U. S. PLYWOOD-CHAMPION PAPERS INC. GRAYS HARBOR

NOTICE TO GRAYS HARBOR PLANT EMPLOYEES.

It is with sincere regret that I must inform you that the Grays Harbor plant will be closed indefinitely in the near future. The high cost of raw material and the domestic market conditions for the products which we produce force this closure.

The closure will take several weeks to accomplish during which time we will be processing the existing block and veneer inventories.

The green end and driers will discontinue operation within the next two weeks. Other departments will be discontinued later as the work in process is completed. As departments are discontinued, employees may be transferred to departments still operating to extend their employment.

Since we have no plans for reopening, we urge each of you to seek employment elsewhere once you have been released from employment here: Our personnel department will assist you in obtaining other employment if they can.

Your foreman will have a question and answer sheet and he should be able to answer most of the questions that you may have regarding vacation pay, health and welfare benefits, pensions, etc. Questions that he cannot answer should be directed to the personnel office.

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