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DATE : January 23, 1981

cc: R. L. Bishop

SUBJECT : LIST OF ITEMS TO BE DELAYED BY PCB LITIGATION

REFERENCE :

TO : T. L. Gossage

You asked me to prepare a list of environmental tests planned for 1981 that we consider to have lower priority than the support of PCB litigation over pollution of Waukegan Harbor.

1. Support for Division R&D ($30M)

   Primarily environmental quality measurements on experimental samples of S-160 and S-900 from process research experiments for Plasticizers and analytical studies on phosphonates for Specialty.

2. Support for the Environmental Staff ($10M)

   Analytical measurements and consultation on regulatory questions, e.g., tests defining hazardous waste under RCRA.

3. Support to Divisions on Good Laboratory Practices re data for regulatory agencies ($10M)

4. Support to Plasticizers for environmental fate tests on six products ($10M)

   Products impacted: S-148, S-141, S-261.

Since the overall budget is not changed, we propose to avoid the extra workload at this time by not changing the several budgets involved. The affected parties will be advised in writing. These PCB charges will be collected in one account. A memo report will be issued quarterly on the distributions to these accounts versus budgeted distributions.

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