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TO MINUTES OF 23RD MAC MEETING

Report of the Subcommittee on Industrial Hygiene
Paul D. Halley, Chairman

I. American Standards Association Committees

A. ASA-Z37 Committee on Maximum Acceptable Concentrations of Toxic Dusts and Gases:

Mr. A. E. Dooley, API Representative to the Z-37 Committee reported on their activities. A standard for formaldehyde has been submitted to the ASA for approval. A standard on carbon tetrachloride has already been approved and is ready for sale.

A summary of tentative standards being considered by Committee ASA-Z37 with information considered pertinent has been prepared by Mr. Dooley. Copies of this summary will be made available to the MAC Subcommittee on Toxicological Reviews.

B. ASA-Z4 Committee on Industrial Sanitation.

Mr. Dooley reports that this committee which is concerned with the promulgation of standards for industrial sanitation has not been active the past 6 months.

II. The main business of the Subcommittee was to review a monograph titled "Health and Physiological Safety in the Process Industries" prepared by the M. W. Kellogg Co. This manual had been obtained by Dr. Curtis and was circulated to the members of the Subcommittee in order to obtain their thoughts concerning its value to the API.

The Subcommittee recognized numerous technical inaccuracies in the manual and recommends that it should not be distributed in its present form. However, the Subcommittee wishes to compliment the M. W. Kellogg Co. for initiating a project of this magnitude.

In considering the merits that a revised text of Kellogg would have to the oil industry, Subcommittee members were of the opinion that such a publication would have some value, but that at the present time, the Subcommittee is not in a position to undertake a project of such volume and scope.

Accordingly, the Subcommittee voted to defer for one year, a decision on the preparation of such a manual.

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