



September 21, 1956

Mr. R. A. Bleicht
Division Manager
Zonolite Company
Libby, Montana

Dear Mr. Bleicht:

Enclosed are two (2) copies of a report of an industrial hygiene study made of your plant in August, 1956. As you will note, the Conclusions and Recommendations are essentially those we discussed during my visit to your office. It is hoped that at a later date, as a matter of completion of the records, that sputum specimens from some of the men can be collected and examined for astestosis bodies, although it is not expected that any will be found.

We appreciate your interest and consideration in making this study possible. If you have any questions or suggestions concerning the report, feel free to contact us at any time.

Sincerely yours,

Benjamin F. Wake
Acting Industrial Hygiene Engineer
Disease Control Division

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