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INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

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PLAINTIFF'S EXHIBIT USM 111

To: J. P. Vertalen

From: F. M. Stumpf

Date: December 20, 1966

Subject: Telephone Call from John Kearney, Senior Chemist, New Jersey Department of Labor and Industry, Bureau of Engineering and Safety, 80 Mulberry Street, Newark, N. J.

Mr. Kearney called and wanted information about our sprayed fiber because his State Office Building recently had three floors added, and this was fireproofed with CAFC BLAZE-SHIELD Type D. The contractor has finished and gone. Mr. Kearney said that from his office he can see material blowing away and was concerned whether the dust was a health hazard. He wanted to know how much asbestos was used in the product.

He was advised that this information was of a proprietary nature; he was informed that the product consisted of mineral fiber which was mineral wool, asbestos and binders, and that the asbestos was of a small quanity. When questioned why, I indi cated that since asbestos was the most costly a minimum therefore would be used.

We discussed the State of Ohio report on the Cleveland job and the dust tests, and I agreed to send him a copy of the report along with a CAFCO BLAZE-SHIELD brochure. Two mimutes later he called back and asked for a sample also; I said I would send him our standard sales sample.

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