PLAINTIFF'S
EXHIBIT
BRK-220

August 27, 1943

E. R. Marriman
Supt. of Industrial Relations
Carnegie-Illinois Steel Co.
Kings Junction, Ohio

Dear Mr. Marriman:

Copy of a letter written to the Medical Department by Mr. Don Manra is enclosed for your information.

If there is anything further this Division can do to assist you, kindly let us know.

Very truly yours,

Superintendent

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August 27, 1943

In Re: O. D. 37964
Floyd Andrews

Medical Department
State Office Bldg.
Columbus 15, Ohio

Gentlemen:

On August 20, 1943, a visit was made to the Carnegie-Illinois Steel Company, Mingo Junction, Ohio to check conditions under which the above named claimant had worked. The claimant started to work for this company March 6, 1943 as a hooker in the Ordnance Department and worked as such until [illegible], 1943. He was then given work as a craneman in the same department, where he worked from May 1, 1943 to October 28, 1943.

While working as a hooker he placed crane chains around steel plates which were then placed on cars which were automatically pulled into heat treating furnaces. The steel plates were shipped into this plant from an outside source and were rolled steel. There was no silica dust on the plates.

This plant was closed down and all material removed from the building where the claimant worked. It was impossible to obtain a dust count. The floor of the extremely large building where the claimant worked was composed of slag. Management stated that this floor was dampened down and rolled while operations were in progress. The claimant would be exposed to dust from this floor which would be composed of limestone which is calcium carbonate, iron oxide and coke. Any free silica that would exist in the materials would be converted to silicates when the material was in the blast furnaces. There is no source of free silica.

Respectfully submitted,

Don Hamm
Safety Advisor

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