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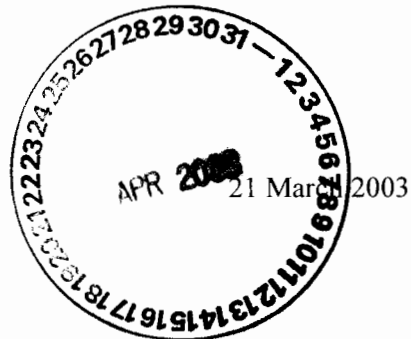
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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

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Mr. James P. Bearzi, Chief
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2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Building 1
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505-6303

**RE: REQUEST FOR COMMENTS ON CHANGES FOR THE ANNUAL UNIT AUDIT FOR
CALENDAR YEAR 2002**

Dear Mr. Bearzi:

In accordance with the instructions contained in your letter of March 5, 2003, subject as above, addressed to Major General Stanley E. Green, Fort Bliss would like to provide you with the following comments on the proposed Annual Unit Audit for Calendar Year 2002:

Request that the AUA fees for the following units on Table B Corrective Action Units:

<u>Count</u>	<u>Unit ID No.</u>	<u>Unit Type Description</u>
4	21	Inactive FFTA McGregor Range
5	22	Inactive Waste Drum Storage McGregor
9	27B	Evaporation Pond Dona Ana Range
11	66	Borrow Pit Drum Burial Site McGregor
12	76	Oxidation Pond Myer's Small Arms Range
13	78	Hueco Range Camp

be held in abeyance for the year 2002.

Reason for this request is that there was agreement between us on 14 January 2002, in your letter to Fort Bliss that these six sites were "... eligible for NFA determination." While we recognize that we are presently in disagreement over the legality of imposing other NMAC requirements, not part of our RCRA permit, on some of these sites, we still feel that these six units properly belong on Table B.2. **Therefore** the fees for these six units should be held in abeyance until the resolution of this matter.

Thank you for consideration.

Keith Landreth
Director
Directorate of Environment