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PLEASE REPLY TO
DIAMOND ALKALI COMPANY
80 LISTED AVENUE
NEWARK 2, NEW JERSEY

July 22, 1956

Passaic Valley Sewerage Commission
45 Branford Place
Newark 2, New Jersey

Attention: Mr. Michael D. Andolino

Dear Mr. Andolino:

I am informed by some of our employees that your inspectors have been making visits to our plant area without checking in at the office and being provided with an escort, and also that they have taken advantage of this easy access to our property to in turn go into our neighbor's property via the "back door" route.

We do not wish to be unduly officious about this matter since we realize your men need access to river front property to effectively carry out their duties; however, we, in common with most chemical plants have strict rules about permitting visitors into the plant without registering at the office, obtaining an escort, and complying with safety rules.

We will have to insist on strict compliance with this hereafter. However, you may be assured that we will not hinder prompt inspection of our premises and that if I am not available I will see that someone is designated to take my place.

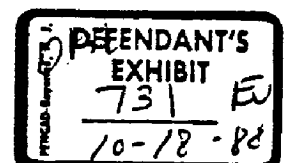
As you know, we complied very promptly with your request to divert our objectionable alkaline effluent into the sanitary sewer. Please be assured we are in sympathy with the mayors' efforts to clean and improve the appearance of the Passaic River. We are actively working as time permits to clean up some of our disorderly appearing areas on the river front and expect to paint some of our tanks and buildings in this area during August.

Very truly yours,

DIAMOND ALKALI COMPANY

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Plant Manager

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