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Dear Mr. Wooldridge:

The eleven air samples that you forwarded for evaluation of asbestos have been examined using phase contrast microscopy. In all instances the number of asbestos fibers per milliliter greater than five microns was less than one.

It would appear that operations were in control when these samples were taken.

Very truly yours,

Leo J. LaFrance
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Date April 4, 1975
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Answering letter date

Copy to Mr. S. E. Hine
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Subject Air Samples
1st Quarter 1975

Eleven (11) air samples were taken for the first quarter of 1975 at various locations throughout the Acetylene Cylinder Operations. The attached summary outlines the locations and other pertinent data. If you have any questions, please call.

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Enclosures
Attachment

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MONTHLY AIR SAMPLES

MONTH: 1ST QUARTER
YEAR: 1975

SAMPLE LOCATION	DATE	TIME	TIME INTERVAL	FLOW RATE LITER/MIN.	CONDITIONS
MACHINE SHOP					
1. CUTTING CYLINDER OPEN	3-6-75	4:00	21 MIN	1 L/MIN	PLACED ON OPERATOR
MAINTENANCE SHOP					
2. CUTTING FILLER SAMPLES	3-6-75	4:35	16 MIN	1 L/MIN	VERY DUSTY OPERATION - PLACED ON OPERATOR
3. LANCE OUT ROOM	2-17-75	10:00	30 MIN	1 L/MIN	NORMAL OPERATIONS
4. ASBESTOS SHREDDER ROOM	3-13-75	3:00	8 MIN	1 L/MIN	PLACED ON OPERATOR BLOWER OPERATING
5. NEW SHREDDER ROOM GENERAL AREA	3-20-75	11:00	10 MIN	1 L/MIN	BLOWER OPERATING
6. TOP OF MIX TANK	3-21-75	10:00	10 MIN	1 L/MIN	DURING SHREDDING OPERATION
7. VALVE WELL DRILLING OPERATION	3-17-75	2:00	6 MIN	1 L/MIN	PLACED ON OPERATOR 3 SKIDS OF WQ'S
8. TOP CLEARANCE INSPECTION STATION	3-17-75	3:30	8 MIN	1 L/MIN	PLACED ON OPERATOR UNDERCUTTING WQ'S
9. GENERAL AREA - DEPT. 511	3-27-75	10:00	30 MIN	1 L/MIN	NORMAL OPERATIONS
10. GENERAL AIR - TOP OF POWER CABINET	3-26-75	12:30	30 MIN	1 L/MIN	NORMAL OPERATIONS
11. ASBESTOS STORAGE AREA - WAREHOUSE	3-27-75	3:00	30 MIN	1 L/MIN	NO ACTIVITY IN AREA
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