We believe that most of these in our State have been suicide, in the area of two-thirds or three-quarters of them.

Some of course are very difficult to distinguish between suicide and accident.

We published some of our data and concerns in a letter to the Journal of American Medical Association in September 1975, and after assessing our data, we published an article about propoxyphene in the Southern Medical Journal in August 1975, and I think copies of these have been made available to you.

[The information follows:]