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Re: Business Records Affidavits for DUP0902784 and DUP0902776.

Dear Scott:

As requested, I am enclosing copies of executed Business Records Affidavits with respect to DuPont documents DUP0902784 (July 13, 1972 memorandum entitled "Auto Body Solder") and DUP0902776 (July 5, 1972 letter from The Caster Oil Company to Mr. J. Gallagher). Please call me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

KIRKLEY SCHMIDT & COTTEN, L.L.P.

By: _____
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State of Delaware §
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Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Walter A. Connor III who being by me duly sworn, deposed as follows:

My name is Walter A. Connor III, I am of sound mind, capable of making this affidavit, and personally acquainted with the facts herein stated.

The document labeled DUP0902776, a copy of which is attached hereto, is among the documents received by DuPont and thereafter maintained in DuPont's possession in the ordinary course of DuPont's business.

The copy of DUP0902776 attached to this affidavit is a true and accurate copy of the original copy or image maintained in DuPont's possession.

DuPont has no reason to believe that the original document or image, of which the attached is a true copy, has been altered since it has been in DuPont's possession.

Further affiant sayeth not.

Walter A. Connor III

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of August, 2002, which witness my had and official seal.

Eileen C. Dougherty
NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR
NEW CASTLE COUNTY, DELAWARE

Printed name: _____

My Commission Expires: _____

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THE CASTOR OIL COMPANY
BAYONNE, NEW JERSEY, 07002

July 5, 1972

Mr. J. Gallagher
DuPont Company
Marshall Laboratories
P.O. Box 3886
3500 Grays Ferry Avenue
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19146

Dear Mr. Gallagher:

We are responding to your concern about the presence of asbestos in Thixseal A and possible health hazards.

The asbestos we use is a unique type available from just one mine in California. It is produced and processed by the Union Carbide Corporation. They have run extensive medical tests on this asbestos (Calidria RG-144) and we have their assurance it is non-carcinogenic.

Very truly yours,

M.K. Smith, Manager
Technical Division

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