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Mr. R. D. McDaniel - B2SJ

September 11, 1973

Mr. Bernard Edwards
Wooster Coatings and Chemicals
A Division of Whittaker Corporation
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Wooster, Ohio 44691

Dear Mr. Edwards:

Based on current knowledge of our raw materials and our processes, it is our best scientific opinion that the Lampblacks which you have purchased from Monsanto do not contain any of the 14 chemicals listed by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration on page 10929 of the Federal Register, Volume 38, No. 83, dated May 3, 1973.

We share with you your concern over the impact on industry of these newly promulgated OSHA emergency standards. You may wish to make your own assessment of our products.

In response to your request for information relating to the lead content of Monsanto's Lampblack #2, I have the following information to offer:

Lead (Pb) < 10 ppm

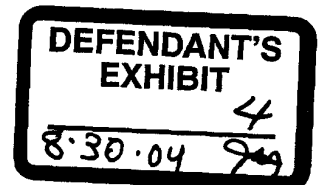
If I can be of further service, please let me know.

Sincerely,

W. B. Papageorge
Manager
Product Acceptability

WBP/bt

cc: Ms. Flo Harmon
Wooster Coatings
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