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TO: K.W. SOUCY

FROM: F.E. SCHMIDT, JR.

SUBJECT: SEPTEMBER REPORT

## New Products

The O/U certification is complete except for the barrel/mono block. Two tests are in progress to complete braze and weld validation (expected completion 10/15). Finally, a fatigue test is planned to validate design data for 4137R (expected completion 1/15/94).

## Plant Assistance

A second metallurgy course for the non-metallurgist has been planned. The first class is October 4. Both Sietsema and Schmidt will teach portions of the ASM certified program. The course provides an excellent opportunity for improved quality and team work around metallurgy issues.

## Litigation Support

I gave a 12-hour deposition for J. Robinson plaintiff's attorney in Schoenicke v. Remington on September 15 and 16. Trial is anticipated November 8 to 18 in Madison, Wisconsin.

The Washington, DC public defender has requested my assistance to refute FBI testimony on Lead/Antimony shot analysis. I am working with AFTE and SAAMI standards and Lonoke personnel to try to settle the issue. An AFTE technical paper is planned.

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