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December 17, 1969

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Mr. R. E. Cryor, President
North American Asbestos Corporation
200 South Michigan Avenue
Chicago, Illinois 60604

NOTE: [illegible]

Dear Mr. Cryor:

Under separate cover I am sending you several samples of Amosite Fibers forwarded from our Tyler, Texas plant. Their basic complaint on this material involves a question of proper grading of the fibers that have been received in the most recent shipments.

Our Works Manager, Mr. C. E. van Horne, told me that he does not feel that the Amosite he is receiving should be classified as Grade D11 material. The color ranges from gray to blue and the darker fibers are extremely dusty. The dusty fibers are creating problems in the production of UNIBESTOS.

We reviewed this problem briefly with Dr. Gaze on the 10th and he suggested that we send these samples to you for inspection. We would appreciate it if you would examine this material and give us your opinion as to the quality of the fibers.

Best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Yours very truly,

Guy P. Bauman
Manager of Production Planning

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