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SUBJECT TO REVISION

INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Chicago, Ill. April 22, 1959

A meeting of the Industry Development Committee of the Lead Industries Association was held at the Drake Hotel, Chicago, Illinois, on Wednesday, April 22, 1959

Present	Representing
J. J. Lennon	American Metal Climax, Inc.
S. D. Strauss	American Smelting & Refining Co.
S. W. Sweet	Broken Hill Associated Smelters Pty. Ltd. (C. Tennant, Sons & Co., Agents)
R. H. Cutting	The Bunker Hill Co.
A. O. Wolff	The Consolidated Mining & Smelting Co. of Canada, Ltd.
F. H. Hurless	International Smelting & Refining Co. (Anaconda Sales Co., Agents)
C. R. Ince	St. Joseph Lead Co.
O. H. LeFevre	United States Smelting Refining & Mining Co.

Robert L. Ziegfeld, Secretary-Treasurer
Schrade F. Radtke, Director of Research

The meeting was called to order at 12:45 P. M.

Minutes of the previous meeting of April 2, 1959 were approved.

RESEARCH PROJECTS

The research director then presented recommendations for additional research projects which had been approved by the Technical Steering Committee at its meeting on April 21, 1959. The following projects were approved:

Project	Cost
Research fellowships at the University of Melbourne, the specific projects to be worked out between Mr. R. J. Hopkins, manager of research, Broken Hill Associated Smelters Pty. Ltd., and the University.	Not to exceed $8,000 per year

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Project	Cost
To obtain samples of steel lead coated by various processes and submit them for test by American Can Company and other potential users	Approximately $10,000
Production of wrought lead products by power metallurgy methods	$15,000 to $18,000

Action was deferred on another project approved by the Technical Steering Committee involving development of engineering data on lead asbestos and other lead combinations of anti-vibration pads, to be conducted by Lessells and Associates, Inc., at a cost of approximately $38,000, until more data could be submitted to the Committee on the potential size of this market. The Association was directed to develop this information as soon as possible and submit it to the Industry Development Committee in the near future.

ACCOUNTING PROCEDURE

It was agreed that because of the limitation of time at this meeting, consideration of accounting procedures be postponed. It was suggested that the secretary mail to the members of the Committee data on the present methods and proposed methods so that they would have them prior to the next meeting, at which a decision could be reached.

Meeting adjourned at 1:45 P.M.

Secretary