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TO: MR. THOMAS TE-SHIN LIN
FROM: J.W. ASHWORTH
NOVEMBER 1, 1983
REF: N-3.231

KORTE AND KONYNE DERIVED FROM THE PLASMA OF A DONOR SUSPECTED OF AIDS IS BEING WITHDRAWN FROM THE MARKET BY CUTTER. THE U.S. FDA IS AWARE OF OUR ACTION. CUTTER IS VOLUNTARILY WITHDRAWING THESE PRODUCTS AS A PRECAUTIONARY MEASURE AS THERE IS NO EVIDENCE THAT THESE PRODUCTS WILL TRANSMIT THE DISEASE. THERE HAVE BEEN NO REPORTS OF ADVERSE REACTIONS INVOLVING THE LOTS CONTAINING THE PLASMA FROM THE DONOR.

OUR RECORDS INDICATE THAT THE FOLLOWING IMPLICATED LOTS WERE SHIPPED TO YOU

NC 8476

NC 9117

PLEASE REVIEW YOUR SHIPPING RECORDS SO THAT YOU CAN REQUEST RETURN OF ALL UNUSED PRODUCT THAT YOU HAVE DISTRIBUTED.

ANY RETURNED PRODUCT OR INVENTORY ON HAND OF THESE LOTS SHOULD BE HELD IN QUARANTINE PENDING FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS.

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