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MEMORANDUM

TO: Paul Knopick

FROM: Fred Panzer

Regarding your request for a labor list for the Tobacco Observer: Beyond the Tobacco Workers Union, I really have no direct feeling for any list of labor officials who would be especially sympathetic to the cause of tobacco. Many unions have been sold on smoke cessation programs of the ACS, the Seventh Day Adventists, and SmokEnders and in this instance would be extremely suspicious of a publication coming from an industry trade association. I intend to be at the Tobacco Workers Convention next week and will discuss this further with union officials more intimately aware of sentiment of other labor organizations.

Unless there is some pressing need which I do not see, any decision on a labor mailing of the Tobacco Observer might be delayed until I return.

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