



Railroad Friction Products Corporation
Wilmerding, Pennsylvania 15148

INTERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

REF-2946

Date: March 22, 1976
To: W. I. Graham
From: M. M. Farnsworth *7-7-7*
SUBJECT: COBRA SHOES - ASBESTOS CONTENT INSURANCE

*copy given to
Rafa
Hagman*

Attached is a copy of a memorandum from Mr. Chanzis dated March 16, 1976 relating to the decision of Travelers not to renew its coverage of insurance for Railroad Friction Products Corporation. The basic \$1,000,000 coverage will expire July 1, 1976; the increased coverage to \$10,000,000 which became effective April 1, 1975 will expire April 1, 1976.

The decision of Travelers is based upon the asbestos content of the COBRA shoes; Travelers has decided as a matter of policy not to insure any products with asbestos content.

Also attached are copies of:

- Travelers' letter of March 8 to Marsh & McLennan
- Chanzis' letter of February 18 to Marsh & McLennan
- My memorandum of February 16 to Chanzis
- Cable memorandum of December 21, 1971
- J-M letter of November 1, 1971 to AAR
- AAR letter of November 12, 1971 to J-M

all relating to asbestos emissions to the atmosphere from COBRA shoes.

Do you have any suggestions about where insurance coverage can be obtained for RFPC? Can you obtain any information about such coverage from others in the J-M organization?

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ATTACHMENTS

cc: E. W. Kojza w/ copy Travelers' letter of 3/8

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