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To all Chief Fire Officers

Dear Chief Officer

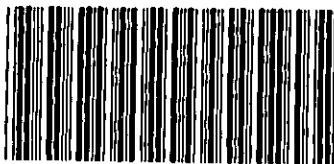
Further to my letter of 18 June 1973, No.17/1973, I wish to draw your attention to a report issued by the Fire Research Station dealing with fire spread and plastic pipes. It is: Building Research Establishment Current Paper CP 38/77: Fire Spread and Plastic Pipes - M Curtis (Fire Research Station). The paper describes tests based upon the fire resistance tests specified in BS 476:Part 8:1972. The results of the tests confirm the figures given in Building Regulations E.12.

The paper brings together a number of factors already well known to Fire Prevention Officers and it is thought that it will be a useful source of future reference. Applications for copies of the paper should be addressed to the Fire Research Station (Publications Officer) Boreham Wood, Hertfordshire WD6 2BL.

Yours sincerely

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