

NEW YORK STATE  
DEPARTMENT OFENVIRONMENTAL  
CONSERVATION**Public Meeting  
Invitation**

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**Wednesday,  
March 10, 2004  
7:00 pm****Albert G. Podell Middle  
School Auditorium,  
100 Randall Road,  
Shoreham**

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) will hold a public meeting to discuss the proposed remedial action for the Peerless Photo Products Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Site. Representatives from the NYSDEC and the New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) will give brief presentations, followed by a question and answer session and your opportunity to comment on the proposed cleanup action plan.

**Public Comment  
Period**

**From: February 26, 2004  
To: March 27, 2004**

**FACT SHEET**

February 2004

Peerless Photo Products Site  
Site No. 1-52-031  
Shoreham, Suffolk County**Remedy Proposed for the Peerless Photo  
Products Site****Public Meeting, Comment Period Announced**

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) in cooperation with the New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) is proposing remedial actions to address impacts related to the Peerless Photo Products Inactive Hazardous Waste Disposal Site, located on Randall Road in the Village of Shoreham, Suffolk County, New York. The NYSDEC is sending this public notice to announce the release of the Proposed Remedial Action Plan (PRAP) for the site, and to invite you to a public meeting to discuss the PRAP. The purpose of the meeting is to present the PRAP for remediation of soil and groundwater impacts at the site. The NYSDEC will present several alternatives that were evaluated to address these impacts, along with rationale for recommending the proposed alternatives.

**The Proposed Action:** The major elements of the proposed remedy include excavation and off-site disposal of soils contaminated with cadmium and silver from the West Soil Storage area, North Recharge Basins, Long Island Power Authority (LIPA) right-of-way; and Tesla Tower Base area. Reuse of the soils containing silver above 137 ppm but below 300 ppm from the LIPA right-of-way to back fill the North Recharge Basins; design and implementation of *In Situ* stabilization of impacted soils from 30 feet below grade surface (bgs) to a depth of 100 feet below grade surface in the Tesla Tower Base area; development of a site management plan to address residual contaminated subsurface soils that may be excavated from the site during future redevelopment; imposition of an institutional controls; and the long term groundwater monitoring program. The selection of this remedy is described in the site's Proposed Remedial Action Plan (PRAP). The PRAP was developed following a detailed investigation of contamination at the Peerless Photo Products Site. The PRAP examines the information gathered about the site, and presents the alternative proposed by the NYSDEC and the NYSDOH.

*See page 2 of this Fact Sheet for a summary of the PRAP. The full PRAP is available for your review at the document repositories listed below.*

**Your Opportunities to be Informed and Involved:** Release of the PRAP begins a process to formally select a remedy for the Peerless Photo Products Site. *Your comments and input about the proposed remedy are important and encouraged.*

**Comment Period:** Your oral and written comments about the PRAP are welcome at the public meeting and during the 30-day public comment period (see sidebar at left). In addition to any comments received at the public meeting, written comments may be submitted to Mr. Girish Desai, Project Manager at the address shown at the end of this notice.

**Document Repositories:** Two locations provide access to documents about the site:

**NYSDEC Region 1**  
SUNY, Building 40  
Stony Brook, New York 11790-2356  
(631) 444-0240  
Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 4:45 pm

**North Shore Public Library**  
250 Route 25A  
Shoreham, New York 11786  
(631) 929-4488  
Monday - Friday 10:00 am - 9:00 pm  
Saturday 10:00 am - 5:00 pm  
Sunday 1 am - 5 pm (October - May)