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January 19, 1972

Mr. S. Seector
National Starch & Chemical Company
225 Belleville Avenue
Bloomfield, New Jersey 07003

Dear Mr. Seector:

Pursuant to our telephone conversation of this morning, I have enclosed a copy of procedures and equipment for the determination of air-borne asbestos dust. Prices of the equipment listed are approximate, however, should give you a general feeling for the costs involved. I would suspect that your laboratory may have some of this equipment on hand presently.

The present TLV for asbestos is published in the Federal Register OHSA December 7, 1971. There are two respirators which we can suggest for asbestos dust. These are the Willson model No. 1009 with R-520 filters and M-S-A No. 86432 with type "H" ultrafilters. Both of these are approved by the Bureau of Mines, listed under Section 21B in their information circular 8436, 1968.

We do not feel that the use of CALIDRIA asbestos products should pose any handling problems within the practical limits of most industrial applications. Should you have any questions or if we may be of some further assistance, please do not hesitate to call me directly.

Very truly yours,

B. L. Ingalls
Manager - Eastern Region
Sales & Technical Service

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January 18, 1972

Mr. Frank Warren
Senior Safety Engineer
State of California
Dept. of Industrial Relations
Division of Industrial Safety
2550 Mariposa St., Room 4065
Fresno, California 93721

Dear Mr. Warren:

As required in your Accident Prevention Report of 11-30-71, the bagging operator has been provided, and is required to wear, an air supplied hood unit while performing the duties of his job. The other operator, in the pellatizer area, has been supplied with a 2L-B rated cartridge type respirator. The two operators are rotated during the shift so that neither operator spends full time in the cartridge respirator.

Our company Industrial Hygienest, Mr. P. W. McDaniels, has checked the air supplied hood unit under operating conditions and has determined that the hood internal atmosphere is less than TLV.

Very truly yours,

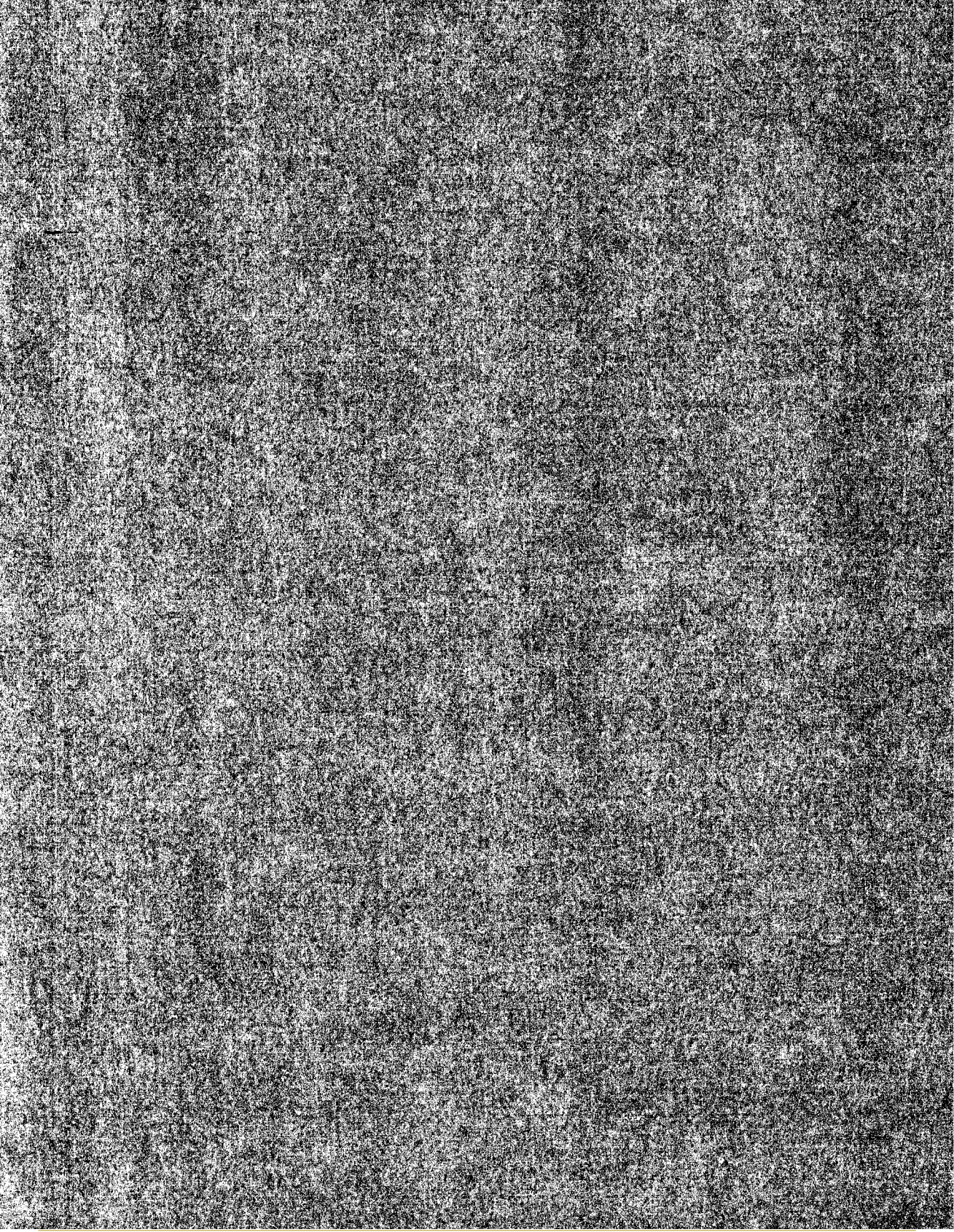
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