Medical Department, St. Louis

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PCB Visits--U.K.
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As a recent exchange of Telex's has indicated, my associate, Jack Garrett, will be in London next week. He arrives Saturday and will be staying at the Cumberland Hotel. The main purpose of his visit is to testify for ICI (at their expense) in a rubber chemical--bladder tumor case. ICI's attorneys have indicated that they will attempt to get him on the stand Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday, November 9, 10 or 11. They anticipate no great difficulty on the basis that an expert witness from abroad should not be held up unduly.

It does mean, however, that it is difficult to plan a definite itinerary for Jack insofar as other calls are concerned. I believe he can be helpful in discussions with the Board of Trade and hope that his indefinite schedule will not make this impossible.

I have proposed further that Jack bring with him copies of our reports showing the current status of our toxicity studies with PCB's. If you agree, I think it would be helpful if you, Hal Vodden and Jack hand-carry copies of these reports to Dr. Jeffries and Dr. Moore at the Nature Conservacy, Monkswood. I would not plan for a full scale discussion with the half dozen or so scientists at Monkswood such as we had last May but think that an hour or two with Moore and Jeffries would be satisfactory.

Secondly, I believe we should try to do the same thing with Dr. Bailey and his associates from Tolworth. Last spring Bailey and his associates came to Monsanto House rather than our going to Tolworth.

If you believe that Jack might do this with you, I hope that the visits can be arranged even though, at the moment, definite dates cannot be arranged.

I assume that R.W.D. McIntosh should be Jack's contact at Monsanto House in London. Unless we hear otherwise, Jack will call Mr. McIntosh to inquire as to any developments.

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