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EPA Extends Opportunity for Public Input on Draft Plan to Decontaminate and Dismantle PCB Processing Facility in Fort Edward, NY

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(Albany, New York – September 29, 2015) The EPA is providing additional time for the public to provide input on a plan that outlines how GE will dismantle and decontaminate its 110 acre sediment processing facility that was built to support the dredging of the Hudson River PCBs superfund site. The plan, called the ***Processing Facility Demobilization and Restoration Plan***, is required by the 2006 legal agreement between General Electric and EPA to conduct the dredging work.

The plan details how GE will take equipment apart and decontaminate it and how it will address decontamination of infrastructure such as concrete slabs, roadways, train tracks and buildings. The plan is located at www.epa.gov/hudson. It is also available at www.hudsondredgingdata.com.

The EPA will take public input on the draft plan for one additional week, until Monday, October 5. Written comments should be emailed or mailed to Gary Klawinski at the EPA's Hudson River Field Office:

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