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Honorable Steven Casey
Member, Connecticut State Senate
83 Peach Tree Lane
Bristol, Connecticut 06010

Dear Senator Casey: *Steve*

Thank you for your letter concerning Solvents Recovery Services of New England. The residential well sampling will begin the week of October 15, 1990. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) had to obtain funding and develop a scope of work for the substantial task of sampling over sixty wells for volatile organic compounds and inorganic compounds.

EPA's contractor, NUS will be obtaining the samples and validating the results, and the Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection and Connecticut Department of Health Services will be reviewing the results for potential contamination.

At this time EPA is testing wells within a two mile radius that were requested during the period of July 26, 1990 to September 6, 1990. This timeframe is defined as the date of the Public Meeting held at the Southington High School, on which this testing option was offered to the public, to the date of the contract initiation.

We appreciate your interest in this matter. If you need any further assistance, please contact me or have your staff contact Michael Ochs of the Office of Government Relations at (617) 565-3414.

Sincerely,

Julie
Julie Belaga
Regional Administrator

cc: Elsie Patton, CT DEP
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