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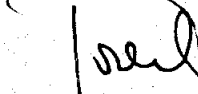
Re: Claimant: Keith L. Foster
Employer: ASARCO
Injury Date: 3/31/98
Claim No: 1C008952

Dear Pat:

In lieu of previously filed briefs, please accept for filing this substitute brief of ASARCO. I have conferred with Tom Budewitz about the filing of this brief, and he will accept the substitute brief in lieu of the filing of earlier briefs.

Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,



Todd A. Hammer

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