Public Information Session

**For the status of investigation and construction activities at the
DuPont Pompton Lakes site
Pompton Lakes Boro, Passaic County, New Jersey
Monday, March 9, 2009**

Drop-in Public Information Session: 2:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Formal Presentation Times: 4 p.m. and 7 p.m.

Location: Carnevale Center at Saint Mary's
Lenox Drive
Pompton Lakes, New Jersey

Purpose of the Public Information Session

The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) will update the community on the status of the investigation of potential vapor intrusion pathways in the area of the DuPont Pompton Lakes facility in Pompton Lakes. Representatives from NJDEP will be available to meet individually with residents throughout the day and evening to discuss the installation of vapor mitigation systems and the results of recent ground water, soil gas and indoor air testing. NJDEP will also conduct formal presentations with a question and answer period at 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Site Background

In 2008 NJDEP confirmed the presence of elevated levels of Trichloroethene (TCE) and Tetrachloroethene (PCE) vapors in the soils immediately below the basement floors of several homes located in an exisiting ground water contamination area. Recent testing has led NJDEP to agree with DuPont's decision to install vapor mitigation systems in all homes in this area because testing has either confirmed elevated levels of TCE and/or PCE in the soil gas beneath the basements or shown the potential for elevated levels to exist under homes.

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