

**United States Environmental Protection Agency**  
**Region IV**  
**POLLUTION REPORT**

**Date:** Thursday, September 18, 2008

**From:** James Webster

**Subject:** Final Polrep

Circle Environmental #1

170 5th Ave SW, Dawson, GA

Latitude: 31.7731000

Longitude: -84.4478000

<b>POLREP No.:</b>	9	<b>Site #:</b>	A4RC
<b>Reporting Period:</b>	12/18-	<b>D.O. #:</b>	
<b>Start Date:</b>	9/11/2007	<b>Response Authority:</b>	CERCLA
<b>Mob Date:</b>	9/10/2007	<b>Response Type:</b>	Emergency
<b>Demob Date:</b>		<b>NPL Status:</b>	NPL
<b>Completion Date:</b>	12/18/2007	<b>Incident Category:</b>	Removal Action
<b>CERCLIS ID #:</b>	GAR000005439	<b>Contract #</b>	
<b>RCRIS ID #:</b>			

**Site Description**

The Circle Environmental #1 Site is located at 170 5th Street in downtown Dawson, Terrell County, Georgia. The facility consists of a brick/wood-construction warehouse measuring approximately 120 by 60 feet in size.

USEPA received a request from the Georgia Environmental Protection Division to take action at the Site, on September 10, 2007. Reports from the State indicated that the Site is an inactive waste management facility that cleaned oil and solvent tainted wipe rags. The FOSC responded to the facility on September 10, 2007, met with local officials, and based upon conditions present at the Site, initiated an Emergency Removal Action.

A total of 536 drums of waste materials were present at the Site. The primary chemicals of concern are tetrachloroethylene, waste oil, and solvent and paint waste.

**Current Activities**

On December 18, 2007 all remaining drums were transported from the Site for off-site disposal. Following cleaning of the floor of the building, two 8-hour air samples were collected from the interior of the warehouse and one 8-hour air sample was collected from outside the warehouse. Following collection of the samples, all EPA resources were demobilized from the Site.

On June 19, 2008 Technical Services Section completed review of the air sampling data. The review concluded that all reported concentrations were below or within EPA risk targets. Thus from a risk assessment perspective, no further remediation was required and no land use or other restrictions were necessary.

The following is a summary of wastestream disposition for the Site:

Perchloroethylene waste: 95 Drums  
Contaminated pads and boom: 165 Drums  
Absorbents: 15 Drums  
Contaminated rags: 147 Drums  
Flammable liquids: 2 Drums  
Grease: 2 Drums  
Heat exchange oil: 1 Drum  
Paint waste: 4 Drums  
Trash and floor sweepings: 5 Drums  
Water and debris: 2 Drums  
Empty drums and debris: 2 roll-off boxes

**Planned Removal Actions**

No further removal actions are planned for this Site.

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