NOTICE OF INITIAL SITE INVESTIGATION AND TIER I PERMIT APPLICATION

PARIS CORPORATION 101 Paris Street, Everett, MA

Release Tracking Number 3-24575

A release of oil and/or hazardous materials has occurred at this location, which is a disposal site as defined by M.G.L. c. 21E, § 2 and the Massachusetts Contingency Plan, 310 CMR 40.0000. To evaluate the release, a Phase I Initial Site Investigation was performed pursuant to 310 CMR 40.0480. As a result of this investigation, the proposed permit category for the site is Tier IB pursuant to 310 CMR 40.0500.

On August 30, 2007, Paris Corporation intends to file an Initial Tier IB Permit Application with the Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) pursuant to 310 CMR 40.0703 and 40.0704. A permit is required to perform Comprehensive Response Actions at Tier I sites.

Anyone interested in reviewing the Initial Tier I Permit Application should contact William Gear, Paris Corporation, 381 Third Street, Everett, MA, 02149-4716, 617-387-4386 to request a copy of the Application. Written comments related to this Application must be submitted within 20 days of the publication of this notice to: (1) MassDEP, Northeast Regional Office, 205B Lowell Street, Wilmington, MA 01887 by mail or by hand delivery during normal business hours; and (2) William Gear, Paris Corporation, 381 Third Street, Everett, MA, 02149-4716. Failure to provide written comments as set forth herein may affect your right, if any, to challenge MassDEP's permit decision.

The Application and the disposal site file can be reviewed at MassDEP, Northeast Regional Office, 205B Lowell Street, Wilmington, MA 01887, 978-694-3200.

Additional public involvement opportunities are available under 310 CMR 40.1403(9) and 310 CMR 40.1404.