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**SUBJECT: OBSOLETE LECO EQUIPMENT**

The obsolete process on the following list of LECO instruments will begin January 1, 1999. LECO will continue to service these instruments through January 1, 2000 provided that parts are available. LECO will discontinue all field service and in-house repair of these units and their associated sub-components effective January 1, 2000.

**ANALYTICAL**

MAC-500 Proximate Analyzer  
TGA-500 Thermogravimetric Analyzer

Support of these units after January 1, 2000 will be limited to telephone help only by our LECO St. Joseph, Michigan telephone service staff.

This decision is necessitated by the growing number of parts no longer available to LECO by its' suppliers, and the shortage of stock item parts.

All listed instrumentation have been out of production for several years.

LECO Corporation presently manufactures state-of-the-art analytical instrumentation available for replacement of any of the obsoleted systems.

Very Truly Yours,

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