

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation  
Division of Hazardous Waste Remediation  
Bureau of Hazardous Site Control

ADDITIONS/CHANGES TO REGISTRY: SUMMARY OF APPROVALS

SITE NAME: CARLTON CLEANERS DEC I.D. NUMBER 243019

Current Classification \_\_\_\_\_

Activity: ☒ Add as Class 2 ☐ Reclassify to \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Delist Category \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Modify \_\_\_\_\_

Approvals:

Regional Hazardous Waste Engineer Yes ☒ No ☐

BEEI of NYSDOH Yes ☒ No ☐

DEE Yes ☒ No ☐

BERA Remediation Action Bureau Director [Class 2] Yes ☒ No ☐

BHSC: a. Investigation Section Yes ☒ No ☐

b. O&M Section [Class 4] Yes ☒ No ☐

c. Site Control Section Robb / Maurin Date 8/25/97

d. Director Ernst / Saurb Date 8/26/97

Completion Checklist

OWNER NOTIFICATION LETTER? ☒

ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNER NOTIFICATION LETTER? ☒

ENB/LEGAL NOTICE SENT?  
(For Deletion Only) ☐

COMMENTS SUMMARIZED/PLACE IN REPOSITORY ☐

FINAL NOTIFICATION SENT TO OWNER?  
(For Deletion Only) ☐

Completed By:  
Initials Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
11/19/97

\_\_\_\_\_  
12/8/97

(For proposed Class 2a sites only) Planned investigative activities & dates: \_\_\_\_\_

## SITE INVESTIGATION INFORMATION

1. SITE NAME Carlton Cleaners		2. SITE NUMBER 243019	3. TOWN/CITY/VILLAGE Staten Island	4. COUNTY Richmond
5. REGION 2 (New York City)	6. CLASSIFICATION CURRENT: P PROPOSED: 2 MODIFY			
7. LOCATION OF SITE (Attach U.S.G.S. Topographic Map showing site location)				
a. Quadrangle: Elizabeth, NJ-NY				
b. Site Latitude: 40 ° 37 ' 30 " N Site Longitude: 74 ° 08 ' 13 " W				
c. Tax Map Numbers: Block 1053, Lot 138				
d. Site Street Address: 24 Barrett Avenue, Staten Island, NY 10301				
8. BRIEFLY DESCRIBE THE SITE (Attach site plan showing disposal/sampling locations)				
The site was located within an 18,300 square foot masonry building that is situated at the eastern end of the Forest Avenue Shopping Center. The building is surrounded by sidewalks and parking lots, with the NE wall of the structure facing Barrett Avenue. This building was occupied by Carlton Cleaners, which provided dry-cleaning services to the public, along with other small retailers prior to 1994. Carlton Cleaners had occupied approximately 200 square feet of space along the center of the NW wall of the building across from the Nathan's restaurant. The building has since been remodeled, and is presently occupied by a retailer of craft supplies.				
A 1994 soil and groundwater investigation of the Forest Avenue Shopping Center revealed tetrachloroethene (PCE), trichloroethene (TCE), and 1,2-dichloroethene (DCE) contamination in the immediate proximity of Carlton Cleaners and nearby Paul Miller Cleaners (NYSDEC ID #243018). Based on this report, the NYSDEC determined that further investigations were warranted to determine the source and extent of this contamination.				
a. Area: 0.4 acres b. EPA ID Number: none				
c. Completed: ( )Phase I ( )Phase II (X)PSA ( )RI/FS ( )PA/SI ( )Other				
9. HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSED (Include EPA Hazardous Waste Numbers)				
-> Tetrachloroethene (EPA ID #F002)				
10. ANALYTICAL DATA AVAILABLE				
a. ( )Air (X)Groundwater ( )Surface Water ( )Sediment (X)Soil ( )Waste ( )Leachate ( )EPTox ( )TCLP				
b. Contravention of Standards or Guidance Values				
-> Tetrachloroethene: 27,000 ppb in groundwater; 5 ppb standard (Part 703)				
11. CONCLUSION				
<b>Past site operations have contaminated the underlying groundwater with significant levels of tetrachloroethene. This groundwater is contained within/adjacent to a principal aquifer. Therefore, this site poses a significant threat to public health and the environment. Thus, it should be listed as a Class 2 site in the NYS Registry of Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Sites.</b>				
12. SITE DATA				
a. Nearest Surface Water: Distance: 5,500 ft.		Direction: north		Classification: SD (Kill Van Kull)
b. Nearest Groundwater: Depth: 5 ft.		Flow Direction: north		( )Sole Source ( )Primary (X)Principal
c. Nearest Water Supply: Distance: --- ft.		Direction: N/A **		Active: ( )Yes ( )No
d. Nearest Building: Distance: 0 ft.		Direction: onsite		Use: retail
e. In State Economic Development Zone?		( )Y (X)N	i. Controlled Site Access? ( )Y (X)N	
f. Crops or livestock on site?		( )Y (X)N	j. Exposed hazardous waste? ( )Y (X)N	
g. Documented fish or wildlife mortality?		( )Y (X)N	k. HRS Score: N/A	
h. Impact on special status fish or wildlife resource?		( )Y (X)N	l. For Class 2: Priority Category: 2	
13. SITE OWNER'S NAME		14. ADDRESS		15. TELEPHONE NUMBER
Forest Avenue Shopping Association c/o Philips International Holding Company		341 Madison Avenue New York, NY 10017		(212) 545 - 1100
16. PREPARER		17. APPROVED		
David K. Harrington 6/20/97		Earl H. Barcomb 8/26/97		
Signature Date		Signature Date		
David K. Harrington, Environmental Engineer 1, EIS, BHSC, DER, NYSDEC		Earl H. Barcomb, Director, BHSC, DER		
Name, Title, Organization		Name, Title, Organization		

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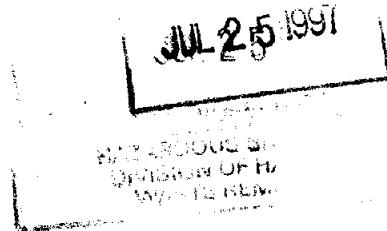
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Barbara A. DeBuono, M.D., M.P.H.  
Commissioner

Dennis P. Whalen  
Executive Deputy Commissioner

July 23, 1997

Mr. Earl Barcomb, P.E., Director  
Bureau of Hazardous Site Control  
NYS Dept. of Environmental Conservation  
50 Wolf Road, Room 252  
Albany New York 12233



RE: **SITE INVESTIGATION INFORMATION**  
Carlton Cleaners, Site # 243019  
Staten Island, Richmond County

Dear Mr. Barcomb:

My staff have reviewed the enclosed site investigation information form for the referenced site. Groundwater has been contaminated with tetrachloroethene, 1,2-dichloroethene, trichloroethene. The highest level of contamination found to date, 27,000 ppb of tetrachloroethene, was located 120 feet downgradient of the site. I agree that the site should be listed as a Class 2 site with the NYS Registry of Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Sites.

If you have any questions, please call Mr. Steve Bates of my staff at (518) 458-6305.

Sincerely,

G. Anders Carlson, Ph.D.  
Director  
Bureau of Environmental Exposure  
Investigation

Enclosure

cc: Dr. N. Kim  
Mr. S. Bates/Mr. G. Laccetti  
Mr. R. Marino - DEC  
Mr. D. Harrington - DEC Region 2  
Ms. Jana Whalen  
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# CLASSIFICATION WORKSHEET

Site: Carlton Cleaners

County: Richmond

Region: 2

1. Hazardous waste disposed? ☒ Y (to 2) ☐ N (Stop) ☐ U (Stop)
2. Consequential amount of hazardous waste? ☒ Y (to 3) ☐ N (Stop) ☐ U (Stop)
3. Part 375-1.4(a)(1) applies? ☒ N (to 4) ☐ U (to 4)  
☐ Y (as checked below; Class 2; to 5)

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> a. endangered or threatened species  | <input type="checkbox"/> d. fish, shellfish, crustacea or wildlife   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> b. streams, wetlands or coastal zone | <input type="checkbox"/> e. fire, spill, explosion or toxic reaction |
| <input type="checkbox"/> c. bioaccumulation                   | <input type="checkbox"/> f. proximity to people or water supplies    |

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4. Part 375-1.4(a)(2) applies? ☐ N (Cl 3; Stop) ☐ U (Cl 2a; Stop)  
☒ Y (Class 2; to 5)

5. Factors considered in making this determination:

- c. Manner of Disposal: It is presumed that the contaminants found at this site (primarily tetrachloroethene) were the result of a spill or leak from the basement area.
- g. Level of Contaminants: Tetrachloroethene @ 27,000 ppb in groundwater (5 ppb standard - Part 703)
- i. Extent of Migration: The highest levels of contamination in the groundwater were found ~120 feet downgradient of the site.
- j. Proximity of Site: The site is underlain/adjacent to a principal aquifer.

## SUMMARY

Consequential Hazardous Waste	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Significant Threat	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown

Proposed Classification: 2

Site ID#: 243019

Date: June 20, 1997

Preparer: David K. Harrington  
 Title: Environmental Engineer 1

NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENTS OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION AND HEALTH  
INACTIVE HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSAL SITE PRIORITY RANKING WORKSHEET

SITE ID#: 243019

SITE NAME: Carlton Cleaners

- ° **Priority I** - Sites for which remediation should supersede all other Class 2 sites. Priority I can be assigned if any one of the following questions can be answered affirmatively.

- |   |                          |  |
|---|--------------------------|--|
| a) Has a public or private water supply which is currently in use been contaminated or threatened?.....   | <input type="checkbox"/> | ] <input type="checkbox"/> (1)<br>[If 1 or more boxes are checked, check this box] |
| b) Has human exposure to contaminants (or the potential for exposure) been identified which represents a significant health risk as determined by DOH?..... | <input type="checkbox"/> |  |
| c) Has bioaccumulation of site contaminants in flora or fauna resulted in a health advisory?.....   | <input type="checkbox"/> |  |
| d) Are site contaminants present at levels that are acutely toxic to fish or wildlife or that have caused documented fish or more wildlife mortality?.....  | <input type="checkbox"/> |  |

- ° **Priority II** - Important Sites. Priority II will be assigned if any of the following questions can be answered affirmatively.

- |   |                                       |   |
|---|---------------------------------------|---|
| a) Has a Class A or AA surface water body or a principal aquifer been contaminated or threatened without affecting an existing water supply?.....                 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X | ] <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (2)<br>[If 1 or more boxes are checked, check this box] |
| b) Has bioaccumulation of site contaminants in flora or fauna resulted in actionable levels (but not a health advisory)?....                                      | <input type="checkbox"/>              |   |
| c) Are contaminants at levels chronically toxic to fish/wildlife?.....  | <input type="checkbox"/>              |   |
| d) Have endangered, threatened or rare species, significant habitats, designated coastal zone or regulated wetlands been impacted by releases from the site?..... | <input type="checkbox"/>              |   |

- ° **Priority III** - will be assigned unless one or more of the site prioritization criteria, specified above, apply to a site. After remedial needs for Priority I and II sites have been accommodated, remediation of sites under this category can be considered. If priority III, check box 3.

☐ (3)

Enter the number of the priority box checked 1, 2, or 3 here.....  
This is the site's priority rank.

☐ 2 (4)**FACTORS**

**IJC Factor** - If the site has been identified by the International Joint Commission (IJC) as a component in a remedial action plan, subtract (1) from the value in box 4 and enter the result in box 5.....

☐ (5)

Yes No

**EDZ Factor** - If the site is within a New York State designated Economic Development Zone (EDZ) should this fact cause the site priority to be raised?..

☐ ☐

**Community Support Factor** - If the site has been targeted for local government-supported development by a developer willing to sign a consent order with DEC finance investigation and remediation should this fact cause the site priority to be raised?.....

Yes No

☐ ☐

If either "yes" box is checked, subtract 1 from the value in box 4 and enter the result into box 6. If "no" is checked, the value in box 6 equals box 4 (or box 5 if applicable). If both IJC and EDZ/Community Support factors apply, only 1 (not 2) will be subtracted from the value in box 4. The resultant value in box 6 will never be less than 1.....

☐ 2 (6)

Yes No

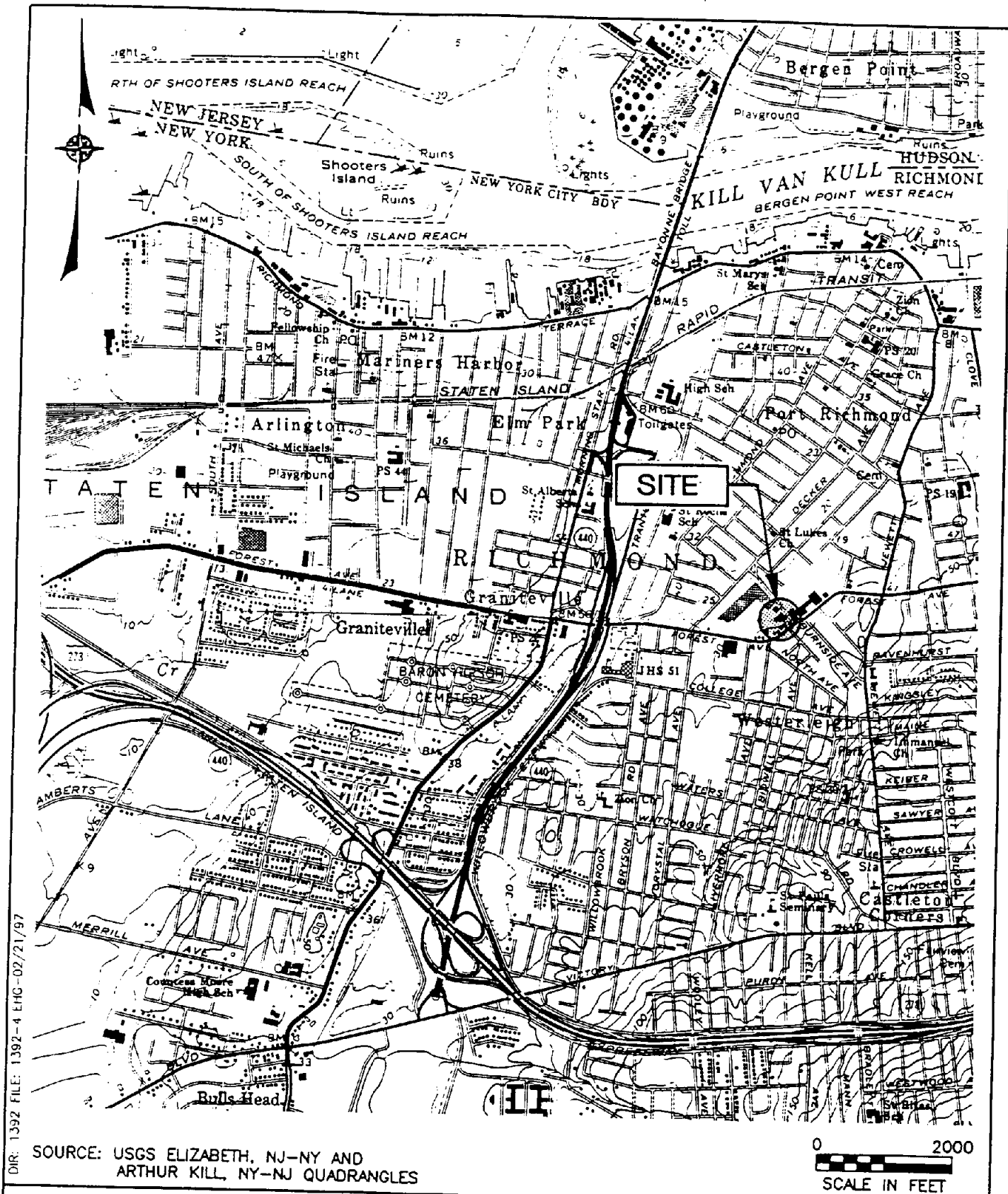
**IRM NOTE:** Should this site be considered a candidate for an Interim Remedial Measure (IRM) as defined by 6NYCRR Part 375-1.3n?.....

☐ ☒ X

If "yes", please explain why:

Signature: David K. Harrington  
Preparer: David K. Harrington

Date: June 20, 1997  
Title: Environmental Engineer 1



CARLTON CLEANERS SITE  
24 BARRETT AVENUE  
STATEN ISLAND, N.Y.

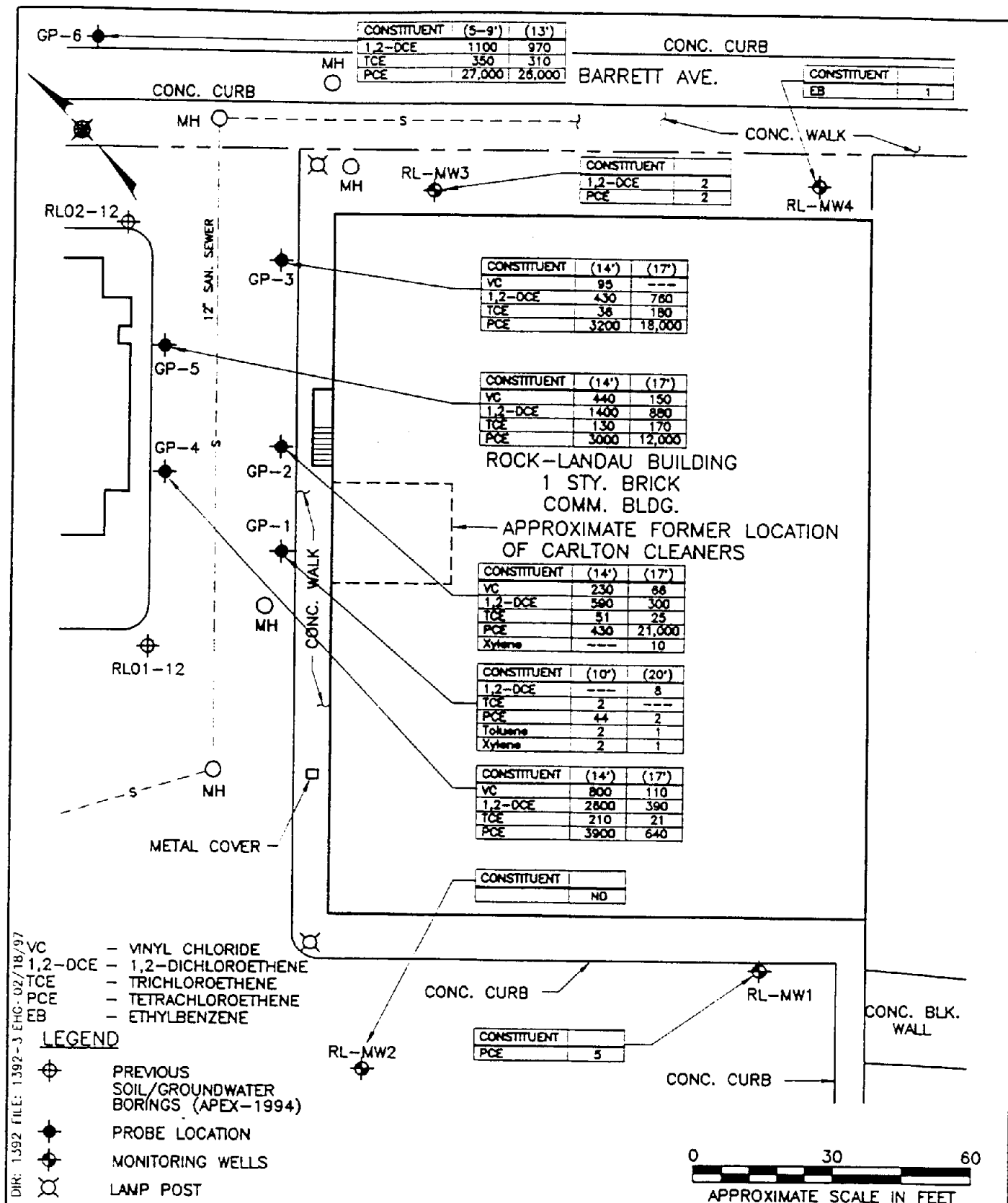
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W74°08'13"

# SITE LOCATION MAP



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FIGURE 1



CARLTON CLEANERS SITE  
24 BARRETT AVENUE  
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# PRELIMINARY SITE ASSESSMENT GROUNDWATER SAMPLING RESULTS (in ug/l)

FIGURE 3

TABLE 1  
CARLTON CLEANERS SITE  
PRELIMINARY SITE ASSESSMENT  
MONITORING WELL SAMPLING RESULTS  
VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS

SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION	MW-1	MW-2	MW-3	MW-4	TB-1	NYSDEC CLASS GA GROUNDWATER STANDARDS/ GUIDANCE VALUES (ug/l)
DATE OF COLLECTION	10/30/96	10/30/96	10/30/96	10/30/96	10/29/96	
DILUTION FACTOR	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	
UNITS	ug/l	ug/l	ug/l	ug/l	ug/l	
Chloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Bromomethane	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Vinyl Chloride	U	U	U	U	U	2 ST
Chloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Methylene Chloride	U	1 J	U	U	2 J	5 ST
Acetone	U	2 J	U	U	U	50 GV
Carbon Disulfide	U	U	U	U	U	---
1,1-Dichloroethene	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
1,1-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
1,2-Dichloroethene (total)	U	U	2 J	U	U	7 ST
Chloroform	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
1,2-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	50 GV
2-Butanone	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Carbon Tetrachloride	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Bromodichloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	50 GV
1,2-Dichloropropane	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
cis-1,3-Dichloropropene	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Trichloroethene	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Dibromochloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	50 GV
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Benzene	U	U	U	U	U	0.7 ST
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Bromoform	U	U	U	U	U	50 GV
4-Methyl-2-Pentanone	U	U	U	U	U	---
2-Hexanone	U	U	2 J	U	U	50 GV
Tetrachloroethene	5 J	U	U	U	U	5 ST
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Toluene	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Chlorobenzene	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Ethylbenzene	U	U	U	1 J	U	5 ST
Styrene	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Xylene (total)	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST*
Vinyl Acetate	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST

QUALIFIERS

U: Compound analyzed for but not detected

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B: Compound found in the method blank as well as the sample



TABLE 2  
CARLTON CLEANERS SITE  
PRELIMINARY SITE ASSESSMENT  
GEOPROBE GROUNDWATER SAMPLING RESULTS  
VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS

SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION	GP-1 10'	GP-1 20'	GP-2 14'	GP-2 17'	GP-3 14'	GP-3 17'	NYSDEC CLASS GA GROUNDWATER STANDARDS/ GUIDANCE VALUES (ppb)
DEPTH OF SAMPLE	10'	20'	14'	17'	14'	17'	
DATE OF COLLECTION	10/29/96	10/29/96	10/29/96	10/30/96	10/30/96	10/30/96	
DILUTION FACTOR	1.0	1.0	5.0	10.0	5.0	10.0	
UNITS	ug/l	ug/l	ug/l	ug/l	ug/l	ug/l	
Chloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Bromomethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Vinyl Chloride	U	U	230	66 J	95	U	2 ST
Chloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Methylene Chloride	U	U	U	14 J	U	U	5 ST
Acetone	U	U	U	U	U	U	50 GV
Carbon Disulfide	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
1,1-Dichloroethene	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
1,1-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
1,2-Dichloroethene (total)	U	U	U	U	U	U	7 ST
Chloroform	U	8 J	590	300	430	760	50 GV
1,2-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
2-Butanone	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	50 GV
Carbon Tetrachloride	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Bromodichloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
1,2-Dichloropropane	U	U	U	U	U	U	50 GV
cis-1,3-Dichloropropene	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Trichloroethene	2 J	U	51	25 J	36 J	180	5 ST
Dibromochloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	50 GV
Benzene	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	U	U	U	U	U	U	0.7 ST
Bromoform	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
4-Methyl-2-Pentanone	U	U	U	U	U	U	50 GV
2-Hexanone	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
Tetrachloroethene	44	2 J	430	21000 D1	3200 D2	18000 D3	50 GV
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Toluene	2 J	1 J	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Chlorobenzene	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Ethylbenzene	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Styrene	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Xylene (total)	2 J	1 J	U	10 J	U	U	5 ST*
Vinyl Acetate	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST

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D1: Sample diluted to a factor of 200.  
D2: Sample diluted to a factor of 20.  
D3: Sample diluted to a factor of 100.

NOTES

Concentration exceeds NYSDEC Class GA  
Groundwater Standards/Guidance Value

TABLE 2  
CARLTON CLEANERS SITE  
PRELIMINARY SITE ASSESSMENT  
GEOPROBE GROUNDWATER SAMPLING RESULTS  
VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS

SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION	GP-4 14'	GP-4 17'	GP-5 14'	GP-5 17'	GP-6 13'	GP-6 7'	NYSDEC CLASS GA GROUNDWATER STANDARDS/ GUIDANCE VALUES (ppb)
DEPTH OF SAMPLE	14'	17'	14'	17'	13'	7'	
DATE OF COLLECTION	10/29/96	10/29/96	10/30/96	10/30/96	10/30/96	10/30/96	
DILUTION FACTOR	50.0	5.0	5.0	10.0	20.0	20.0	
UNITS	ug/l	ug/l	ug/l	ug/l	ug/l	ug/l	
Chloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Bromomethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Vinyl Chloride	800	110	440	150	U	U	2 ST
Chloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Methylene Chloride	U	U	9	24	43	41	5 ST
Acetone	U	U	U	U	U	U	50 GV
Carbon Disulfide	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
1,1-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
1,1-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
1,2-Dichloroethane (total)	U	U	U	U	U	U	7 ST
Chloroform	2600	390	1400	880	970	1100	5 ST
1,2-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
2-Butanone	U	U	U	U	U	U	50 GV
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Carbon Tetrachloride	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Bromodichloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
1,2-Dichloropropane	U	U	U	U	U	U	50 GV
cis-1,3-Dichloropropene	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Trichloroethene	210	21	130	170	310	350	5 ST
Dibromochloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	50 GV
Benzene	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	U	U	U	U	U	U	0.7 ST
Bromoform	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
4-Methyl-2-Pentanone	U	U	U	U	U	U	50 GV
2-Hexanone	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
Tetrachloroethene	3900	640	3000	12000	26000	27000	50 GV
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Toluene	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Chlorobenzene	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Ethylbenzene	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Styrene	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST
Xylene (total)	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST*
Vinyl Acetate	U	U	U	U	U	U	5 ST

#### QUALIFIERS

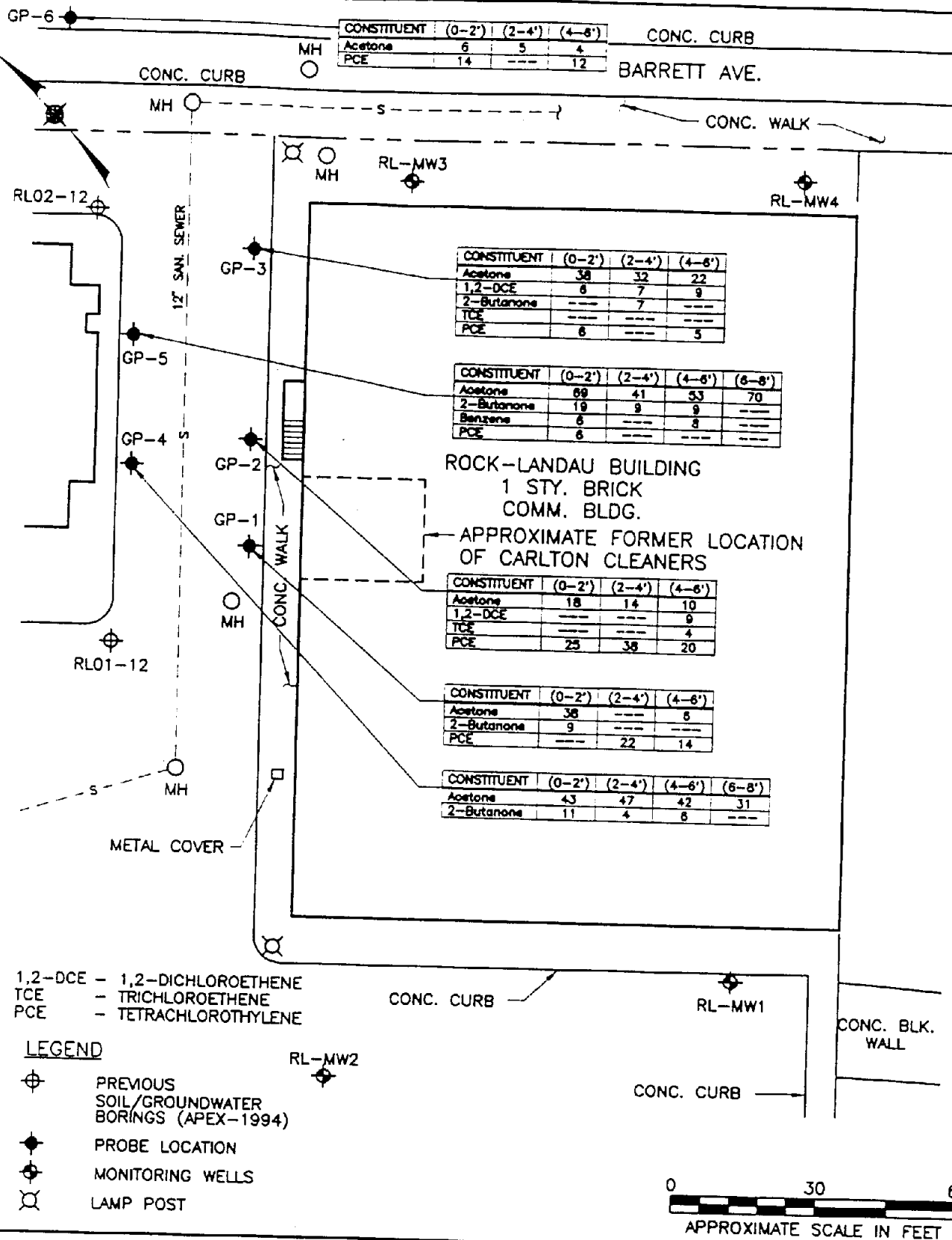
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#### NOTES

D1: Sample diluted to a factor of 200.  
D4: Sample diluted to a factor of 25.  
D5: Sample diluted to a factor of 250.

Concentration exceeds NYSDEC Class GA  
Groundwater Standards/Guidance Value

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CARLTON CLEANERS SITE  
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# PRELIMINARY SITE ASSESSMENT SOIL SAMPLING RESULTS (in ug/kg)



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FIGURE 4

TABLE 3  
CARLTON CLEANERS SITE  
PRELIMINARY SITE ASSESSMENT  
GEOPROBE SOIL SAMPLING RESULTS  
VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS

SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION	GP-1 0'-2'	GP-1 2'-4'	GP-1 4'-6'	GP-2 0'-2'	GP-2 2'-4'	NYSDEC RECOMMENDED SOIL CLEANUP OBJECTIVES (ug/kg)
DATE OF COLLECTION	10/29/96	10/29/96	10/29/96	10/29/96	10/29/96	
DILUTION FACTOR	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	
PERCENT SOLIDS	87	85	82	93	91	
UNITS	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	
Chloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	---
Bromomethane	U	U	U	U	U	---
Vinyl Chloride	U	U	U	U	U	200
Chloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	1900
Methylene Chloride	U	U	U	U	U	100
Acetone	38	U	4	18	14	200
Carbon Disulfide	U	U	6	U	U	2700
1,1-Dichloroethene	U	U	U	U	U	400
1,1-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	200
1,2-Dichloroethene (total)	U	U	U	U	U	300
Chloroform	U	U	U	U	U	300
1,2-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	100
2-Butanone	9	U	U	U	U	300
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	800
Carbon Tetrachloride	U	U	U	U	U	600
Bromodichloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	---
1,2-Dichloropropane	U	U	U	U	U	---
cis-1,3-Dichloropropene	U	U	U	U	U	---
Trichloroethene	U	U	U	U	U	---
Dibromochloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	700
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	---
Benzene	U	U	U	U	U	60
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	U	U	U	U	U	---
Bromoform	U	U	U	U	U	---
4-Methyl-2-Pentanone	U	U	U	U	U	1000
2-Hexanone	U	U	U	U	U	---
Tetrachloroethene	U	22	14	25	38	1400
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	600
Toluene	U	U	U	U	U	1500
Chlorobenzene	U	U	U	U	U	1700
Ethylbenzene	U	U	U	U	U	5500
Styrene	U	U	U	U	U	---
Xylene (total)	U	U	U	U	U	1200
Vinyl Acetate	U	U	U	U	U	---

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SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION	GP-2	GP-3	GP-3	GP-3	GP-3	GP-3	GP-4	NYSDEC RECOMMENDED SOIL CLEANUP OBJECTIVES
DEPTH OF SAMPLE	4'-6"	0'-2"	2'-4"	4'-6"	0'-2"	0'-2"		
DATE OF COLLECTION	10/29/96	10/30/96	10/30/96	10/30/96	10/30/96	10/29/96		
DILUTION FACTOR	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0		
PERCENT SOLIDS	82	85	87	81	88			
UNITS	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)		(ug/kg)
Chloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
Bromomethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
Vinyl Chloride	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	200
Chloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	1900
Methylene Chloride	6	U	4	4	J	U	U	100
Acetone	10	38	32	22	43	43	43	200
Carbon Disulfide	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	2700
1,1-Dichloroethene	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	400
1,1,1-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	200
1,2-Dichloroethene (total)	9	6	7	9	J	J	J	300
Chloroform	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	300
1,2-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	100
2-Butanone	U	U	7	U	11	11	11	300
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	800
Carbon Tetrachloride	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	800
Bromodichloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
1,2-Dichloropropane	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
cis-1,3-Dichloropropene	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
Trichloroethene	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	700
Dibromochloromethane	4	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
Benzene	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	60
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
Bromoform	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
4-Methyl-2-Pentanone	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	1000
2-Hexanone	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
Tetrachloroethene	20	6	U	5	J	U	U	1400
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	600
Toluene	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	1500
Chlorobenzene	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	1700
Ethylbenzene	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	5500
Styrene	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	---
Xylene (total)	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	1200
Vinyl Acetate	U	U	U	U	U	U	U	---

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SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION	GP-4 2'-4' 10/29/96	GP-4 4'-6' 10/29/96	GP-4 6'-8' 10/29/96	GP-5 0'-2' 10/29/96	GP-5 2'-4' 10/30/96	NYSDEC RECOMMENDED SOIL CLEANUP OBJECTIVES (ug/kg)
DEPTH OF SAMPLE						
DATE OF COLLECTION						
DILUTION FACTOR	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	
PERCENT SOLIDS	83	74	83	85	85	
UNITS	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	
Chloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	---
Bromomethane	U	U	U	U	U	---
Vinyl Chloride	U	U	U	U	U	200
Chloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	1900
Methylene Chloride	5	6	5	6	41	100
Acetone	47	42	31	69		200
Carbon Disulfide	U	U	U	U	U	2700
1,1-Dichloroethene	U	U	U	U	U	400
1,1-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	200
1,2-Dichloroethene (total)	U	U	U	U	U	300
Chloroform	U	U	U	U	U	300
1,2-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	100
2-Butanone	4	6		19	9	300
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	800
Carbon Tetrachloride	U	U	U	U	U	600
Bromodichloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	---
1,2-Dichloropropane	U	U	U	U	U	---
cis-1,3-Dichloropropene	U	U	U	U	U	---
Trichloroethene	U	U	U	U	U	---
Dibromochloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	700
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	---
Benzene	U	U	U	U	U	60
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	U	U	U	6	U	---
Bromoform	U	U	U	U	U	---
4-Methyl-2-Pentanone	U	U	U	U	U	1000
2-Hexanone	U	U	U	U	U	---
Tetrachloroethene	U	U	U	6	U	1400
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	600
Toluene	U	U	U	U	U	1500
Chlorobenzene	U	U	U	U	U	1700
Ethylbenzene	U	U	U	U	U	5500
Styrene	U	U	U	U	U	---
Xylene (total)	U	U	U	U	U	1200
Vinyl Acetate	U	U	U	U	U	---

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DEPTH OF SAMPLE						
DATE OF COLLECTION						
DILUTION FACTOR	1.0	5.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	
PERCENT SOLIDS	81	88	84	87	80	
UNITS	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	(ug/kg)	
Chloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	—
Bromomethane	U	U	U	U	U	—
Vinyl Chloride	U	U	U	U	U	200
Chloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	1900
Methylene Chloride	4 J	U	4	4	6	100
Acetone	53	70	6	5	4	200
Carbon Disulfide	U	U	U	U	U	2700
1,1-Dichloroethene	U	U	U	U	U	400
1,1,1-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	200
1,2-Dichloroethene (total)	U	U	U	U	U	300
Chloroform	U	U	U	U	U	300
1,2-Dichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	100
2-Butanone	9	U	U	U	U	300
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	800
Carbon Tetrachloride	U	U	U	U	U	600
Bromodichloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	—
1,2-Dichloropropane	U	U	U	U	U	—
cis-1,3-Dichloropropene	U	U	U	U	U	—
Trichloroethene	U	U	U	U	U	700
Dibromochloromethane	U	U	U	U	U	—
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	U	U	U	U	U	—
Benzene	8	U	U	U	U	60
Isane-1,3-Dichloropropene	U	U	U	U	U	—
Bromoform	U	U	U	U	U	—
4-Methyl-2-Pentanone	U	U	U	U	U	1000
2-Hexanone	U	U	U	U	U	—
Tetrachloroethene	U	U	U	U	U	1400
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	U	U	U	U	12	600
Toluene	U	U	U	U	U	1500
Chlorobenzene	U	U	U	U	U	1700
Ethylbenzene	U	U	U	U	U	5500
Styrene	U	U	U	U	U	—
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Weyre — BP  
# 243019

From: Vadim Brevdo  
To: NYSDEC0.Remediat.dkharrin  
Date: 8/27/97 5:13pm  
Subject: ~~REDACTED~~ Staten Island

Dave,

Following today's telephone conversation with Robert Marino and you, below is the mailing address to be used for Carlton Cleaners.

Forest Avenue Shopping Associates  
c/o Philips International Holding Company  
417 5th Ave.  
New York, NY 10016  
Attn: Diana Marrone

Attorney for the Forest Avenue Shopping Associates is Scott Furman, Tel. (718) 793-1830

P.S. Rich and I intend to have a conference call with you and Robert Marino tomorrow, 8/28/97, to discuss the situation with the client's claimed sampling data on Carlton Cleaners, and how to proceed.

8/28/97

Boe,

PLEASE NOTE THE ABOVE-MENTIONED ADDRESS FOR THE TEMPORARILY HOLD "SITE NOTIFICATION LETTER." PLEASE ALSO NOTE THE REGION'S DESIRE FOR FURTHER DISCUSSION ON THIS SITE AS IT PERTAINS TO THE PRP'S ALLEGED PROOF OF INNOCENCE.

DAVE



**From:** Robert Marino  
**To:** wrbayer  
**Date:** 10/14/97 4:59pm  
**Subject:** Carlton Cleaners #243019

Wayne...

\ Please remove the hold on this site and resume circulating the Class 2 package, per Dave Harrington. The additional sampling data promised has been received, and does not change our original recommendation to classify the site as a "2".

**CC:** dkharrin

*A. Sylvester*



John P. Cahill  
Commissioner

DEC - 8 1997

City of New York  
City Clerk  
City Hall  
New York, NY 10007

Dear Sir/Madam:

The Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) maintains a Registry of sites where hazardous waste disposal has occurred. Property located at 24 Barrett Avenue in the City of New York and County of Richmond and designated as Tax Map Number 1053-138 was recently added as a Class 2 in the Registry. The name and site I.D. number of this property as listed in the Registry is Carlton Cleaners, Site #243019.

The Classification Code 2 means that a significant threat to the public health or environment exists --- action required.

We are sending this letter to you and others who own property near the site listed above, as well as the county and town clerks. We are notifying you about these activities at this site because we believe it is important to keep you informed.

**If you currently are renting or leasing your property to someone else, please share this information with them. If you no longer own the property to which this letter was sent, please provide this information to the new owner and provide this office with the name and address of the new owner so that we can correct our records.**

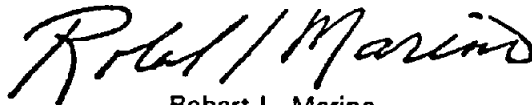
The reason for this recent classification decision is as follows:

- Past site operations have contaminated the underlying groundwater with significant levels of tetrachloroethene. This groundwater is contained within/adjacent to a principal aquifer. Therefore, this site poses a significant threat to public health and the environment. The source of the municipal water supply which serves this area is located North of New York City and is not affected by this contamination.

If you would like additional information about this site or the inactive hazardous waste site remedial program, call:

DEC's Inactive Hazardous Waste Site Toll-Free Information Number 1-800-342-9296 or  
New York State Health Department's Health Liaison Program (HeLP) 1-800-458-1158,  
ext. 402.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert L. Marino". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Robert" and last name "Marino" clearly distinguishable.

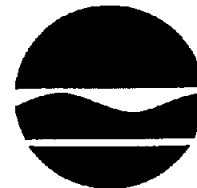
Robert L. Marino  
Chief  
Site Control Section  
Bureau of Hazardous Site Control  
Division of Environmental Remediation

bcc: R. Marino  
J. Swartwout  
W. Hewitt, R/2  
R. Gardineer, R/2  
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AS/srh

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation  
50 Wolf Road, Albany, New York 12233-7010

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John P. Cahill  
Commissioner

**CERTIFIED MAIL**  
**RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Ms. Diana Marrone  
Forest Ave. Shopping Associates  
c/o Philips International Holding Co.  
417 5th Avenue  
New York, NY 10016

Dear Ms. Marrone:

As mandated by Section 27-1305 of the Environmental Conservation Law (ECL), copy enclosed, the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) must maintain a registry of all inactive disposal sites suspected or known to contain hazardous wastes. The ECL also mandates that this Department notify, by certified mail, the owner of all or any part of each site or area included in the Registry of Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Sites.

Our records indicate that you represent the owner or part owner of the site listed below. Therefore, this letter constitutes notification of the inclusion of such site in the Registry of Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Sites in New York State.


DEC Site No.: 243019  
Site Name: Carlton Cleaners  
Site Address: 24 Barrett Avenue, Staten Island, NY 10301  
Site Classification: 2

Enclosed is a copy of the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, Division of Environmental Remediation, Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Site Report form as it appears in the Registry and Annual Report, and an explanation of the site classifications. The Law allows the owner and/or operator of a site listed in the Registry to petition the Commissioner of the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation for deletion of such site, modification of site classification, or modification of any information regarding such site, by submitting a written statement setting forth the grounds of the petition. Such petition may be addressed to:

Mr. John P. Cahill  
Commissioner  
New York State Department of Environmental Conservation  
50 Wolf Road  
Albany, New York 12233-1010

For additional information, please contact me at (518) 457-0747.

Sincerely,



Robert L. Marino

Chief

Site Control Section

Bureau of Hazardous Site Control

Division of Environmental Remediation

Enclosures

bcc: w/o Enc.

E. Barcomb

R. Marino

J. Swartwout

A. Sylvester

w/Enc. (Copy of Site Report form only)

A. Grant

G. Anders Carlson, NYSDOH

J. Sama

P. Gallay, R/2

R. Gardineer, R/2

S. Ervolina

AS/srh

NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION  
DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION  
INACTIVE HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSAL REPORT

11/12/97

CLASSIFICATION CODE: 2 REGION: 2 SITE CODE: 243019  
EPA ID:

NAME OF SITE : Carlton Cleaners  
STREET ADDRESS: 24 Barrett Avenue  
TOWN/CITY: Staten Island COUNTY: Richmond ZIP: 10301

SITE TYPE: Open Dump- Structure-X Lagoon- Landfill- Treatment Pond-  
ESTIMATED SIZE: 0.4 Acres

SITE OWNER/OPERATOR INFORMATION:

CURRENT OWNER NAME....: Forest Ave. Shopping Associates c/o  
CURRENT OWNER ADDRESS.: 417 5th. Ave., New York, NY  
OWNER(S) DURING USE...:  
OPERATOR DURING USE...: Carlton Cleaners  
OPERATOR ADDRESS.....: 24 Barette Ave, Staten Island, NY  
PERIOD ASSOCIATED WITH HAZARDOUS WASTE: From unknown To 1994

SITE DESCRIPTION:

The site is located within an 18,300 square foot masonry building that is situated at the eastern end of the Forest Avenue Shopping Center. The building is surrounded by sidewalks and parking lots, with the northeastern wall of the structure facing Barrett Avenue. This building was occupied by Carlton Cleaners which provided dry-cleaning services to the public along with other small retailers prior to 1994. Carlton Cleaners had occupied approximately 200 square feet of space along the center of the north west wall of the building across from the Nathan's Restaurant. The building has since been remodeled, and is presently occupied by a retailer of craft supplies.

A 1994 soil and groundwater investigation of the Forrest Avenue Shopping Center revealed tetrachloroethene (PCE), trichloroethene (TCE) and 1,2 dichloroethene (DCE) contamination in the immediate proximity of Carlton Cleaners and nearby Paul Miller Cleaners (NYSDEC Site ID # 243018). Based on this report, NYSDEC determined that further investigations were warranted to determine the source and extent of the contamination.

A Preliminary Site Assessment (PSA) was conducted by the NYSDEC in the fall of 1996. This PSA found high levels of PCE in groundwater immediately downgradient of the site.

HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSED:

TYPE	QUANTITY (units)
tetrachloroethene (PCE)	Unknown

SITE CODE: 243019

ANALYTICAL DATA AVAILABLE:

Air- Surface Water- Groundwater-X Soil-X Sediment-

CONTRAVENTION OF STANDARDS:

Groundwater-X Drinking Water- Surface Water- Air-

LEGAL ACTION:

TYPE...: State- Federal-  
STATUS: Negotiation in Progress- Order Signed-

REMEDIAL ACTION:

Proposed- Under design- In Progress- Completed-  
NATURE OF ACTION:

GEOTECHNICAL INFORMATION:

SOIL TYPE: sand, silt, clay beneath urban fill

GROUNDWATER DEPTH: 5 ft.

ASSESSMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS:

Past site operations have contaminated groundwater with high levels of PCE. A Remedial Investigation (RI) is required in order to determine the full extent of the contamination.

ASSESSMENT OF HEALTH PROBLEMS: