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SUBJ: Request For Information: CERCLIS No. NC 6170022580
(SUPERFUND SITE) Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, N.C.

Ref: (a) Public Health Assessment For U.S. Marine Corps Camp Lejeune
Military Reservation Camp Lejeune, Onslow County, N. Carolina.

CERCLIS No. NC 170022580 dated 4 August 1997: Agency For Toxic
Substances and Disease Registry, U.S. Public Health Service, Department
of Health and Human Services, Atlanta Georgia 30333

In view of the inclusion of the Camp Lejeune military reservation on
the EPA National Priorities List and subsequent listing as a superfund
area the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)
has compiled the public health assessment noted as reference (a)
and a comprehensive study, published in August 1998, concerning volatile
organic compounds in the CLWC drinking water system and adverse
pregnancy outcomes at that location.

NAVFACENCOM had the opportunity to review and make comments
on the ATSDR draft of the final release of reference (a) and a
member of your staff, Ms. Katherine Landman, is cited as a
contacted person (#78, page 77 of ref.(a)) I would appreciate
receiving a copy of her comments given on behalf of your command.

Since NAVFACENCOM exercises design and construction oversight
of naval facilities, including Camp Lejeune, I have some questions that
relate to the contamination issues now under survey nationwide
by ATSDR in cooperative efforts with the Department of the Navy
and the Marine Corps.

A. Does NAVFACENCOM have "as built" maps of the potable
water distribution system as it existed at MCB, Camp Lejeune during
the period 1965-1967? If so I would like copies of that material.

B. Does NAVFACENCOM have reliable maps of the CLWC recreation
showing the physical locations of the forty six wells that were

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In use at Camp Lejeune until 1965 and how water was distributed internally to the major locations where the well water was blended and treated (chlorine, fluoride, etc.)? If so I desire copies of such maps and a description summary of the blending and treatment process

C. Does NAVFACENGCOM have "as built" or amended maps of the CLUC water distribution system that served the married officers quarters at Paradise Point?

In the period 1965-1967 was the MOA area served by the Holcomb Boulevard facility or the Hadnot Point Facility? Or a combination of both?

Copies of these distribution system maps are desired.

D. Did NAVFACENGCOM have any oversight of water monitoring programs at CLUC after system construction, approved by NAVFACENGCOM, had been completed or as additional facilities were added?

If so, what water quality standards were in place between 1960 and 1970?

E. AFSDR documents note the existence of a program entitled Navy Assessment and Control of Installation Pollutants Program (NACIP) which began to function at CLUC in July 1984. There is also mention of an Installation Restoration Program (IRP) that appears to be a military counterpart to civilian superfund site mitigation/remediation.

(1) Who, what naval command operates these programs?

(2) Does EPA set the parameters of mitigation/remediation or does the military make these decisions?

(3) Is NACIP the action portion of the IRP?

(4) Does NAVFACENGCOM have a relationship with either of these programs and if so what is that relationship?

I just looked at NPEC website and did not see the above noted programs still in the environmental program of your command.

cc: OJAG (Code 35)

Submitted,


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