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MANAGER'S REPORT NO.	32
COUNCIL MEETING	1980 04 28

Re: LETTER FROM MR. D.Y. SIMPSON, PRESIDENT, SIMPSON POWER PRODUCTS LTD., 5271 REGENT STREET, BURNABY, B.C., V5C 4H7 WHICH APPEARED ON THE AGENDA FOR THE 1980 APRIL 21 MEETING OF COUNCIL (ITEM 4c) REGARDING INCIDENCES OF BURGLARY ON THEIR PREMISES.

Following is a report from the Officer-in-Charge, Burnaby Detachment, R.C.M.P. regarding the above.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT the recommendation of the Officer-in-Charge, Burnaby Detachment, R.C.M.P. be adopted; and
2. THAT a copy of this report be sent to Mr. D.Y. Simpson, President, Simpson Power Products Ltd., 5271 Regent Street, Burnaby, B. C., V5C 4H7.

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File 14761/80
80-04-23

TO: MUNICIPAL MANAGER

FROM: O. I/C BURNABY DET. R.C.M.P.

RE: CORRESPONDENCE AND PETITIONS
SIMPSON POWER PRODUCTS LTD.

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT this report be received for information and that the matter be dealt with directly between the police and the party concerned.

REPORT

1. After receipt of the letter from the President of Simpson Power Products Ltd., dated 80-04-10, directed to the "Mayor and Council", we contacted Mr. Simpson by telephone. We made tentative arrangements to meet Mr. Simpson and other businessmen in the immediate area to discuss the problem which has been identified.
2. File records confirm reports of thefts of the nature related in the letter and from the police viewpoint, we share the concerns expressed. The emphasis in the letter is directed toward "stepped up presence of the police" on this street, however, controlling thefts of this type must be approached with a view of applying other alternatives. Whilst we may at times be able to direct more frequent patrols to the area, it must be kept in mind all other areas throughout the Municipality are deserving of equal police protection. The improved security measures within the establishments can provide a deterrent toward curtailing thefts and/or other offences.
3. We look to the meeting being beneficial to the business establishments and the police.

C.L. Thomas
(C.L. Thomas) Supt.
O. i/c Burnaby Detachment