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**Duty to Record**

Within 30 days after the date, any real property subject to the provisions of the Responsible Property Transfer Act of 1988 is transferred, this completed document must be filed in the office of the recorder of the county in which such property is located and filed with the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency.



**ENVIRONMENTAL DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT  
FOR TRANSFER OF REAL PROPERTY**

Seller: General Automation (Precision Pantwens)  
Buyer: IL Dept of Transportation  
Document No.: .....

**Property Identification:**

A. Address of property: 3300 OAKTON SKOKIE, IL 60076  
Street City or Village Township  
Permanent Real Estate Index No. 10-23-406-031

B. Legal Description:  
Section 23 Township 41 North Range 13 East  
Enter current legal description in this area:

Prepared by: Name Edward R. Gajewski  
Company GENERAL AUTOMATION division of Precision Pantwens  
Address 3300 OAKTON ST.  
City Skokie State IL Zip 60076

Return to: 1 DOT  
201 W. CENTER ST.  
SCHAUMBURG, IL 60196  
ATTN: S. DECKA



The following information is provided pursuant to the Responsible Property Transfer Act of 1988

JOB # R-90-00399  
PARCEL # 0001 00 03 DEP



Provided courtesy of  
The Illinois Chamber  
20 North Wacker Drive  
Chicago, Illinois 60606-3083  
312-372-7373



I. Liability Disclosure

Transferees and transferees of real property are advised that their ownership or other control of such property may render them liable for any environmental cleanup costs whether or not they caused or contributed to the presence of environmental problems associated with the property.

A. Property Characteristics:

Lot Size..... Acreage... 0.100 ACRES

Check all types of improvement and uses that pertain to the property:

- ..... Apartment building (6 units or less)
..... Commercial apartment (over 6 units)
..... Store, office, commercial building
[X]..... Industrial building
..... Farm, with buildings
..... Other (specify)

II. Nature of Transfer

A. (1) Is this a transfer by deed or other instrument of conveyance?

Yes..... No... X

(2) Is this a transfer by assignment of over 25% of beneficial interest of an Illinois land trust?

Yes..... No... X

(3) A lease exceeding a term of 40 years?

Yes..... No... X

(4) A mortgage or collateral assignment of beneficial interest?

Yes..... No... X

B. (1) Identify Transferor:

GENERAL AUTOMATION, INC.

Name and Current Address of Transferor:

3200 OAKTON, SKOKIE, IL. 60076

Name and Address of Trustee if this is a transfer of beneficial interest of a land trust:

Trust No.

(2) Identify person who has completed this form on behalf of the transferor and who has knowledge of the information contained in this form:

ED GAJEWSKI

847-676-4004

Name, Position (if any) and Address

Telephone No.

C. Identify Transferee:

ILL. DEPT. OF TRANS.

Name and Current Address of Transferee:

201 W. CENTER ST., SCHMIDERS, IL. 60196

III. Notification

Under the Illinois Environmental Protection Act, owners of real property may be held liable for costs related to the release of hazardous substances.

1. Section 22.2(f) of the Act states:

"Notwithstanding any other provision of law, and subject only to the defenses set forth in subsection (j) of this Section, the following persons shall be liable for all costs of removal or remedial action incurred by the State of Illinois as a result of a release or substantial threat of a release of a hazardous substance:

- (1) The owner and operator of a facility or vessel from which there is a release or substantial threat of release of a hazardous substance;
(2) Any person who at the time of disposal, transport, storage or treatment of a hazardous substance owned or operated the facility or vessel used for such disposal, transport, treatment or storage from which there was a release or substantial threat of a release of any such hazardous substance;

- (3) Any person who by contract, agreement, or otherwise has arranged with another party or entity for transport, storage, disposal or treatment of hazardous substances owned, controlled or possessed by such person at a facility there is a release or substantial threat of a release of such hazardous substances; and
  - (4) Any person who accepts or accepted any hazardous substances for transport to disposal, storage or treatment facilities or sites from which there is a release or a substantial threat of a release of a hazardous substance."
2. Section 4(q) of the Act states:  
"The Agency shall have the authority to provide notice to any person who may be liable pursuant to Section 22.2(f) of this Act for a release or a substantial threat of a release of a hazardous substance. Such notice shall include the identified response action and an opportunity for such person to perform the response action."
  3. Section 22.2(k) of the Act states:  
"If any person who is liable for a release or substantial threat of release of a hazardous substance fails without sufficient cause to provide removal or remedial action upon or in accordance with a notice and request by the agency or upon or in accordance with any order of the Board or any court, such person may be liable to the State for punitive damages in an amount at least equal to, and not more than 3 times, the amount of any costs incurred by the State of Illinois as result of such failure to take such removal or remedial action. The punitive damage imposed by the Board shall be in addition to any costs recovered from such person pursuant to this Section and in addition to any other penalty or relief provided by this Act or any other law."
  4. Section 22.18(a) of the Act states:  
"Notwithstanding any other provision or rule or law, except as provided otherwise in subsection (b), the owner or operator, or both, of an underground storage tank shall be liable for all costs of preventive action, corrective action and enforcement action incurred by the State of Illinois as a result of a release or a substantial threat of release of petroleum from an underground storage tank."
  5. The text of the statutes set out above is subject to change by amendment. Persons using this form may update it to reflect changes in the text of the statutes cited, but no disclosure statement shall be invalid merely because it sets forth an obsolete or superseded version of such text.

IV. Environmental Information

A. Regulatory Information During Current Ownership

1. Has the transferor ever conducted operations on the property which involved the generation, manufacture, processing, transportation, treatment, storage or handling of "hazardous substances" as defined by the Illinois Environmental Protection Act? This question shall not be applicable for consumer goods stored or handled by a retailer in the same form, approximate amount, concentration and manner as they are sold to consumers, provided that such retailer does not engage in any commercial mixing (other than paint mixing or tinting of consumer sized containers), finishing, refinishing, servicing, or cleaning operations on the property.  
Yes... No.....
2. Has the transferor ever conducted operations on the property which involved the processing, storage or handling of petroleum, other than that which was associated directly with the transferor's vehicle usage?  
Yes... No.....
3. Has the transferor ever conducted operations on the property which involved the generation, transportation, storage, treatment or disposal of "hazardous or special wastes," as defined by the federal Resource Conservation and Recovery Act and the Illinois Environmental Protection Act?  
Yes... No.....

4. Are there any of the following specific units (operating or closed) at the property which are or were used by the transferor to manage waste, hazardous wastes, hazardous substances or petroleum?

Landfill	Yes.....	No... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Surface Impoundment	Yes.....	No... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Land Treatment	Yes.....	No... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Waste Pile	Yes.....	No... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Incinerator	Yes.....	No... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Storage Tank (Above Ground)	Yes.....	No... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Storage Tank (Underground)	Yes.....	No... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Container Storage Area	Yes.....	No... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Injection Wells	Yes... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No.....
Wastewater Treatment Units	Yes.....	No... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Septic Tanks	Yes.....	No... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Transfer Stations	Yes.....	No... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Waste Recycling Operations	Yes.....	No... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Waste Treatment Detoxification	Yes.....	No... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Other Land Disposal Area	Yes.....	No... <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

If there are "YES" answers to any of the above items and the transfer is other than a mortgage or collateral assignment of beneficial interest, attach a site plan which identifies the location of each unit, such site plan to be filed with the Environmental Protection Agency along with this disclosure document.

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- 5. Has the transferor ever held any of the following in regard to this real property?
  - a. Permits for discharges of wastewater to waters of the State. Yes..... No...
  - b. Permits for emissions to the atmosphere. Yes... No.....
  - c. Permits for any waste storage, waste treatment or waste disposal operation. Yes..... No...
- 6. Has the transferor had any wastewater discharges (other than sewage) to a publicly owned treatment works? Yes..... No...
- 7. Has the transferor taken any of the following actions relative to this property?
  - a. Prepared a Chemical Safety Contingency Plan pursuant to the Illinois Chemical Safety Act Yes..... No...
  - b. Filed an Emergency and Hazardous Chemical Inventory Form pursuant to the federal Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986. Yes..... No...
  - c. Filed a Toxic Chemical Release Form pursuant to the federal Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986. Yes... No.....
- 8. Has the transferor or any facility on the property or the property been the subject of any of the following State or federal governmental actions:
  - a. Written notification regarding known, suspected or alleged contamination on or emanating from the property. Yes..... No...
  - b. Filing an environmental enforcement case with a court or the Pollution Control Board for which a final order or consent decree was entered. Yes..... No...
  - c. If item b. was answered by checking Yes, then indicate whether or not the final order or decree is still in effect for this property. Yes..... No.....
- 9. Environmental Releases During Transferor's Ownership
  - a. Has any situation occurred at this site which resulted in a reportable "release" of any hazardous substances or petroleum as required under State or federal laws. Yes..... No...
  - b. Have any hazardous substances or petroleum, which were released, come into direct contact with the ground at this site? Yes..... No...
  - c. If the answers to questions (a) and (b) are Yes, have any of the following actions or events been associated with a release on the property?
    - ..... Use of a cleanup contractor to remove or treat materials including soils, pavement or other surficial materials
    - ..... Assignment of in-house maintenance staff to remove or treat materials including soils, pavement or other surficial materials
    - ..... Designation, by the IEPA or the IESDA, of the release as "significant" under the Illinois Chemical Safety Act
    - ..... Sampling and analysis of soils
    - ..... Temporary or more long-term monitoring of groundwater at or near the site
    - ..... Impaired usage of an on-site or nearby water well because of offensive characteristics of the water
    - ..... Coping with fumes from subsurface storm drains or inside basements, etc.
    - ..... Signs of substances leaching out of the ground along the base of slopes or at other low points on or immediately adjacent to the site

10. Is the facility currently operating under a variance granted by the Illinois Pollution Control Board?  
 Yes..... No...

11. Is there any explanation needed for clarification of any of the above answers or responses?  
 THERE ARE NO LONGER ANY UNDERGROUND OR ABOVE GROUND STORAGE TANKS ON SITE

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## B. Site Information Under Other Ownership or Operation

1. Provide the following information about the previous owner or any entity or person the transferor leased the site to or otherwise contracted with for the management of the site or real property:

Name .....

Type of business/or property usage screw machine manufacturer

2. If the transferor has knowledge, indicate whether the following existed under prior ownerships, leaseholds granted by the transferor, other contracts for management or use of the facilities or real property:

Landfill	Yes.....	No..X..
Surface Impoundment	Yes.....	No...X
Land Treatment	Yes.....	No..X..
Waste Pile	Yes.....	No..X..
Incinerator	Yes.....	No...X
Storage Tank (Above Ground)	Yes..X	No.....
<del>Storage Tank (Underground)</del>	<del>Yes..X</del>	<del>No.....</del>
Container Storage Area	Yes..X	No.....
Injection Wells	Yes.....	No..X..
Wastewater Treatment Units	Yes.....	No..X..
Septic Tanks	Yes.....	No...X
Transfer Stations	Yes.....	No..X..
Waste Recycling Operations	Yes.....	No..X..
Waste Treatment Detoxification	Yes.....	No..X..
Other Land Disposal Area	Yes.....	No...X

## V. Certification

A. Based on my inquiry of those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, I certify that the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and accurate.

*Edward B. Gajewski*  
SIGNATURE(S)

EDWARD B. GAJEWSKI  
TRANSFEROR OR TRANSFERORS (PLEASE TYPE)  
(or on behalf of Transferor)

B. This form was delivered to me with all elements completed on

NOVEMBER 28 10 2001

*J. P. O'Connell*  
SIGNATURE(S)

J.P.O'CONNELL  
TRANSFEREE OR TRANSFEREES (PLEASE TYPE)  
(or on behalf of Transferee)

C. This form was delivered to me with all elements completed on

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SIGNATURE(S)

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LENDER

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LENDER REPRESENTATIVE (PLEASE TYPE)

.....  
TITLE

EXHIBIT 'A'

~~Owner: GA Acquisitions, Inc.~~

Route :FAU 1332 (Oakton Street)  
 Section :  
 County :Cook  
 Job No. :R-90-003-99  
 Parcel No. :ODH0003DED  
 Sta. 4+361.736 To Sta. 4+500.000  
 Index No. :10-23-406-031

That part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 23, Township 41 North, Range 13 East of the Third Principal Meridian, in Cook County, Illinois; described as follows:

Commencing at the southeast corner of said Southeast Quarter; thence on an assumed bearing of South 89 degrees 32 minutes 53 seconds West along the south line of said Southeast Quarter 201.242 meters [660.24 feet] to the west line of the East 660.00 feet of said Southeast Quarter; thence North 01 degrees 06 minutes 05 seconds East along said west line 12.195 meters [40.01 feet] to the north line of the south 40.00 feet of said Southeast Quarter; thence South 89 degrees 32 minutes 53 seconds West along said north line 6.096 meters [20.00 feet] to the point of beginning; thence continuing South 89 degrees 32 minutes 53 seconds West along said north line 13.282 meters [43.57 feet]; thence North 00 degrees 43 minutes 53 seconds West 1.000 meters [3.28 feet]; thence North 89 degrees 32 minutes 53 seconds East 2.218 meters [7.28 feet]; thence easterly and northerly 23.425 meters [76.85 feet] along a curve to the left having a radius of 15.000 meters [49.21 feet], the chord of said curve bears North 44 degrees 48 minutes 32 seconds East 21.116 meters [69.28 feet]; thence North 00 degrees 35 minutes 31 seconds East 82.360 meters [270.21 feet]; thence North 05 degrees 03 minutes 23 seconds East 40.397 meters [132.54 feet]; thence South 88 degrees 55 minutes 02 seconds East 0.543 meters [1.78 feet] to the west line of the east 660.00 feet of said Southeast Quarter; thence South 01 degrees 06 minutes 08 seconds West along said west line 132.360 meters [434.25 feet] to the northwesterly line of property conveyed to the Illinois Department of Transportation per Deed recorded October 3, 1986 as Document Number 86454728; thence South 45 degrees 19 minutes 31 seconds West along said northwesterly line 8.737 meters [28.67 feet] to the point of beginning.

Said parcel containing 0.0406 Hectares [0.100 Acres], more or less.