

H. K. PORTER ASBESTOS TRUST

Processing of Non-US Claims

This statement is to clarify the Trust's policy with regard to "Non-US Claims" which consist of claimants without a United States social security number **and/or** who currently live outside the United States.

In order to have such a claim processed, a claimant must present supplemental evidence that the occupationally exposed person worked in an approved trade and at a job site located within U.S. jurisdiction.

Claimants holding maritime/merchant mariner claims may satisfy these requirements by submitting "Certificate of Sea Service" records, which indicate that the claimant worked in the United States military or United States merchant marine or aboard a vessel (i) that was registered in the United States, (ii) whose homeport was in the United States, or (iii) which was built at a United State shipyard.

Other non-US claimants whose exposure was at a job site located within U.S. jurisdiction may submit an affidavit executed by the claimant or attorney of record stating the claimant's occupation and years of exposure to H.K. Porter asbestos products. Such claimants must also provide documentary evidence that the claimant actually worked within U.S. jurisdiction.

In cases of claimants who do not reside, and who did not work, within the jurisdiction of the United States, where H.K. Porter products were known to have been manufactured and used, the Trust will not accept such claims without additional convincing evidence of exposure to H.K. Porter products and evidence of a right to file such a claim in U.S. courts.