RECORD OF COMMUNICATION	☑ PHONE CALL ☐ DISCUSSION ☐ FIELD TRIP ☐ CONFERENCE ☐ OTHER (SPECIFY) (Record of item checked above)
TO: FILE: Da-Bore (ILD 980 902 118) and Leng Landfill	FROM: J. Boyle, RCRA Enf. Br.
	DATE 6/13/89
	TIME 4:30 - 5:20

SUBJECT

Citizen complaint about the condition of these sites in Palos Hills, IL.

SUMMARY OF COMMUNICATION

I called [redacted] in response to his prior call to the Regional Administrator's office, which was routed to me. [redacted] gave me a lengthy description and history of this area in Palos Hills (107th & Roberts Road) which he understands to be owned by the Village of Palos Hills, and on which the village has been illegally disposing of waste, including demolition debris. He vigorously expressed his dissatisfaction over plans to require higher taxes in order to fund the development of the area into recreational facilities (e.g. golf course, toboggan hill, etc). He opposes these plans until the sites have been studied and cleaned up. He also wanted a fence erected in the meantime. He feels strongly that past inspections by IEPA, U.S. EPA, and U.S. EPA contractors have failed to find the toxic constituents, which, he is convinced, have been previously disposed there. He quoted contents of past U.S. EPA correspondence with him about these places, including the results of an inspection which concluded that the sites would not warrant a Superfund removal action, and that the HRS score would be too low to list on the national priority list. Mr. Hansen suggested that if individual scores were added together for each site, the sum would be high enough to gain Superfund attention.

CONCLUSIONS, ACTION TAKEN OR REQUIRED

I informed [redacted] that the corrective action requirements of RCRA apply to owners and operators of interim status or permitted hazardous waste facilities, unlike the situations he described. I explained how the IEPA has jurisdiction over landfills such as these, including demolition debris. I gave him my limited understanding of the features in the Superfund's emergency response program (e.g. re: fencing) and suggested he contact that Branch if he has any recent information that would alter the previous Superfund decision.

INFORMATION COPIES

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