



A/C Pipe
Producers Association
Executive Committee
International Affairs Committee

TO

J. F. Welch
FROM: J. F. Welch, Vice President

Internal Correspondence

DATE December 7, 1982

SUBJECT Inquiry - Government of Israel

ACTION REQUIRED: Review for information

On October 15, 1982, AACPP received a telephone call from Bruce Brown of Harza Engineering Company, Chicago, Illinois. Harza has been engaged by the Israeli Government to provide engineering services in a number of areas including water supply. Concerns about the safety of A/C water pipe have been raised because it is known that the Government uses the product extensively. Brown wanted current information on product safety.

Staff explained in detail the development of the asbestos in drinking water controversy and its current status, underlining the fact that there are no federal or World Health Organization regulations for asbestos in drinking water or restrictions on the use of A/C water pipe. In addition, a complete information package on the health issue, including all A/C Advisories, was forwarded.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

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