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Administrative Record Index

Introduction

This document is the Index to the Administrative Record for the Laurel Park, Inc. National Priorities List (NPL) site. Section I of the Index cites site-specific documents, and Section II cites guidance documents used by EPA staff in selecting a response action at the site.

The Administrative Record is available for public review at EPA Region I's Office in Boston, Massachusetts, and at the Howard Whittemore Memorial Library, 243 Church Street, Naugatuck, Connecticut 06770. Questions concerning the Administrative Record should be addressed to the EPA Region I site manager.

The Administrative Record is required by the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA), as amended by the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA).

Section I

Site-Specific Documents

ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD INDEX

for the

Laurel Park, Inc. NPL Site

1.0 Pre-Remedial

1.2 Preliminary Assessment

1. "Preliminary Site Assessment," Ecology and Environment, Inc. (February 27, 1981).

3.0 Remedial Investigation (RI)

3.1 Correspondence

1. Letter from Matt Schweisberg, EPA Region I to Camille Connick, EPA Region I (October 8, 1985).
2. Letter from Merrill S. Hohman, EPA Region I to William F. Broden, Uniroyal Chemical Company, Inc. (October 16, 1986).
3. Letter from Susan H. Shumway, Uniroyal Chemical Company, Inc. to Merrill S. Hohman, EPA Region I (October 22, 1986).

3.2 Sampling and Analysis Data

The Sampling and Analysis Data for the Remedial Investigation (RI) may be reviewed, by appointment only, at EPA Region I, Boston, Massachusetts.

3.4 Interim Deliverables

1. "Remedial Action Master Plan," Camp Dresser & McKee Inc. (June 1983).
2. "Site Operations Plan," Malcolm Pirnie (June 1985).

3.6 Remedial Investigation (RI) Reports

1. "Draft Remedial Investigation Report," Malcolm Pirnie (August 1986).
2. "Remedial Investigation Report," Malcolm Pirnie (February 1987).

3.7 Work Plans and Progress Reports

1. "Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study Work Plan," Malcolm Pirnie (May 1985).

3.9 Health Assessments

1. "Health Assessment for the Laurel Park Landfill," U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (December 4, 1986), including Addendum (May 11, 1988).

3.10 Endangerment Assessments

1. "Draft Endangerment Assessment," Malcolm Pirnie (May 1986).
2. "Endangerment Assessment," Malcolm Pirnie (February 1987).

4.0 Feasibility Study (FS)

4.1 Correspondence

1. Letter from Heather M. Ford, EPA Region I to William F. Broden, Uniroyal Chemical Company, Inc. (March 27, 1987).
2. Letter from Edward K. McSweeney, EPA Region I to Ira Leighton, EPA Region I (March 15, 1988).

4.5 Applicable or Relevant and Appropriate Requirements (ARARs)

1. Letter from Heather M. Ford, EPA Region I to Edward Parker, State of Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection (April 17, 1987).
2. Cross-Reference: Set of Comments from Elsie B. Patton, State of Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection on the February 1988 "Draft Feasibility Study" (Set of Comments Dated March 14, 1988) [Filed and cited as entry number 1 in 4.6 Feasibility Study (FS) Reports].

4.6 Feasibility Study (FS) Reports

1. Set of Comments from Elsie B. Patton, State of Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection on the February 1988 "Draft Feasibility Study" (Set of Comments Dated March 14, 1988).
2. "Feasibility Study," Malcolm Pirnie (May 1988).

Comments received during the public comment period on the Feasibility Study (FS) Report are filed and cited in 4.9 Proposed Plans for Selected Remedial Action.

4.7 Work Plans and Progress Reports

1. Cross-Reference: "Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study Work Plan," Malcolm Pirnie (May 1985) [Filed and cited as entry number 1 in 3.7 Work Plans and Progress Reports].

4.9 Proposed Plans for Selected Remedial Action

1. "Proposed Plan for Remedial Action," EPA Region I (May 3, 1988).
2. Set of Comments from Mary Anne Maul, Pollution Extermination Group, Inc. on the May 1988 "Feasibility Study" and the May 3, 1988 "Proposed Plan for Remedial Action" (Set of Comments Dated May 6, 1988).
3. Transcript, Laurel Park, Inc. Public Hearing Commenting on the May 1988 "Feasibility Study" and the May 3, 1988 "Proposed Plan for Remedial Action" (May 25, 1988).
4. Set of Comments from Ann Marie Klosenski on the May 1988 "Feasibility Study" and the May 3, 1988 "Proposed Plan for Remedial Action" (Set of Comments Dated May 30, 1988).
5. Set of Comments from Mary Lou Sharon, Pollution Extermination Group, Inc. on the May 1988 "Feasibility Study" and the May 3, 1988 "Proposed Plan for Remedial Action" (Set of Comments Dated May 1988).
6. Response from Margaret Velie, EPA Region I on the May 6, 1988 Set of Comments from Mary Anne Maul, Pollution Extermination Group, Inc. (Response Dated June 2, 1988).
7. Set of Comments from Daisy Ostrander, Pollution Extermination Group, Inc. on the May 1988 "Feasibility Study" and the May 3, 1988 "Proposed Plan for Remedial Action" (Set of Comments Dated June 6, 1988).

8. Set of Comments from Joseph J. Lieberman, State of Connecticut Attorney General on the May 1988 "Feasibility Study" and the May 3, 1988 "Proposed Plan for Remedial Action" (Set of Comments Dated June 6, 1988).
9. Set of Comments from Daisy Ostrander and William F. Ostrander, Sr., Members of the Public on the May 1988 "Feasibility Study" and the May 3, 1988 "Proposed Plan for Remedial Action" (Set of Comments Dated June 6, 1988).
10. Set of Comments from Robert A. Smith, Jr., Uniroyal Chemical Company, Inc. on the May 1988 "Feasibility Study" and the May 3, 1988 "Proposed Plan for Remedial Action" (Set of Comments Dated June 7, 1988).
11. Set of Comments from Mary Anne Maul, Pollution Extermination Group, Inc. on the May 1988 "Feasibility Study" and the May 3, 1988 "Proposed Plan for Remedial Action" (Set of Comments Dated June 8, 1988).
12. Set of Comments from Robert X. Shuster, Member of the Public on the May 1988 "Feasibility Study" and the May 3, 1988 "Proposed Plan for Remedial Action" (Set of Comments Dated June 8, 1988).
13. Response from Margaret Velie, EPA Region I on the June 8, 1988 Set of Comments from Robert X. Shuster, Member of the Public (Response Dated June 21, 1988).
14. Response from Mary H. Grealish, EPA Region I on the June 8, 1988 Set of Comments from Robert X. Shuster, Member of the Public (Response Dated June 22, 1988).

5.0 Record of Decision (ROD)

5.4 Record of Decision (ROD)

1. Record of Decision, EPA Region I (June 29, 1988).

10.0 Enforcement

10.3 State and Local Enforcement Records

1. Letter from Elizabeth C. Barton, Laurel Park, Inc. to the Honorable John W. Anderson, State of Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection (April 16, 1987).

10.7 Administrative Orders

1. Administrative Order, Uniroyal Chemical Company, Inc. and Laurel Park, Inc. (May 16, 1985).
2. Administrative Order, Uniroyal Chemical Company, Inc. and Laurel Park, Inc. (June 16, 1986).
3. Cross-Reference: Letter from Merrill S. Hohman, EPA Region I to William F. Broden, Uniroyal Chemical Company, Inc. (October 16, 1986) [Filed and cited as entry number 2 in 3.1 Correspondence].
4. Cross-Reference: Letter from Susan H. Shumway, Uniroyal Chemical Company, Inc. to Merrill S. Hohman, EPA Region I (October 22, 1986) [Filed and cited as entry number 3 in 3.1 Correspondence].
5. Administrative Consent Order, Uniroyal Chemical Company, Inc., State of Connecticut, and the Borough of Naugatuck, Connecticut (May 27, 1987).

10.9 Pleadings -- Directly Related to Trial (Current Enforcement Activity)

1. Complaint, *United States of America v. Harold Murtha, Terrance Murtha, Murtha Trucking, Inc., Murtha Enterprises, Inc., Murtha Waste Control Corporation, Beacon Heights, Inc., and Laurel Park Inc.*, United States District Court for the District of Connecticut, Civil Action No. N-87-74 (PCD) (March 3, 1987).
2. Motion for Leave to Amend Pleading, *The B.F. Goodrich Company et al., v. Harold Murtha et al.; Uniroyal Chemical Company, Inc. v. Harold Murtha et al.; United States of America v. Harold Murtha et al.; State of Connecticut v. Harold Murtha et al.* United States District Court for the District of Connecticut Civil Action No. N-87-52,-67,-73, &-74 (PCD) (February 16, 1988).
3. First Amended Complaint, *United States of America v. Harold Murtha et al.*, United States District Court for the District of Connecticut, Civil Action No. N-87-74 (PCD) (February 16, 1988).

11.0 Potentially Responsible Party (PRP)

11.9 PRP-Specific Correspondence

1. Cross Reference: Letter from Heather M. Ford, EPA Region I to William F. Broden, Uniroyal Chemical Company, Inc. (March 27, 1987) [Filed and cited as entry number 1 in 4.1 Correspondence.
2. Master Notice Letter from EPA Region I to PRPs, with Attached List of Recipients (May 19, 1988).

13.0 Community Relations

13.2 Community Relations Plans

1. "Community Relations Plan," NUS Corporation (June 1985).

13.3 News Clippings/Press Releases

1. "Environmental News Release," EPA Region I (May 20, 1985).
2. "Environmental News Release," EPA Region I (October 28, 1985).
3. "Environmental News Release," EPA Region I (February 13, 1987).
4. "Press Release," U.S. Department of Justice (March 3, 1987).
5. "Environmental News Release," EPA Region I (June 3, 1987).
6. "Environmental News Release," EPA Region I (May 2, 1988).

13.4 Public Meetings

1. EPA Region I Meeting Agenda, Public Meeting (June 6, 1985).
2. EPA Region I Meeting Agenda, Public Meeting (November 13, 1985).
3. EPA Region I Meeting Agenda, Public Meeting (February 26, 1987).
4. EPA Region I Meeting Agenda, Public Meeting (May 11, 1988).
5. Cross Reference: Transcript, Laurel Park, Inc. Public Hearing Commenting on the May 1988 "Feasibility Study" and the May 3, 1988 "Proposed Plan for Remedial Action" (May 25, 1988) [Filed and cited as entry number 3 in 4.9 Feasibility Study (FS) Reports].

13.5 Fact Sheets

1. "Laurel Park Landfill, Inc. Fact Sheet," EPA Region I (May 1985).
2. "Laurel Park Landfill - EPA Progress and Plans," EPA Region I (July 1986).
3. "Superfund Program Fact Sheet," EPA Region I (February 1987).
4. "Superfund Program Fact Sheet," EPA Region I (May 1988).

16.0 Natural Resource Trustee

16.1 Correspondence

1. Letter from Gordon E. Beckett, U.S. Department of the Interior to Margaret Velie, EPA Region I (July 21, 1987).
2. Letter from Kenneth Finkelstein, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration to Margaret Velie, EPA Region I (September 18, 1987).

16.4 Trustee Notification Form and Selection Guide

1. Letter from Merrill S. Hohman, EPA Region I to William Patterson, U.S. Department of the Interior (June 12, 1987).
2. Letter from Merrill S. Hohman, EPA Region I to Sharon Christopherson, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (June 12, 1987).

17.0 Site Management Records

17.7 Reference Documents

The appendices for the records cited in entry numbers 2 and 4 may be reviewed, by appointment only, at EPA Region I, Boston, Massachusetts.

1. "Hydrogeologic Report - Laurel Park Landfill - Relative to Abatement Order Compliance," Fuss & O'Neill, Inc. (January 20, 1982).
2. "Assessment of the Geology and Hydrogeology of the Laurel Park Landfill - Volume I," Fred C. Hart Associates, Inc. (February 1983).
3. "Oxford Sewer Connection Study," Malcolm Pirnie (April 1985).
4. "Annual Monitoring Report," Fred C. Hart Associates, Inc. (October 1986).

Section II

Guidance Documents

GUIDANCE DOCUMENTS

EPA guidance documents may be reviewed at EPA Region I, Boston, Massachusetts.

General EPA Guidance Documents

1. Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, amended October 17, 1986. C018

2. Memorandum from Gene Lucero to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, August 28, 1985 (discussing community relations at Superfund Enforcement sites). C053

3. Memorandum from J. Winston Porter, July 9, 1987 (discussing interim guidance on compliance with applicable or relevant and appropriate requirements). C055

4. "National Oil and Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan," Code of Federal Regulations (Title 40, Part 300), 1985. C013

5. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Office of Emergency and Remedial Response. Community Relations in Superfund: A Handbook (Interim Version) (EPA/HW-6), September 1983. C017

6. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Office of Emergency and Remedial Response. Handbook of Remedial Action at Waste Disposal Sites (EPA/625/6-85/006), October 1985. 2309/19

7. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Office of Emergency and Remedial Response. Draft Guidance on Remedial Actions for Contaminated Ground Water at Superfund Sites (OSWER Directive 9283.1-2), September 20, 1986. C022

8. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Office of Emergency and Remedial Response. Superfund Public Health Evaluation Manual (OSWER Directive 9285.4-1), October 1986. 5014/31

9. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Office of Ground-Water Protection. Ground-Water Protection Strategy, August 1984. 2403/24

10. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response. Additional Interim Guidance for Fiscal Year 1987 Record of Decisions, (OSWER Directive 9355.0-21), July 24, 1987. C001

11. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response. Guidance on Feasibility Studies under CERCLA (Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act) (EPA/540/G-85/003), June 1985. C034

12. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response. Guidance on Remedial Investigations under CERCLA (Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act) (EPA/540/G-85/002), June 1985. C035

13. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response. Interim Guidance on Superfund Selection of Remedy (OSWER Directive 9355.0-19), December 24, 1986. 9000/32

14. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Office of Waste Programs Enforcement. The Endangerment Assessment Handbook, August 1985. C025

15. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Office of Waste Programs Enforcement. Toxicology Handbook, August 1985. 5015/31

16. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Office of Water and Waste Management. Evaluating Cover Systems for Solid and Hazardous Waste, 1980.