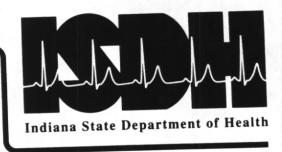
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Dear Ms. Manning,

I understand that NIOSH is interested in obtaining existing information on the contamination of worker's homes by hazardous chemicals and substances transported from the workplace on equipment, clothing, or the workers person. Enclosed please find a study performed by Baker et al. on persons exposed to PCB contaminated sewage sludge. Although not directly investigated, PCB blood studies were performed on the spouses of workers exposed. The spouses were shown to have the second highest levels of PCB body burdens. I hope this study will help you endeavor.

Sincerely,

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