July 17, 2012

Subject: Public Notice for a Petition to Perform a Class 3 Permit Modification to Change the Status of Solid Waste Management Units 107, 121, 122, 123, 156, and 163, White Sands Missile Range, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Permit (No. NM2750211235)

Dear Interested Citizen:

This letter is sent to you because you have indicated your desire to be notified when petitions to modify the White Sands Missile Range, Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Permit (No. NM2750211235). Enclosed for your information is a Public Notice regarding the request for a Class 3 Permit Modification to change the status of the following sites at White Sands Missile Range (the Permittee) from Corrective Action Required to Corrective Action Complete without controls:

Solid Waste Management Units 107, 121, 122, 123, 156 and 163

The enclosed Public Notice provides the location at which the related supporting documentation for this Permit Modification request can be reviewed, information regarding the public meeting, and procedures for submitting comments. Written comments must be based on supporting documentation.

Any person seeking additional information regarding this notice may contact the Permitee’s contact person: Benito Avalos, Restoration Program Manager, White Sands Missile Range at (575) 678-5359.

Sincerely,

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Shaw Project Manager
PUBLIC NOTICE
White Sands Missile Range
White Sands, New Mexico

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to New Mexico Environment Department (NMED) Regulations a petition for a Class 3 Permit Modification for the White Sands Missile Range (the Permittee) is being submitted to the New Mexico Environment Department, Hazardous Waste Bureau, 2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Bldg. 1, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505, Telephone (505) 476-6000:

The Department of the Army, U.S. Army Garrison White Sands, 100 Headquarters Avenue, White Sands Missile Range (WSMR), New Mexico 88002-5000 is submitting petitions for Class 3 Permit modifications to change the status of the following sites at WSMR located near Las Cruces from Corrective Action Required to Corrective Action Complete without controls:
Solid Waste Management Units 107, 121, 122, 123, 156 and 163.

A 60 day comment period will begin on July 15, 2012 and ends on September 12, 2012. Any interested person may submit comments to John E. Kieling, Bureau Chief, Hazardous Waste Bureau, NMED, 2905 Rodeo Park Drive East, Bldg 1, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505-6303, Telephone (505) 476-6000 during the 60 day comment period.

A public meeting will be held on August 1, 2012 at 6:30 PM at the Thomas Branigan Memorial Library located at 200 E. Picacho Ave., Las Cruces, NM 88001. Phone: (575) 528-4000. A copy of the petitions may be viewed at the Thomas Branigan Memorial Library from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday; 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Friday and 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Saturday.

Interested persons may obtain further information from the Permittee's contact person Benito Avalos, White Sands Missile Range, (575) 678-5359 and/or the NMED's contact person John E. Kieling, NMED, (505) 476-6000.

The Permittee's compliance history during the life of the permit being modified is available from the NMED contact person. Contact information is provided above.