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F.Y.I. -- The PCB story of the day, as released by the Boston Regional EPA Office and carried on the UPI (New England regional) wire late yesterday is summarized below:

The EPA has reported that it has found one-half million pounds of solid (spent capacitors) and liquid waste PCBs in a municipal landfill in New Bedford, Mass. The report also describes a high degree of PCB pollution in the Acushnet River (both in the sediment and fish) and implicates both Aerovox and Cornell (two of our capacitor customers) as the likely sources of this contamination.

I'm trying to obtain a press clipping from the area and will circulate anything I am able to locate.

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