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The information requested on this form must be completed to begin MEPA Review in accordance with the provisions of the Massachusetts Environmental Policy Act, 301 CMR 11.00.

Project Name: Skinner, Inc				
Street: 357 Main Street - Route 117				_
Municipality: Bolton		Watershed: Concord River Drainage Basin		
Universal Tranverse Mercator Coordinates:		Latitude: 42° 25' 58"N		
19 287841E; 4700840N		Longitude: 71° 34' 45"W		
Estimated commencement date:		Estimated completion date:		
Summer 2007		Summer 2008		
Approximate cost:		Status of project design: 10 % complete		
Proponent: Skinner, Inc				
Street: 357 Main Street - Route 117				
Municipality: Bolton		State: MA		Zip Code: 01740
Name of Contact Person From Who Elizabeth Whitaker	m Copies	of this EN	F Ma	ay Be Obtained:
Firm/Agency: Ducharme & Dillis Civil Design Group Street: 1092 Main Street			eet: 1092 Main Street	
Municipality: Bolton		State: MA		Zip Code: 01740
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Does this project meet or exceed a mandatory EIR threshold (see 301 CMR 11.03)?	
□Yes	⊠No
Has this project been filed with MEPA before?	
Yes (EOEA No)	⊠No
Has any project on this site been filed with MEPA before?	
[]Yes (EOEA No)	ΜNο
Is this an Expanded ENF (see 301 CMR 11.05(7)) requesting:	
a Single EIR? (see 301 CMR 11.06(8))	No
a Special Review Procedure? (see 301CMR 11.09)	No
a Waiver of mandatory EIR? (see 301 CMR 11.11)	⊠No
a Phase I Waiver? (see 301 CMR 11.11)	⊠No

Identify any financial assistance or land transfer from an agency of the Commonwealth, including the agency name and the amount of funding or land area (in acres): None

Are you requesting coordinated review with any other federal, state, regional, or local agency?

List Local or Federal Permits and Approvals: Subsurface Sewage Disposal System Permit from the Bolton Board of Health, Notice of Intent and ANRAD Wetland Delineation from Bolton Conservation Commission, Site Plan Approval from the Bolton Planning Board, EPA National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit

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Comment period is limited. For information call 617-626-1020

Which ENF or EIR review threshold(s) does the project meet or exceed (see 301 CMR 11.03):

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Land [] Water [] Energy [] ACEC []	 ☑ Rare Specie ☑ Wastewate ☑ Air ☑ Regulations 		Transportati Solid & Haz	/aterways, & Tidelands on ardous Waste Archaeological		
Summary of Project Size	Existing	Change	Total	State Permits &		
& Environmental Impacts				Approvals		
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Total site acreage	15.0 Acres			Superseding Order of Conditions		
New acres of land altered		4.80 Acres		Chapter 91 License		
Acres of impervious area	2.07 Acres	3.45 Acres	3.45 Acres	401 Water Quality Certification		
Square feet of new bordering vegetated wetlands alteration		0.0 Acres		MHD or MDC Access Permit		
Square feet of new other wetland alteration		0.00 Acres		Water Management Act Permit New Source Approval		
Acres of new non-water dependent use of tidelands or waterways		0.0 Acres		DEP or MWRA Sewer Connection/ Extension Permit		
STR	JCTURES			Other Permits		
Gross square footage	21,300 S.F.	50,000 S.F.	50,000 SF	(including Legislative Approvals) – Specify:		
Number of housing units	0	0	0			
Maximum height (in feet)				MESA Project Review From Natural Heritage		
TRANS	PORTATION	I		and Endangered Species		
Vehicle trips per day				Program (NHESP)		
Parking spaces	100 Spaces	170 Spaces	170			
WATER/W	VASTEWATE	R				
Gallons/day (GPD) of water use	1,000 gpd	1,500 gpd	1,500 gpd			
GPD water withdrawal	1,000 gpd	1,500 gpd	1,500 gpd			
GPD wastewater generation/ treatment	1,000 gpd	1,500 gpd	1,500 gpd			
Length of water/sewer mains (in miles)	0.02 Miles	0.11 Miles	0.11 Miles			

<u>CONSERVATION LAND</u>: Will the project involve the conversion of public parkland or other Article 97 public natural resources to any purpose not in accordance with Article 97?

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□Yes (Specify______)

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⊠No

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Will it involve the release of any conservation restriction, preservation restriction, agricultural preservation restriction, or watershed preservation restriction?

RARE SPECIES: Does the project site include Estimated Habitat of Rare Species, Vernal Pools, Priority Sites of Rare Species, or Exemplary Natural Communities?

⊠Yes (Spe	ecify) ∐No
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HISTORICAL /ARCHAEOLOGICAL RESOURCES: Does the project site include any structure, site or district listed
in the State Register of Historic Place or the inventory of Historic and Archaeological Assets of the Commonwealth?
⊠Yes (Specify) □No
If yes, does the project involve any demolition or destruction of any listed or inventoried historic or archaeological
resources?

____Yes (Specify____

____)___No

AREAS OF CRITICAL ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERN: Is the project in or adjacent to an Area of Critical Environmental Concern?

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: The project description should include (a) a description of the project site, (b) a description of both on-site and off-site alternatives and the impacts associated with each alternative, and (c) potential on-site and off-site mitigation measures for each alternative (You may attach one additional page, if necessary.)

A. Project Description

The site is approximately 15.0<u>+</u> Acres and located on the westbound side of Main Street – Route 117, in Bolton. It abuts single-family residential properties on the east, and northern sides. Undeveloped land is also located westerly and northerly of the site.

Currently the southwest portion of the site is developed. It contains both paved and unpaved parking areas, a 21,300 S.F. building, private well and subsurface sewage disposal system. The remainder of the site is undeveloped. Bordering vegetated wetlands (BVW) are located in the eastern portion, and surround the northwest corner of the property. Great Brook is located at the southwesterly corner of the property.

Skinner, Inc is proposing to replace an existing building with a new facility, which will include a warehouse, offices and auction room. Once the new building is constructed the existing building will be removed. Additional parking will also be required to accommodate the proposed building. The development includes a 50,000 S.F. building and approximately 60,000 S.F. of parking, along with associated grading, utilities, public water supply well, and new onsite sewage disposal system.

B. On-Site and Off-Site Alternatives

An on-site alternative would be to retrofit the existing 1970's building and add an addition. The configuration of the existing parking would make it difficult to accommodate the additional required parking for the addition, and retrofitting the building is economically unfeasible.

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There are no off-site alternatives.

C. Mitigation Measures

