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Site Administrative Record File Operable Unit 1 -
Upper and Lower Harbor (formerly named
Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay)

Addendum Index

Administrative Record File, dated February 3,
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September 2008, under Section 104(c) of
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Introduction

This is the Amended Addendum Index for the February 3, 1992 Update to the Administrative Record File for the New Bedford Harbor Superfund site, New Bedford, MA, Operable Unit 1 - Upper and Lower Harbor (formerly named Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay). This Administrative Record File Addendum was originally entitled, "Interim Draft Index" dated February 3, 1993 and was amended in September 2008 to reflect its renaming and to remove documents that were inadvertently included in the Interim Draft Index. The included and excluded documents are listed on the attached September 2008 Amended Administrative Record File Addendum Index Sheet for the February 3, 1993 Update for the New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site Operable Unit 1 - Upper and Lower Harbor.

This Administrative Record File incorporates, by reference, the Administrative Record for the New Bedford Harbor Superfund site, Operable Unit 2 - Hot Spot Record of Decision (1990 Hot Spot ROD), including the Administrative Record for the Explanation of Significant Differences for Final Disposal of Ash (1992 Hot Spot ESD). This Administrative Record File also incorporates, by reference, the Administrative Record File compiled through the July 2, 1992 Update, as amended September 2008, for the New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site Operable Unit 1 - Upper and Lower Harbor (formerly named Estuary, Lower Harbor/Bay Operable Unit). Note that all documents listed in these Administrative Record File updated indices have been incorporated into the Administrative Record for the New Bedford Harbor Superfund site, Operable Unit 1 - Upper and Lower Harbor Record of Decision.

The Administrative Record File is available for review at:

EPA New England OSRR Records
and Information Center

1 Congress Street, Suite 1100 (HSC)
Boston, MA 02114
(by appointment)
(617) 918-1440 (phone)
(617) 918-0440 (fax)
www.epa.gov/region01/superfund/resource/records.htm

New Bedford Free Public Library

613 Pleasant Street
New Bedford, MA 02740
(508) 991-6280 (phone)
(508) 991-6268 (fax)
<http://www.ci.new-bedford.ma.us/SERVICES/LIBRARY/library2.htm>

An Administrative Record is required by the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980, as amended (CERCLA).

Please note that this Administrative Record File can be found in the Administrative Record for the 1998 upper and Lower Harbor ROD. The compact disc(s) (CD-ROM) containing the Administrative Record for the 1998 Upper and Lower Harbor ROD may include index data and other metadata (hereinafter collectively referred to as metadata) to allow the user to conduct index searches and key word searches across all the files contained on the CD-ROM. All the information that appears in the metadata, including any dates associated with creation of the indexing data, is not part of the Administrative Record for the 1998 Upper and Lower Harbor ROD under CERCLA and shall not be construed as relevant to the documents that comprise the Administrative Record. This metadata is provided as a convenience for the user and is not part of the Administrative Record.

Questions about this Administrative Record should be directed to the New Bedford Harbor Remedial Project Manager at EPA New England.

September 2008 Amendment to the Administrative Record File Addendum
Interim Draft Index dated February 3, 1993
for the
New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site Operable Unit 1 - Upper and Lower
Harbor

This amendment reflects the renaming of the Interim Draft Index dated February 3, 1993 that may have been inadvertently included as part of the July 2, 1992 Update to the Administrative Record File for Operable Unit 1 (SDMS No. 62349) before it was amended in September 2008 and the removal of certain documents that may have been inadvertently included in the Interim Draft Index. **The Interim Draft Index dated February 3, 1993 is renamed the New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site Administrative Record File Addendum Index for Operable Unit 1 – Upper and Lower Harbor February 3, 1993 Update, as amended September 2008.** The following documents represents the New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site Administrative Record File Addendum for Operable Unit 1 – Upper and Lower Harbor February 3, 1993 Update, as amended in September 2008.

5.0 Record of Decision (ROD)

5.3 Responsiveness Summary

1. Comments Dated July 8, 1992 from Jacqueline Duckworth, Greater New Bedford Citizens Work Group on the January 1992 “EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site,” EPA Region 1
2. Comments Dated July 9, 1992 from Rosemary S. Tierney, Mayor of the City of New Bedford on the January 1992 “EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site,” EPA Region 1 and the May 1992 “Addendum Proposed Plan – EPA Proposes Expanded Cleanup to Address Contamination in Parts of Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site,” EPA Region 1
3. Comments Dated July 10, 1992 from Rosemary S. Tierney, William Patterson, and Richard B. Roe, New Bedford harbor Trustee Council on the January 1992 “EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site,” EPA Region 1 and the May 1992 “Addendum Proposed Plan – EPA Proposes Expanded Cleanup to Address Contamination in Parts of Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site,” EPA Region 1

4. Comments Dated July 10, 1992 from Helen Waldorf, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Department of Environmental Affairs on the May 1992 "Addendum Proposed Plan – EPA Proposes Expanded Cleanup to Address Contamination in Parts of Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site," EPA Region 1
5. Comments Dated July 10, 1992 from Joseph E. Costa, The Buzzards Bay Project on the January 1992 "EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site," EPA Region 1 and the May 1992 "Addendum Proposed Plan – EPA Proposes Expanded Cleanup to Address Contamination in Parts of Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site," EPA Region 1
6. Comments Dated July 13, 1992 from John Lindsey and L. Jay Field, U.S. Department of Commerce National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration on the January 1992 "EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site," EPA Region 1 and the May 1992 "Addendum Proposed Plan – EPA Proposes Expanded Cleanup to Address Contamination in Parts of Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site," EPA Region 1
7. Comments Dated July 13, 1992 from Mary K. Ryan, Nutter McClennan & Fish, et al. for AVX Corporation on the August 1990 "Draft Final – Feasibility Study of Remedial Alternatives for the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay – Volumes I – III," E.C. Jordan Co. for EBASCO Services Incorporated; the May 1992 "Draft Final – Supplemental Feasibility Study Evaluation for Upper Buzzards – New Bedford Harbor RI/FS," EBASCO Services Incorporated; the January 1992 "EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site," EPA Region 1 and the May 1992 "Addendum Proposed Plan – EPA Proposes Expanded Cleanup to Address Contamination in Parts of Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site," EPA Region 1 with attached:
 - A. "PCB Cleanup Guidelines for the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay Sediments: Evaluation of a 50ppm Cleanup Level," Terra, Inc (July 10, 1992)
 - B. "A Theoretical Evaluation of the Effects of Dredging on PCB Emissions from New Bedford," K.T. Valsaraj and D.D. Reible, Department of Engineering and Hazardous waste Research

Center, Louisiana State University for Balsam Environmental Consultants, Inc (September 1991)

- C. Memorandum to Weldon Bosworth, Balsam Environmental Consultants, Inc. from K.T. Valsaraj and D.D. Reible, Department of Engineering and Hazardous Waste Research Center, Louisiana State University (July 10, 1992). Concerning evaporation of PCBs from the proposed CDFs at New Bedford Harbor.
- D. "Review of EPA (1992): Addendum Proposed Plan. EPA Proposes Expanded Cleanup to Address Contamination in Parts of Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site," SEA
- E. Requests for Admissions (RFA)
- F. Miscellaneous
 - 1. Comments Dated March 2, 1992 from Gordon D. Strickland, John F. McKenzie, and Douglas Bannerman, PCB Consensus Group on the Proposed Rule to Promulgate Numeric Sediment Cleanup Criteria for Priority Toxic Pollutants in Sediment
 - 2. FOIA Correspondence
 - 3. N.J.A.C. 7:15 – 18A
 - 4. "New Bedford Harbor Wastewater Treatment Plant Outfall Outer Harbor Sediment Sampling Program 1990 Sampling Protocol" Balsam Environmental Consultants, Inc for Nutter, McClellan & Fish (March 9, 1990). Concerning TPO Data with attached Chromatograms submitted under separate cover from laboratory.
 - 5. Expert Affidavits on the Effect of Hurricane Carol on Transport and Circulation.
 - 6. Region 1 Superfund NPL and Removal Site File Structure.
 - 7. Excerpt from Court Transcript of February 7, 1990.
 - 8. "Public Health and Environmental Risk Assessment for the New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site," E.C. Jordon Co.
- G. Resumes

8. Comments Dated July 13, 1992 from Jeffrey Benoit, The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Office Coastal Zone Management (MCZM) on the January 1992 "EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site," EPA Region 1 and the May 1992 "Addendum Proposed Plan – EPA Proposes Expanded Cleanup to Address Contamination in Parts of Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site," EPA Region 1
9. Comments Dated July 13, 1992 from Suzanne K. Condon and William C. Strohsnitter, Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Public Health on the July 1992 "EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site," EPA Region 1 and the May 1992 "Addendum Proposed Plan – EPA Proposes Expanded Cleanup to Address Contamination in Parts of Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site," EPA Region 1
10. Comments from Robert B. Pond, Stripers Unlimited on the January 1992 "EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site," EPA Region 1 and the May 1992 "Addendum Proposed Plan – EPA Proposes Expanded Cleanup to Address Contamination in Parts of Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site," EPA Region 1

The following documents which were inadvertently included in the Interim Draft Index dated February 3, 1993 have now been removed. These removed documents appear in the New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site Administrative Record File Addendum for Operable Unit 1 - Upper and Lower Harbor, July 2, 1992, as amended, September 2008.

5.0 Record of Decision (ROD)

5.3 Responsiveness Summary

1. Comments Dated January 24, 1992 from LUPUS Foundation of America, Inc on the January 1992 "EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site", EPA Region 1 (DCN #21)
2. Comments Dated February 5, 1992 from George Walmsey, Edward J. Mee, and Frank Barcellos Jr., Town of Fairhaven Board of Health on the January 1992 "EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address

Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site”, EPA Region 1

3. Cross Reference: Transcript, Proposed Plan Public Hearing for the New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site (March 5, 1992) [Filed and cited as entry number 3 in 13.4 Public Meetings]
4. Comments Dated March 29, 1992 from Jeffrey Benoit, The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Office of Coastal Zone Management (MCZM) on the January 1992 “EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site”, EPA Region 1
5. Comments Dated April 30, 1992 from John M. Chaplick, New England Sierra Club on the January 1992 “EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site”, EPA Region 1
6. Comments Dated May 15, 1992 from Gerry E. Studds, US House of Representatives on the January 1992 “EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site” EPA Region 1
7. Comments Dated May 22, 1992 from Helen Waldorf, Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Environmental Affairs on the January 1992 “EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site” EPA Region 1 and the August 1990 “Draft Final – Feasibility Study of Remedial Alternatives for the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay – Volumes 1 – 3”, E.C. Jordan Co. for EBASCO Services Incorporated
8. Letter from Mary K. Ryan, Nutter, McClennan & Fish for the AVX Corporation to Gayle Garman, EPA Region 1 (May 22, 1992) concerning a request for a 90 day extension of the public comment period for the proposed plan and addendum
9. Comments Dated June 3, 1992 from John W. Farrington, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution on the January 1992 “EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site” EPA Region 1 and the May 1992 “Addendum Proposed Plan – EPA Proposes Expanded

Cleanup to Address Contamination in Parts of Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site”, EPA Region 1

10. Revised Comments Dated June 9, 1992 from John W. Farrington, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution on the January 1992 “EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site” EPA Region 1 and the May 1992 “Addendum Proposed Plan – EPA Proposes Expanded Cleanup to Address Contamination in Parts of Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site”, EPA Region 1
11. Comments Dated June 9, 1992 from David Dow, Sierra Club on the January 1992 “EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site”, EPA Region 1 and the May 1992 “Addendum Proposed Plan – EPA Proposes Expanded Cleanup to Address Contamination in Parts of Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site”, EPA Region 1
12. Cross-Reference: Transcript, Proposed Expanded Cleanup Plan for Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site (June 10, 1992) [Filed and cited as entry number 4 in 13.4 Public Meetings]
13. Comments Dated June 14, 1992 from Martin S. Manley, City of New Bedford Harbor Development Commission on the January 1992 “EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site”, EPA Region 1 and the May 1992 “Addendum Proposed Plan – EPA Proposes Expanded Cleanup to Address Contamination in Parts of Upper Buzzards Bay, New Bedford Harbor Superfund Site”, EPA Region 1
14. Comments Dated May 11, 1992 from Angela Days, Member of Public on the January 1992 “EPA Proposes Cleanup Plan to Address Contamination in the Estuary and Lower Harbor/Bay at the New Bedford Harbor Site”, EPA Region 1