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February 13, 1975

TO: VCM and PVC PRODUCERS GROUP

SUBJECT: OSHA LABELING for VCM and PVC

In the event that you have not been following the activities of the special committee within our regular SPI Committee on Distribution, you will be interested in seeing the progress they are making in standardizing the labeling required for conformance with the OSHA Standard on Vinyl Chloride.

This Committee responded to the need to develop standardized labeling that will be required when the OSHA Standard goes into effect.

I suggest that you contact your company's representative on the SPI Committee on Distribution (list attached) for more information on this activity.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading 'J R Lawrence', is written over the typed name.

John R. Lawrence
Technical Director

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February 4, 1975

TO: PVC/VCM Ad Hoc Study Group
SPI Committee on Distribution

RE: OSHA Required Labeling for
PVC and VCM; MEETING NOTICE

Gentlemen:

As you are aware, the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit has denied the petitions for review of the OSHA Standard for Exposure to Vinyl Chloride. The Court's decision, issued January 31, 1975, allows 60 days lead time for implementation of the Standard. Accordingly, the new effective date is April 1, 1975.

The Working Committee of the PVC/VCM Ad Hoc Study Group met on January 23, 1975, to review the results of the November, 1974 meeting of the full Committee and further to determine whether any additional steps may be appropriate. The Working Committee concluded that standardization of labeling practices is desirable. Furthermore, in order to implement a standardized approach and to assure that the recommended approach satisfies the regulation, the Working Committee believes that the industry should seek to obtain OSHA's concurrence with the recommended approach. The Minutes of the January 23 meeting of the Working Committee are enclosed herewith.

In order to further discuss the recommendations of the Working Committee and to discuss other problems of implementation of the OSHA Standard, Chairman Tom Smith has requested a meeting of all members of the PVC/VCM

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Ad Hoc Study Group to be held:

Tuesday, February 18, 1975
Commencing at 9:30 a.m.
MARRIOTT TWIN BRIDGES HOTEL
333 Jefferson Davis Highway
Arlington, Virginia

The Marriott Hotel has set aside a block of rooms for this meeting which will be held until Friday, February 14. Please advise the hotel when you call for reservations (Phone No. - (703)628-4200) that you are attending the SPI Committee on Distribution meeting. We anticipate the meeting will be concluded by 3:30 p.m.

There will be a \$15.00 registration fee for the meeting and luncheon arrangements. Please complete the enclosed registration form and return it to the above address no later than Wednesday, February 12.

Sincerely yours,

A. J. Evans,
Staff Administrator
Committee on Distribution

enclosure