AIR PRODUCTS & CHEMICALS, INC., a Corporation,)	
Plaintiff,)	IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF
)	MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ALABAMA
VS.)	AT LAW
MANUEL DURANT,)	CASE NO.
Defendant.	,	

Comes now the Defendant and appearing specially and only for the purpose of this Plea in Abatement, files the following Plea in Abatement:

That, at the time this suit was commenced, and for a period of time in excess of ten (10) years prior to said date, the Defendant was and has been a resident citizen of Bay Minette, Baldwin County, Alabama; that he has never lived in Montgomery County; this Court is without jurisdiction over said suit. The venue is improperly laid in Montgomery County, and this cause of action should be abated.

Manuel Durant

STATE OF ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Manuel Durant, who is known to me and who being by me first duly sworn deposes and says: That he has read the aforegoing Plea in Abatement and that the matters set out therein are true and correct.

Manuel Durant

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this the 16th day of September, 1971.

Notary Public

Wilters & Brantley P. O. Box 968 Bay Minette, Alabama Attorneys for Defendant

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John R. Manhoux Clerk

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SPEED LETTER 10,057 Clerk of the Circuit Court LAW OFFICES MICHAEL T. BLACKER FROM____ Baldwin County Court House SUITE 210, BELL BUILDING Bay Minette, Alabama MONTGOMERY, ALABAMA 36104 SUBJECT _ Air Products & Chemicals Inc. vs. Manuel Durant Phone 205-262-5297 TNO. 9 & 10 FOLD MESSAGE DATE October 29 to 71 Dear Sir: The above suit was transferred to your county from the Circuit Court of Montgomery County, Alabama, in September, 1971. Please dismiss same and forward the cost bill to me. Thank you. T. M. Brantley, Esquire CC: P. O. Box 968 Bay Minette, Alabama 36507 SIGNED REPLY No. 9 FOLD -No. 10 Fold SIGNED_ "SNAP-A-WAY" FORM 44-902) PARTS WILSON JONES COMPANY . @ 1961 . PRINTED IN U.S.A. RETAIN WHITE COPY, RETURN PINK COPY

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