New York State Department of Environmental Conservation Division of Environmental Remediation Bureau of Technical Support

ADDITIONS/CHANGES TO REGISTRY:	SUMMARY OF APPROVALS
SITE NAME: Doetch Residence	DEC I.D. NUMBER 558012
Current Classification5	Volunteer Yes No No Sign (7) below
Activity: Add as Reclassify to D2	Delist Category Modify
Approvals:	
1. Regional Hazardous Waste Engineer Rehuby Yes	X No 2/19/04
2. BEEI of NYSDOH Steve Bates Yes	X NO 4/22/04
3. DEE Richard Dand Yes	X NO 3/17/04
4. <u>Acm Bas A</u> Remedial Action Bureau Director Yes	No 1/27/04
5. Site Control Section Helly 6. Director Helly	Allegra Date 4/30/04 1/18/anno Date 6/30/04
Completion Checklist for Registry Sites	Completed By:
OWNER NOTIFICATION LETTER?	T <u>Initials</u> <u>Date</u> T <u>U</u>
ADJACENT PROPERTY OWNER NOTIFICATION LETTER?	7/8/04
ENB / LEGAL NOTICE SENT? (For Deletion Only)	
COMMENTS SUMMARIZED / PLACE IN REPOSITORY?	
FINAL NOTIFICATION SENT TO OWNER? (For Deletion Only)	

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Flanigan Square, 547 River Street, Troy, New York 12180-2216

Antonia C. Novello, M.D., M.P.H., Dr.P.H. Commissioner Dennis P. Whalen Executive Deputy Commissioner

April 22, 2004

Ms. Kelly Bologna, Chief, Site Control Section Division of Environmental Remediation NYS Dept. of Environmental Conservation 625 Broadway, 11th Floor Albany, New York 12233-7014

Re:

Doetch Residence Site ID #558012 Argyle, Washington County

Dear Ms. Bologna:

cc:

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Staff reviewed the February 11, 2004 Package to delist the referenced site from the New York State Registry of Inactive Hazardous Waste Sites. I understand that the drums of waste and contaminated soils were removed.

Based on this review, I concur with delisting the site from the New York State Registry of Inactive Hazardous Waste Sites. The signed site Investigation Information form is enclosed. If you have any questions, please call me at (518) 402-7870.

Sincerely.

Steven M. Bates, Assistant Director Bureau of Environmental Exposure Investigation

G. Anders Carlson, PH.D.
R. Fedigan/file
A. Gabalski, GFDO
R. Wagner, DEC Region 5
C. Vasudevan, NYSDEC

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation 625 Broadway, Albany, New York 12233-7014



Commissioner

MEMORANDUM

TO:

C. Vasudevan R. Wagner D. Dana, G. Litwin, Remedial Bureau A. Regional Hazardous Waste Remediation Engineer DEE DOH, Bureau of Environmental Exposure Investigation

FROM: Kelly A. Bologna, Chief, Site Control Section,

SUBJECT: Review of Classification Package for Site # 558012

DATE: February 11, 2004

Doetsch Residence

The attached new "Registry Site Investigation Information Form" with supporting documentation is attached for your review and approval.

If acceptable, sign at the bottom of the form (Box #17) and return within 30 calendar days.

If unacceptable, please return with an explanation of your position in a separate memo or letter.

An important part of your review should include modifying, if necessary, the statement in Block 11 (Conclusion) for Classification Decision of the Investigation Form so that it can be used in all appropriate notification documentation (i.e., ENB, owner and adjacent property owner notification letter, and newspaper legal notice.

Please keep the supporting documentation for your records.

Attachment(s)

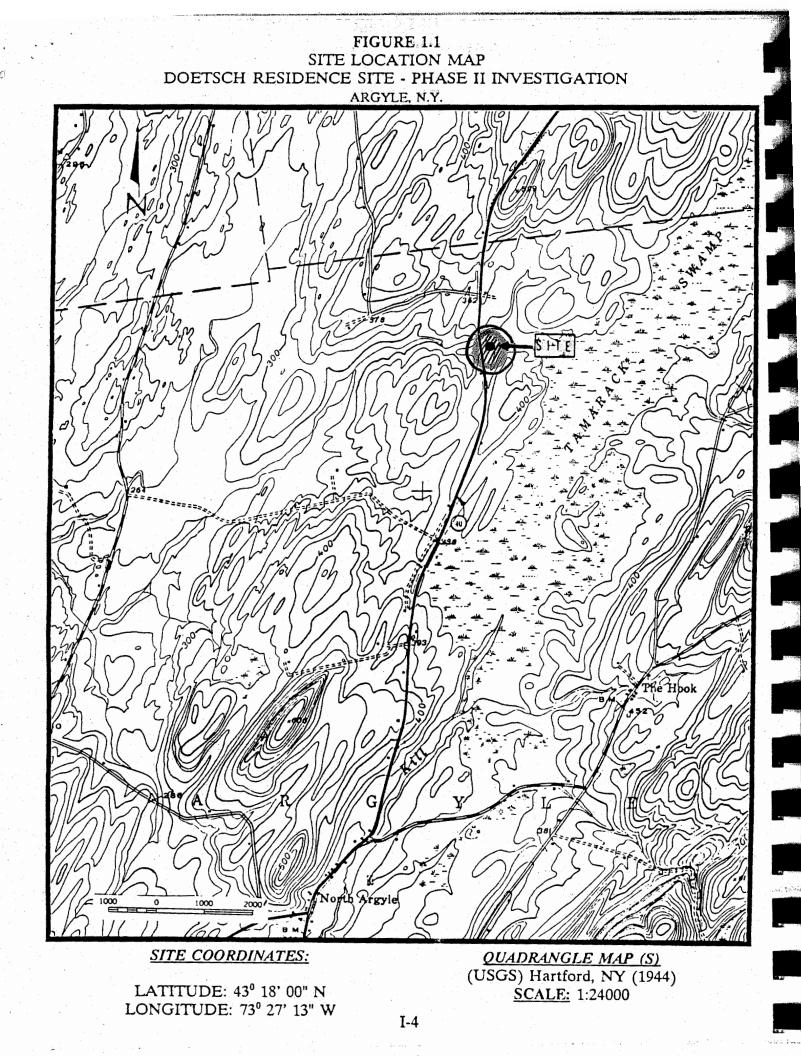


NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIATION

10/24/03

SITE INVESTIGATION INFORMATION

		·						
1. SITE NAME		2. SITE NUMBER	3. TOWN/CITY/VILLAGE	4. COUNTY				
Doetsch Residence	1	558012	Argyle	Washington				
5. REGION	6. PROGRAM TYPE							
5			If Superfund: Current _5_ Propose	d D2 Modification				
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	ch U.S.G.S. Topographic Map							
a. Quadrangle- Hartford		b. Site Latitude- 43°1	J J					
c. Tax Map Number(s)- secti			Site Street Address- Route 40, Argyle, NY 12809					
	SITE (Attach site map showin							
barrels of waste oil from Ge property for years with no p chemicals. Investigators foo leaked onto the ground surf herbicide pyrenol. Under a Contaminated soils were ren	neral Electric (GE) to use as a protection from the weather. und drums at the site in vario ace and infiltrated. Sampling cooperative agreement, GE r noved down to bedrock. GE	a wood preservative for fend In 1979 the site was investig us stages of deterioration. I of the waste oils within the emoved the drums and app also backfilled the excavate	2.5 miles north of the hamlet of Argyle. In 1965, th re posts. None of the material was ever used. The pated by DEC and DOH in response to a complaint An investigation in 1982 estimated that about 100 drums revealed low to extremely high levels of P oximately 50 cu. yds. of contaminated soil to a pe d area with clean soil and capped it with clay. In 1 ad been adequate and the site was reclassified fro	e barrels remained on the about the illegal storage of gallons of the waste oil had CBs. One drum contained the rmitted waste disposal facility. 984 the site was reclassified to				
a. Area <u>0.25</u> acres	b. Completed: () Env. Pro () Spill Response	perty Assessment (X) Site (X)Other <u>Removal A</u>	Characterization ()SI ()ESI ()IRM ()RI ()Co	onstruction ()OM&M				
9. CONTAMINANTS DISPOS	ED (Hazardous Waste, Petrol	eum, Other. Includes EPA I	lazardous Waste Numbers)					
PCBs in waste oil at levels u	p to 900,000 ppm (B003)							
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10. ANALYTICAL DATA AVA	10. ANALYTICAL DATA AVAILABLE							
a.()Air ()Groundwater ()Surface Water ()Sediment (X)Soil (X)Waste ()Leachate ()EPTox ()TCLP b. Contravention of Standards or Guidance Values								
b. Contravention of Standards or Guidance Values After the removal action, the highest PCB level found in site soils was 2.3 ppm, well below the hazardous waste threshold of 50 ppm.								
11. CONCLUSION								
This site was reclassified from 3 to 5 in July 1991 because the Phase II Investigation conducted by DEC found that GE's 1983 removal action had effectively remediated the site and no maintenance or monitoring was required. The highest PCB levels found in the soil in the vicinity of the remediated area were 2.3 ppm beneath the clay cap and 0.5 ppm at a background sampling location. No PCBs were detected in samples taken immediately surrounding the remediated area. No hazardous waste remains at the site. In 1991 sites destined for delisting from the Registry typically were placed in the Class 5 category for one year so that they would appear in one published Annual Report on the Registry as a cleaned up site. They would subsequently be delisted. The new Part 375 regulation issued in May 1992 changed this practice and thereafter the intermediate Class 5 step was eliminated for sites being delisted. This site seems to have been caught up in this policy change and was stuck with its interim Class 5 designation. The site should now be delisted since this was the intent in July 1991 and no hazardous waste remains on site.								
a. Institutional Controls (IC)	Required? ()Y (X)N b. If	yes, identify	c. Are these ICs in place	and verified? () Y ()N				
12. SITE IMPACT DATA		· ·						
a. Nearest Surface Water: D	istance - 360ft.	Direction- north	Class- U					
b. Groundwater: Depth- 100	ft.	Flow Direction- U	()Sole Source ()Primary ()Other High-Yield Aquifer					
c. Water Supply: Distance- 2	280ft.	Direction- north	Active (X)Yes ()No					
d. Nearest Building: Distanc	e- 280ft.	Direction- north	Use- residence					
e. Documented fish or wildli	fe mortality?	()Y (X)N	h. Exposed hazardous waste?	()Y (X)N				
f. Impact on special status fi	sh or wildlife resource?	(.)X (X)N	i. Site Priority Ranking SheetImpact					
g. Controlled Site Access?		()Y (X)N	Score j. EPA ID#- NYD982273401	– HRS Score				
13. SITE OWNER'S NAME		14. ADDRESS		15. TELEPHONE NUMBER				
Mr. Francis Doetsch	· · ·	RD 2, Route 40, Argyle	, NY 12809	518-638-8320				
16. PREPARER		uary 20, 2004		130/04				
Signature	Date		Signature Date					
	ection C, Remedial Bureau A		[]	5 DIRE GTOR				
Name, Title	, Organization		Name, Title, Organization					



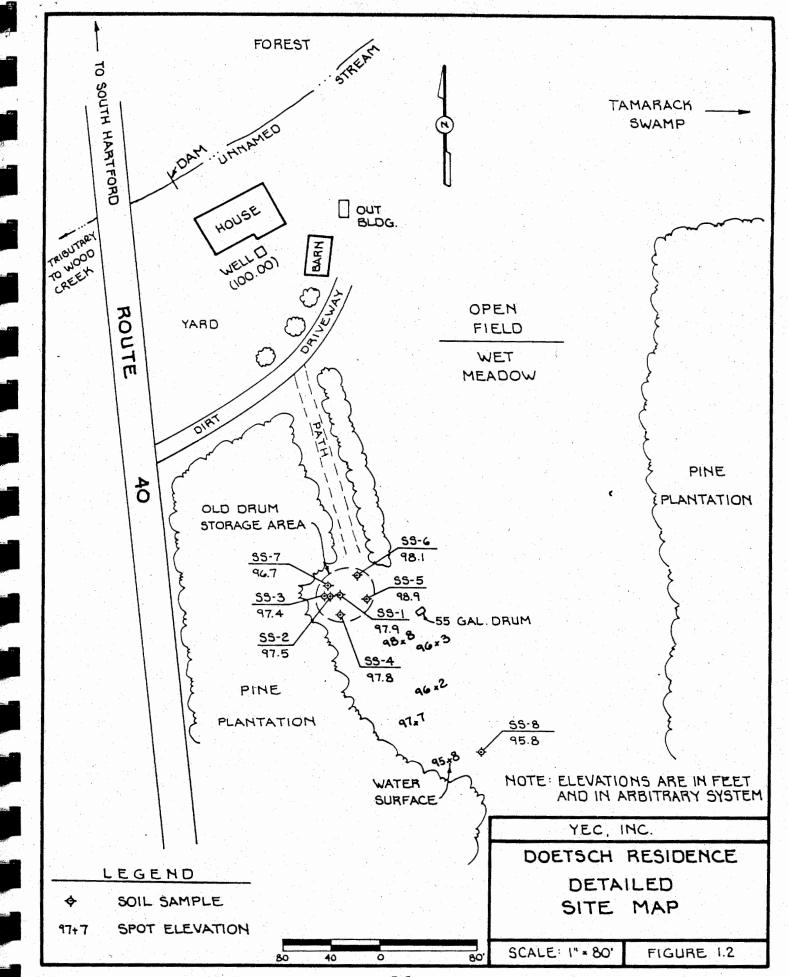


TABLE 4.1

ANALYTICAL RESULTS TAL INORGANICS SOILS SSDR-1 THROUGH SSDR-4 (mg/Kg)

CAS NO.	ANALYTE	SSDR-1	SSDR-2	SSDR-3	SSDR-4	TYPICAL RANGE OF CONCENTRATIONS (1) (mg/Kg)
7429-90-5	Aluminum	16,200	21,300	40,200	12,700	10,000-300,000
7440-38-2	Arsenic	5.0	10.6	4.1	4.5	1.0-40
7440-39-3	Barium	99.1	131	222	61.2	100-3,500
7440-41-7	Beryllium	1.1 B	0.77 B	1.5	0.68 B	0.1-40
7440-43-9	Cadmium	3.6	3.7	7.0	2.7	0.01-7.0
7440-70-2	Calcium	33,100	3,500	9,180	630 B	100-400,000
7440-47-3	Chromium	18.3	25.3	43.1	14.5	5.0-3,000
7440-48-4	Cobalt	15.8	15.8	28.3	12.0	1.0-40
7440-50-8	Copper	39.5	38.9	59.9	27.8	2.0-100
7439-89-6	Iron	26,000	26,000	48,700	19,500	7,000-550,000
7439-92-1	Lead	23.0	33.9	13.5	13.1	2.0-200
7439-95-4	Magnesium	9,340	5,290	10,000	3,480	600-6,000
7439-96-5	Manganese	756	577	1,420	618	100-4,000
7440-02-0	Nickel	30.8	46.7	102	46.3	5.0-1,000
7440-09-7	Potassium	3,630	3,580	5,303	2,000	400-30,000
7440-28-0	Thallium	0.62 B	0.87 B	0.65 B	0.80 B	0.1-12.0
7440-62-2	Vanadium	24.9	33.7	59.4	19.1	20-500
7440-66-6	Zinc	87.5	128	164	102	10-300
7440-23-5	Sodium		1	215 B	I	750-7,500

 Dragun, James., "The Soil Chemistry of Hazardous Materials," Hazardous Materials Control Research Institute, 1988, p.77.

B Entered if the reported value is less than the Contract Required Detection Limit (CRDL) but greater than the Instrument Detection Limit (IDL). -many

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	TYPICAL RANGE OF CONCENTRATIONS (1) (mg/Kg)	10,000-300,000	1.0-40	100-3,500	0.1-40	0.01-7.0	100-400,000	5.0-3,000	1.0-40	2.0-100	7,000-550,000	2.0-200	600-6,000	100-4,000	5.0-1,000	400-30,000	0.1-12.0	20-500	10-300	750-7,500		
SULTS ICS SSDR-8	SSDR-8	39,300	5.4	254	1.4 B	5.1	3,260	43.6	24.8	34.8	35,900	32.6	7,430	1,300	56.6	6,240	1.1 B	53.3	113	301 B	Materials," , p.77.	ract
TABLE 4.2 ANALYTICAL RESULTS TAL INORGANICS SOILS DR-5 THROUGH SSDR- (mg/Kg)	SSDR-7	39,100	8.7	285	2.0	5.0	26,800	41.2	23.4	41.7	38,300	15.2	9,840	888	49.5	6,010	0.82 B	56.1	105	436 B	rdous 1988	e Con
ANAL TA SSDR-5	SSDR-6	21,700	13.7	122	0.94 B	4.6	2,450	24.8	22.6	47.5	31,200	25.5	5,870	781	62.2	3,880	0.78 B	35 2	98.0	1	Chemistry of Haza esearch Institute,	less than the
	SSDR-5	17,000	5.5	96.0	0.76 B	3.4	690 B	21.9	15.4	33.5	26,200	12.4	4,970	624	39.9	2,600	0.58 B	28.9	73.1	1	Soil Soil	00
	ANALYTE	Aluminum	Arsenic	Barium	Beryllium	Cadmium	Calcium	Chromium	Cobalt	Copper	Iron	Lead	Magnesium	Manganese	Nickel	Potassium	Thallium	Vanadium	Zinc	Sodium	<pre>(1) Dragun, James., "The Hazardous Materials Contr</pre>	
	CAS NO.	7429-90-5	7440-38-2	7440-39-3	7440-41-7	7440-43-9	7440-70-2	7440-47-3	7440-48-4	7440-50-8	7439-89-6	7439-92-1	7439-95-4	7439-96-5	7440-02-0	7440-09-7	7440-28-0	7440-62-2	7440-66-6	7440-23-5	(1) Dr Hazard	B B Ente

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Table 4.3

ANALYTICAL RESULTS ORGANICS, PESTICIDES/PCBS SOILS (ug/Kg)

75-09-2Methylene Chloride5 JB-45<	CAS NO.	COMPOUND	SSDR-1	SSDR-2	SSDR-3	SSDR-4	SSDR~5	SSDR-6	SSDR-7	SSDR-8
Acetone 2 JB 7 JB 4 JB 2 1,1,1-Trichloroethane 1 JB - 2 J - <	75-09-2	Methylene Chloride	5 JB	I	45	I.	I	•	T	I
1,1.1-Trichloroethane 1 JB - 2 J -	67-64-1	Acetone	2 JB	7 JB	4 JB	2 JB	2 JB	2 JB	2 JB	2 JB
Trichloroethene $3 J$ $ -$ <th< td=""><td>71-55-6</td><td>1,1,1-Trichloroethane</td><td>1 JB</td><td>· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·</td><td>2 J</td><td>1</td><td>1</td><td>I</td><td>1</td><td>• 1</td></th<>	71-55-6	1,1,1-Trichloroethane	1 JB	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	2 J	1	1	I	1	• 1
2-Butanone - 1 J - <t< td=""><td>79-01-6</td><td>Trichloroethene</td><td>л С</td><td>ŀ</td><td>•</td><td></td><td>1</td><td></td><td>. 1</td><td>I</td></t<>	79-01-6	Trichloroethene	л С	ŀ	•		1		. 1	I
7 Chlorobenzene - 24 -	78-93-3	2-Butanone	1	1 J	I 	1 1	, 1 - <u>1</u>	1	1 1 2 2	
<pre>7 bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate 82 J 41 J 80 J 130 J 240 J 3 Dimethylphthalate - 43 J 50 J 77 J 75 J 7 Diethylphthalate - 43 J 50 J 370 J 360 J 7 1,4-Dichlorobenzene - 69 J</pre>	108-90-7	Chlorobenzene		24	1	, I	1	1		1
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J Indicates an estimated value. This flag is used when the mass spectral data indicate the presence of a compound that meets the identification criteria but the result is less than the sample quantitation limit but greater than zero.

This flag is used when the analyte is found in the associated blank as well as in the sample. It indicates possible/probable blank contamination. m

6 NYCRR - 50,000 ug/Kg. Part 371 Regulations Relating to Identification and Listing of Hazardous Wastes, Title 6 of the Official Compliation of Codes, Rules, and Regulations, revised July 1, 1986.

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For your easy reference Inhave tabulated the sample results below:

	SAHPLE	EARREL #	RESULTS TOT	AL PC3 (PPM)
1	Composite	I, 2, 3		35
2	Composite	4, 5, 6		45
3	Composite	7, 2, 9		
4	Composite	10, 11, 12		
5	Composite	13, 14, 15, 16		260 ¥
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7		18	د 90	* 000
8		19	1.20	0,000
9		20		28
10		21		30
11		22		30

Ray E. Cowen, III, P.E. PCB Projects Engineer

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REC:isb Attachments

cc: Charlie Goddard, w/att. John Rankin, w/att. Brian Fear, w/att.

NEW YORK STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION Division of Environmental Remediation

Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Report

Site Name:	Doetsch Resi	dence		· ·		Site Code:	558012
Class Code:	D2 F	Region: 5	County:	Washing	ton	EPA Id:	NYD982273401
Address:	Route 40 /	Argyle, NY 12809					
, Latitude:	43° 18' 2"	Longitude: 73	° 26' 58"				
Site Type:	Dump		Estin	nated Size:	0.25 Acres		
Site Owner / 0	Operator Inform	ation:					· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Current Own	er(s) Name:	Francis Doetsch					
Current Own	er(s) Address:	RD 2 Route 40 /	Argyle, NY 12	2809		•	
Owner(s)	during disposal:	Francis and Alice	Doetsch				
Operator(s)	during disposal:	Francis Doetsch					
Stated Opera	tor(s) Address:	RD 2 Route 40 /	Argyle, NY 1	2809			•
Hazardous W	aste Disposal I	Period: From: 196	5 To: 1983				

Site Description:

In 1965, the property owner purchased 27 barrels of waste oil from General Electric (GE) to use as a wood preservative for fence posts. None of the material was ever used. The barrels remained, unprotected, on the property for years. In 1979, investigators found drums at the site in various stages of deterioration. An investigation in 1982 estimated that about 100 gallons of the waste oil had leaked onto the ground surface and infiltrated. Sampling of the waste oils within the drums revealed low to extremely high concentrations of PCBs. One drum contained the herbicide pyrenol. Under a cooperative agreement, GE removed the drums and approximately 50 cubic yards of contaminated soil to a permitted waste disposal facility. GE also backfilled the excavated area with clean soil and capped it with clay. Subsequent environmental investigations revealed residual PCB contamination in the soils at the site at depths greater than five feet below the surface. The levels of the PCB contamination were less than 50 ppm, the hazardous waste threshold. It was also determined that further investigation was not warranted. This site was reclassified from 3 to 5 in July 1991 because the Phase II Investigation conducted by DEC found that GE's 1983 removal action had effectively remediated the site and no maintenance or monitoring was required. The highest PCB levels found in the soil in the vicinity of the remediated area were 2.3 ppm beneath the clay cap and 0.5 ppm at a background sampling location. No PCBs were detected in samples taken immediately surrounding the remediated area. In 1991 sites destined for delisting from the Registry typically were placed in the Class 5 category for one year so that they would appear in one published Annual Report on the Registry as a cleaned up site. They would subsequently be delisted. The new Part 375 regulation issued in May 1992 changed this practice and thereafter the intermediate Class 5 step was eliminated for sites being delisted. This site seems to have been caught up in this policy change and was stuck with its interim Class 5 designation. The site will now be delisted since this was the intent in July 1991.

Confirmed Hazardous Waste Disposal: PCB contaminated Oil (B007) Quantity: 100 gallons (approx)

Analytical Data Available for: Soil Applicable Standards Exceeded in:	
Geotechnical Information:	Depth to
Soil/Rock Type: Clay over bedrock.	Groundwater:
Legal Action: Type:	Status:
Remedial Action: Complete	Nature of action: IRM-Drum & soil removal. IRM-Cap.

Assessment of Environmental Problems:

This site has been properly remediated. Only residual (deep) contamination remains. There are no known or potential environmental problems associated with this site.

Assessment of Health Problems:

The site is on private property and in a remote area. Although the site is not restricted, the majority of the waste was removed and the area covered with clean fill; therefore exposures to contaminants at the surface are not expected. Only one private well is located in the area and is on-site. This well has been sampled and no contaminants were detected. No exposures are anticipated at this site.

New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

Division of Environmental Remediation Bureau of Technical Support, 11th Floor 625 Broadway, Albany, New York 12233-7020 Phone: (518) 402-9553 • FAX: (518) 402-9577 Website: www.dec.state.ny.us



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Mr. Francis Doetsch RD 2 Route 40 Argyle, New York 12809

> Re: DEC Site ID.: Site Name: Site Address:

558012 Doetsch Residence Route 40, Argyle, NY 12809

Dear Mr. Doetsch:

As mandated by Section 27-1305 of the Environmental Conservation Law, the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (Department) must maintain a registry of all disposal sites known to contain hazardous wastes. It is this Department's policy to notify the owner of all or any part of each site or area included in the Registry of Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Sites as to changes in site classification.

Our records indicate that you are the owner or part-owner of the above-referenced site. Based on the information that has been gathered to date, the Department has concluded that this site has been properly remediated and that no further action is required. Therefore, this letter constitutes notification of the Department's intention to delist this site from the Registry of Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Sites in New York State. State laws require that the Department set a 60-day public notification period of our intention to delist a site from the Registry, and receive any public comments on the proposed deletion. At the conclusion of this period, if no new information is presented, this site will be removed from the Registry. If we receive any information which causes us to reconsider this deletion, you will be notified of this change.

If you have any further questions, please contact me at (518) 402-9553.

Sincerely,

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Kelly A. Lewandowski, P.E. Chief Site Control Section

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D. Desnoyers D. Weigel K. Lewandowski R. Dana G. Litwin, NYSDOH C. LaCombe, Region 5 R. Wagner, Region 5 T. Hall, Region 5 C. Vasudevan A. Sylvester

AS/srh

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This letter was sent to the people on the attached list.

Dear :

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) maintains a Registry of sites where hazardous waste disposal has occurred. Property located at Route 40 in the Town of Argyle, County of Washington and designated as Tax Map Number Section 157, Block 1, Lot 4 was listed in the Registry because there was some concern that hazardous waste was deposited there. The name and site ID number of this property is listed in the Registry as Doetsch Residence, Site ID 558012. The DEC is proposing to delist this site from the Registry. The reason for proposing the removal of this site from the Registry is as follows:

> This site was reclassified from 3 to 5 in July 1991 because the Phase II Investigation conducted by DEC found that GE's 1983 removal action had effectively remediated the site and no maintenance or monitoring was required. The highest PCB levels found in the soil in the vicinity of the remediated area were 2.3 ppm beneath the clay cap and 0.5 ppm at a background sampling location. No PCBs were detected in samples taken immediately surrounding the remediated area. No hazardous waste remains at the site. In 1991 sites destined for delisting from the Registry typically were placed in the Class 5 category for one year so that they would appear in one published Annual Report on the Registry as a cleaned up site. They would subsequently be delisted. The new Part 375 regulation issued in May 1992 changed this practice and thereafter the intermediate Class 5 step was eliminated for sites being delisted. This site seems to have been caught up in this policy change and was stuck with its interim Class 5 designation. The site should now be delisted since this was the intent in July 1991 and no hazardous waste remains on site.

Public comments about delisting this site are being received before the decision to remove this site from the Registry is finalized. If you would like to provide us with your written comments, please send them to: John Swartwout, New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, 625 Broadway, Albany, NY 12233-7015.

Doetsch Residence Site ID 558012 Page 2

The public comment period will end August 14, 2004. A summary of any comments we receive will be made available at our Region 1 Headquarters in Stony Brook, NY.

If we do not receive any new or additional information during this public comment period that changes our proposal, we will delist the identified site on or after September 14, 2004.

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.

If you have any questions or seek additional information, please contact me at (518) 402-9553, or in writing using the address given above.

Sincerely,

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Kelly A. Lewandowski, P.E. Chief Site Control Section Bureau of Technical Support Division of Environmental Remediation

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