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SUBJECT PCBs

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Attached is a copy which Bill Papageorge has obtained of a "Survey: Polychlorinated Biphenyls in Milk," which was referred to in an earlier FDA report, "PCB's in Milk Survey Data." In the attached Survey there is quite an extensive recommendation to the various FDA districts as to the analytical techniques to be applied to their recently concluded 50-state survey of PCB levels in milk.

It would be very much appreciated if you could review the analytical procedures which were recommended and let us know any shortcomings you feel may exist in them since this might disclose to us any shortcomings in the survey data, and it may also be helpful in further contacts with the FDA and state and local authorities since I assume the recommended analytical procedures will be followed by local FDA investigators in future studies of PCB levels in milk.

Your help will be sincerely appreciated.

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Attachment

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The choice of sample sources and the manner in which they are to be obtained is standard and quite acceptable. The methods they are using, also as good as are available and if applied correctly I would not disagree with them. Sorry

Scott

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