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Caution Labels

Unfortunately, there seems to have been some misunderstanding concerning the caution label. At the last meeting which I attended on this subject, it was agreed that a caution label would be incorporated in the printing of all new cartons for Thermobestos products. Nothing was to be done until the present supply of cartons was exhausted and new ones were being ordered. Unfortunately, there seems to be some lack of communication or understanding and the gummed label was devised. As you know, this created a small furor at Manville and could have had very serious labor relations and workmen's compensation consequences.

I would recommend that our original agreement be followed. We should incorporate the caution label in the new printing only when additional cartons are ordered. It is understood that at some time in the near future shipments may be made of cartons having no label and others with the label incorporated. This should create no problem.

As far as other asbestos-containing products are concerned I would recommend that we should have another meeting to discuss each of these products. We should evaluate whether or not a health hazard might exist for those using the product. Please let us know when we may be of help in such a meeting.

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