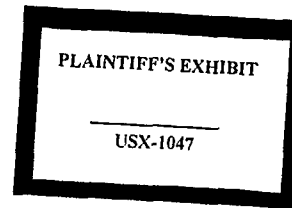


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MEMO

To: Janet Gapen, Jeff Brown, Harry Roman, Pat Meehan

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Subject: Meeting with A-Best, Purchasing, Safety

It was agreed at this meeting to phase out the use of Aluminized Asbestos apparel in 1983. Replacing Aluminized Asbestos will be: Aluminized 19 oz. PFR Rayon and Thermobest/Norfab 400 - 19 oz.

Jeff Brown reports that A-Best has on hand enough Aluminized Asbestos for 100 coats. If USS were to start up one or two Blast Furnaces, this should cause enough orders to deplete this cloth.

Brown will notify Holloway or Meehan when he will start to contact the big user departments to buy coats and other big item orders (gloves, etc.) so we can work together with the plant to introduce PFR Rayon or Thermobest. If small orders come in, Brown has our O.K. to substitute one to three items in Thermobest cloth to introduce it at a plant - Brown will notify Holloway or Meehan.

When A-Best has enough orders to consume the remaining Aluminized Asbestos, we will talk together about issuing a letter to the plants that no more Aluminized Asbestos apparel shall be purchased.

Holloway will issue a letter to the plants prohibiting the testing of protective apparel without his approval. All samples for testing will be paid for by the plant.

It was agreed that we will eliminate taped seams.

It was also agreed that Norfab-900 cloth will not be used at this time.

*Walter D. Holloway*

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cc: W. D. Miller

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