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Dear Art:

Thanks for your letter of the 11th. I have just been informed by Mr. Woodard that a meeting has been called by the authorities in Montreal for December 22nd to discuss the asbestos situation in Quebec and to define the position of the provincial government. It would be extremely helpful if it were possible to have one or two copies of the revised report available to Mr. Woodard and his colleagues for this conference. I realize that this is a difficult demand but the situation is really one of emergency.

With best regards and best wishes for the holiday season.

Sincerely yours,



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