CENTREDALE MANOR SITE
(Site Identification Code - 016P)

REMOVAL ACTION ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD FILE

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INTRODUCTION

This document is the Index to the Administrative Record File for the Centredale Manor Site Removal Action. The Index cites site-specific documents and guidance documents used by EPA staff in selecting a removal action at the site. The proposed actions were developed as an initial response action to reduce the potential for direct contact with dioxin-contaminated soils until a subsequent, comprehensive response action is developed. Proposed response actions include the following: 1) establishing site security; 2) temporarily restricting access to contaminated soils; 3) characterizing the extent of contamination; 4) locating and controlling the source of contamination; and 5) identifying and implementing technically and financially feasible long-term solutions. Options for addressing the dioxin-contaminated soil may include the installation of permanent fencing to restrict access and to prevent inadvertent contact with contaminated surface soils; the capping of contaminated surface soil under geotextile fabric, gravel, and clean topsoil, which will provide a clean cover over contaminated soil; and the excavation and removal of contaminated soil from high-use areas and its on-site consolidation in a safe and secure manner until final disposal options are evaluated. For the purpose of implementing this time-critical removal action, 1 part per billion (ppb) of dioxin will be the cleanup level for the actions discussed above. The cost of large-scale off-site disposal prohibits its consideration under this document, but not under a subsequent Action Memorandum or Record of Decision. In addition, a Community Relation Plan (CRP) will be developed for the Site to identify the target audience for distribution of information regarding the site. EPA will continue to participate in public meetings with the Management Action Committee; to meet privately with residents to discuss sampling results, or at any other time at their request; to produce and distribute fact sheets; and to issue press releases to inform the public and the media about site activities.

The Administrative Record File is available for public review, by appointment, at the U.S. EPA Records Center, 1 Congress Street, Suite 1100, Boston, Massachusetts, 02114-2023; the North Providence Public Library, 1810 Mineral Spring Ave., North Providence, Rhode Island, 02904; and the Marian J. Mohr Memorial Public Library, 1 Memorial Ave., Johnston, Rhode Island, 02919. Questions concerning the Administrative Record File should be addressed to Ted Bazenas, EPA On-Scene Coordinator.

The Administrative Record File is required by the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA), 42 U.S.C. § 9613 (k), and EPA's implementing regulations, 40 CFR § 300.800.-825.

PLEASE NOTE: <u>THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS COMPILED IN THIS ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD HAVE BEEN MADE FROM THE BEST AVAILABLE COPIES</u>.

SITE-SPECIFIC DOCUMENTS

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SITE ASSESSMENT

Site Inspection/Investigation (Site File 1.03)

1. "Final Summary Report for Expanded Site Inspection Centredale Manor Site, North Providence, Rhode Island", prepared by Roy F. Weston, Inc. (WESTON®), Superfund Technical Assessment and Response Team (START), for EPA Region I, Office of Site Remediation and Restoration, dated 9 March 1999.

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Contractual Documents (Site File 1.15)

2. "Trip Report: Soil Sampling, 15-19 February 1999, Centredale Manor (Woonasquatucket River), North Providence, Rhode Island", prepared by Barry Forsythe II, Roy F. Weston, Inc. (WESTON®), Response Engineering and Analytical Contract (REAC), for U.S. EPA/Environmental Response Team Center (ERTC), dated 12 March 1999.

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3. "Centredale Manor – North Providence, RI, EPA Surface Soil Samples, February 1999", supplemental table to "Trip Report: Soil Sampling, 15-19 February, Centredale Manor (Woonasquatucket River), North Providence, Rhode Island"(Index item No. 2).

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Correspondence (Site File 2.01)

4. Memorandum from Patricia L. Meaney, Director, Office of Site Remediation and Restoration, EPA Region I, to Steve Luftig, Director, Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response (OSWER)/Office of Emergency and Remedial Response (OERR), EPA Washington D.C., regarding EPA Region I's Request for Concurrence on a Nationally Significant Removal Action at the Centredale Manor Site in North Providence, Rhode Island, dated 4 May 1999. Included is a memorandum from Charles Sands, Acting Director, Region 1/9 Accelerated Response Center, EPA Washington D.C., to Stephen D. Luftig, Director, OERR, EPA Washington D.C., transmitting EPA Region I's request for Concurrence on Nationally Significant Removal Action at the Centredale Manor Site, North Providence, Rhode Island, dated 5 May 1999.

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Action Memorandum (Site File 2.09)

5. Memorandum from Ted Bazenas, On-Scene Coordinator, Site Evaluation and Response Section II, EPA Region I, through Steven Novick, Section Chief, Site Evaluation and Response Section II, to Patricia L. Meaney, Director, Office of Site Remediation and Restoration, EPA Region I, regarding Request for a Removal Action at the Centredale Manor Site, North Providence, Rhode Island, dated and signed 4 May 1999. (The Enforcement Section of the Memorandum is withheld as being CONFIDENTIAL.)

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COMMUNITY RELATIONS

News Clippings/Press Releases (Site File 13.03)

6. "Administrative Record File Available for the Centredale Manor Site Removal Action," text of the display notice as it was requested to appear in *The Providence Journal*, Providence, Rhode Island.

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SELECTED KEY GUIDANCE DOCUMENTS

EPA guidance documents may be reviewed at the EPA Superfund Records Room, 1 Congress Street, Suite 1100, Boston, Massachusetts.

1. Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as amended, 42 U.S.C. § 9601 et seq.

2. "National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan," Code of Federal Regulations (Title 40, Part 300) 1990.

3. "Action Memorandum Guidance", Superfund Removal Procedures, U.S. EPA, Office of Emergency and Remedial Response, OSWER Directive 9360.3-01, September 1990.

4. Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986.