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NAME:

SEPCO

PRINCIPLE PLACE OF BUSINESS:

Pelham, Alabama

PRODUCTS:

Manufactured the following until 1972:

1. Insubestos (58% amosite, 3% chrysotile)
2. Insutube (48% chrysotile)
3. Insutape (34% chrysotile)
4. Wovenstone (58% chrysotile)

MARKETED THE FOLLOWING PRODUCTS:

1. Sepco Braided Packing (65-100% chrysotile and crocidolite) since 1924.
2. Sepco Gaskets (37.5 - 95% chrysotile; 5-62.5% elastomeric binder.)

MINED OR MILLED:

No

LOCATION OF MANUFACTURING PLANT:

Pelham, Alabama, Since 1970

SOURCE OF RAW MATERIALS:

Raw fiber from GSA and Johns-Manville. Asbestos material imported from England, Brazil, Venezuela, Japan and Canada since 1963.

REASON FOR DISCONTINUING PRODUCTS:

To eliminate release of asbestos fibers into the atmosphere. Replacement has superior insulating properties. Discontinued production of Insubestos in 1972 due to minimal sales and to devote production time to fluid sealing products.

FIRST KNOWLEDGE OF HAZARDS:

1972

FIRST LABELING:

1972

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SALES:

Has sold non-insulation products to co-defendants within last 5 years. Was not party to any relabeling agreement. Denies direct sales to Long Beach Naval Shipyards, or to U.S. Government.

MEMBER OF ATI:

No