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ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

1.) Discredit Dr. Selikoff.

| Dr. Selikoff statement | Rebuttal |
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| Asbestos in blood, beer, etc. because it is filtered through ~~pack~~ filter containing asbestos. | Quote qrticle by Canadian Government giving fiber counts in beer, wine, soft drinks, etc which states these drinks conta. millions of fiber from natural sources. |
| Studies on shipyard workers, Patterson, N.J., etc. | Not one ounce of chrysotile fib was in these plants or in the products used on shipboard. Als Lyon Conference, page 6, paragraph 7. |
| Danny Maciborski, witness at OSHA | Use the Smith brothers from Thetford as our witnesses. Parker is 67; George is 80+. They have lived in Thetford all their lives. They ate strawberries covered with asbestos dust. We could build a real story -- they walked through mills when they could not see. All past Presidents of Bell Asbestos reputable people of impressive creditability. |

In other words, attack every statement of Dr. Selikoff in bot a scientific and a good public relations bases.

2.) Start to tell the chrysotile story and discredit other fibers. See Lyon Conference minutes.

3.) Hire a good political lobbyist to represent us in Washington.

4.) Establish closer liasion with QAMA and Asbestos Information of England. Save on duplication of work.

5.) Methodology for convincing U.S. population that asbestos properly controlled is absolutely a safe material to use.

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