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Re: Notification of Self-Implementing Cleanup and Disposal of PCB Remediation Waste
Roebling School site, Trenton, New Jersey

Dear Mr. Pucillo and Mr. DeStefano:

This letter is in response to prior correspondence received by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region 2 from your offices regarding remediation of PCB contamination at a site in Trenton, New Jersey. The property is owned by the New Jersey Schools Construction Corporation (NJSCC) and is known commonly as the Roebling School site. Both the October 7, 2005 letter from CAP Services, Inc. (CAP) and the October 18, 2005 memorandum from Van Note Harvey Associates (VNH) served as notice of NJSCC's planned self-implementing cleanup and disposal of PCB remediation waste from this site under the provisions of the PCB regulations at 40 C.F.R. §761.61(a). EPA received these notifications on October 19, 2005.

This is to inform you that EPA is approving the planned remediation as it was described in the April 16, 2004 Remedial Action Selection Report/Remedial Action Work Plan (RASR/RAW) and the November 9, 2005 addendum letter from VNH ("VNH's addendum").

After reviewing the supplemental information included in VNH's addendum, we note that Option 2, the soil removal option, has been selected based upon approval from the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection. Under this option, all soils containing PCBs over 0.49 parts per million will be removed from the site and disposed through properly permitted facilities. VNH's addendum also clarified that extensive PCB testing has now been completed, and that no PCBs over this level would be left under any existing building foundation.

Based upon the proposal that all PCBs over 0.49 parts per million will be removed from the site, your plan for self-implementing cleanup of this site is approved pursuant to 40 C.F.R. §761.61(a). If this plan changes, you must notify EPA immediately before remediation work can continue. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Ken Stoller, Chief of the Pesticides and Toxic Substances Branch, at (732) 321-6765, or Ann Finnegan of his staff at (732) 906-6177.

Sincerely,

Kathleen Callahan

for Alan J. Steinberg
Regional Administrator

cc: Carl Jacobelli, NJSCC
Robert Simpson, NJDEP