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January 9, 1987

Regional Administrator
U. S. Environmental Protection Agency
Region III
841 Chestnut Building
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19107

Dear Sir:

SUBJECT: Notice of Renovation Activities
Asbestos Removal and Disposal

This letter constitutes notification, as required by 40 CFR - §61.146, that Union Carbide Corporation, Old Ridgebury Road, Danbury, Connecticut 06817, plans to engage in renovation activities as described below:

The faciities to be renovated are located at 437 MacCorkle Avenue SW, South Charleston, West Virginia 25303. The facilities consist of various buildings, equipment, and piping used in the manufacture and distribution of organic chemicals and plastics, some of which are over fifty-five years old. The amount of friable asbestos material present is unknown at this time.

Renovation is scheduled to begin January 1, 1987, and to be completed by December 31, 1987. The work consists of on-going routine miscellaneous maintenance of the manufacturing facilities which may involve the removal of asbestos insulation. All friable asbestos material will be thoroughly wetted prior to removal and will be placed in properly labeled plastic bags for disposal. The amount of asbestos to be disposed of cannot be predicted at this time, but should be modest.

Asbestos removal associated with more substantial projects of a more specific nature will be reported by separate notification as may be appropriate and in accordance with the regulations.

All asbestos material will be disposed of at the Goff Mountain Landfill, Union Carbide Corporation, Route 25, Institute, West Virginia 25112, or other approved landfills.

Very truly yours,

D. H. Hanshew

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