Johns-Manville

Internal Correspondence

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Date: March 14, 1980

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Subject: CONSULTATIONS

As you know, after an employee has had a physical examination, we are to have a consultation with him regarding the findings of the examination.

In the recent meetings we had with all of our people regarding the newspaper interpretation of the NIOSH study, a number of employees indicated that they had not received this consultation after their physical exam.

The people who indicated they did not receive a consultation are as follows:

W. T. Mills
J. H. Scott
Murl Pierce
Mike Love
Robert Weakley
Charles Esaw
Kenneth Pincombe
Joe Budnik
Darlene Smith

The following people made comments regarding their medical condition and we forward their comments to you.

indicated that he had a spot on his lung.

son indicated that had not been told she had a lung problem.

had questions regarding his X-ray readings which he did not understand.

s son-in-law said that a change occurred on X-rays 19 years ago but that he was not notified.

stated that we did not see asbestos on his lung but the Monroe Clinic did.

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indicated that he had a medical problem that started in 1957 but he was just now advised of it.

said he has a lung problem.

said that he has spots on his lung.

An employee reported that was asked to sign a blank form. Does anyone have any knowledge of this situation?

stated he was told to wear a T shirt when he was to have an X-ray taken. Is this correct?

indicated that when she asked for her X-rays to be sent to her private physician that these X-rays were in Denver. Could we tell when they would be returned?

I would appreciate a follow-up consultation on the listing of people who stated they had not received a consultation.

On the other comments that were made by individuals, I would like the Medical Department to arrange appointments with these people and have these questions clarified with them.

I would also appreciate being advised what transpires during these discussions.

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