divisions with Robert Gottschalk's letter of August 1, 1968.

This shows the registration number and date for "Red Clover" and "Red Clover & Design". (I believe this was fiber put up by Canadian Johns-Manville for Euberoide and was normally 7M for asbestos cement.) ?

4. Copies of a brochure #1483, issued by Euberoide and one #1785, issued by GAF concerning Asbestos Fiber.

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5. Copy of Caution Statements with approximate dates:
 - 5.1 V.J. Laskowski, from E.A. Farrell 1968 - JM "Caution" printed on #352 insulation cement bags.
6. Letters re: printing of "Caution" statement on all asbestos fiber materials - June 1970 to July 1970.
7. List of standard grades in the Canadian Chrysotile Asbestos Classification.

Under separate cover we are forwarding:

1. Invoices, shipping papers and, when attached, purchase orders from the customers for insulation cement customers; 1962 to March 12, 1975.

These show on spot checking of a few purchase orders, reference to grade 7K, 7K5, 7K, 7L, 7T and one to 7M90 (JM grade supplied for asbestos cement application). One only mentioned "asbestos cement".

We did not note any reference to "214" or "115".

2. "Stock Transfers" of asbestos shipments from the Vermont mine to other divisions of GAF for the years 1969 to March 12, 1975.

These should show the amounts of 7K transferred to Gloucester City during this period.

Yours very truly,

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Sales Manager

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