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Mr. Arthur L. Fiske, Jr.
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Dear Mr. Fiske:

I have your very welcome letter of June 23rd, together with the enclosure.

I was very interested in what you had to say about the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company making this study. I would be very helpful to me, I believe, if I could obtain a copy of that study. Could you direct me so that I could make the proper application to the proper person in order to get such a copy?

I should also like to take the deposition of anyone who would be qualified to testify as to the effects of rockwool upon the lungs. I assume that probably would be some physician in connection with your industrial department.

While your printed matter is important to us, in this case, we will have to have additional testimony. It may be that you could put me in touch with someone in your legal department who would be able to help me arrange to set up such a deposition by the proper person.

As stated before, any costs in connection with this matter I will gladly bear. However, it is a matter of such importance that I believe your company will likely be very interested in it, since it would have far-reaching effects in the event that we were found liable in this case.

I should appreciate your reply to my inquiries above as soon as possible, as this case is moving along and I will have to have my evidence in within a relatively short time.

Yours very truly,

GLENN A. COUGHLAN

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