FINAL OPERATIONAL RANGE ASSESSMENT PROGRAM PHASE I QUALITATIVE ASSESSMENT REPORT PRICE LOCAL TRAINING AREA PRICE, UTAH

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The United States (U.S.) Army is conducting qualitative assessments at operational ranges to meet the requirements of Department of Defense policy and to support the U.S. Army Sustainable Range Program. The operational range qualitative assessment (hereinafter referred to as Phase I Assessment) is the first phase of the U.S. Army Operational Range Assessment Program. This Phase I Assessment evaluates the operational range area at Price Local Training Area's (LTA's) to assess whether further investigation is needed to determine if potential munitions constituents of concern (MCOC) are or could be migrating off-range at levels that may pose an unacceptable risk to human health or the environment. In conducting the Phase I Assessment, MCOC sources, potential off-range migration pathways, and potential off-range human and ecological receptors are evaluated as appropriate.

The Price LTA occupies 160 acres in Carbon County, Utah, and is located about four and one-half miles north of the town of Wellington and six miles east of the town of Price. The LTA is in the southeast quarter of Section 16, Range 11 East, Township 14 South and is used mainly by the Company A, 1457th Engineer Combat Battalion of the Utah Army National Guard, located near Price, Utah. The LTA is used about 10 weekends per year to perform limited training activities related to heavy equipment and light maneuver exercises. Munitions used at the LTA include pyrotechnics and blank small arms ammunition. No live-fire or demolition training is conducted by any units using the Price LTA.

The operational range at the Price LTA is categorized as Unlikely.

Unlikely – Five-Year Review

The single operational range at the Price LTA is categorized as Unlikely, totaling 160 acres. Ranges where, based upon a review of readily available information, there is sufficient evidence to show that there are no known releases or source-receptor interactions off-range that could present an unacceptable risk to human health or the environment are categorized as Unlikely. Ranges categorized as Unlikely are required to be re-evaluated at least every five years. Re-evaluation may occur sooner if significant changes (e.g., in range operations or site conditions, regulations) occur that affect determinations made during this Phase I Assessment.

Table ES-1 summarizes the Phase I Assessment findings.

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Table ES-1: Summary of Findings and Conclusions for the Price LTA

Category	Total Number of Ranges and Acreage	Source(s)	Pathway(s)	Human Receptors	Ecological Receptors	Conclusions and Rationale
Unlikely	One operational range; 160 acres	No source – limited or no military munitions use	Not evaluated (no source was identified)		Re-evaluate during the five- year review. No source was identified.	

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ABBREVIATIONS/ACRONYMS

°F	Degrees Fahrenheit			
ARID-GEO	Army Range Inventory Database-Geodatabase			
ARNG	Army National Guard			
ASL	Above Sea Level			
CSM	Conceptual Site Model			
DoD	Department of Defense			
DODI	Department of Defense Instruction			
Е	Ecological receptors identified. (This refers to range grouping; pathway			
	designation always precedes E designation.)			
GW	Groundwater pathway identified. (This refers to range grouping; M			
	designation always precedes GW designation.)			
Н	Human receptors identified. (This refers to range grouping; pathway			
	designation always precedes H designation.)			
LS	Limited Source.			
LTA	Local Training Area			
M	Munitions used. (This refers to range grouping; M designation always			
	precedes applicable pathway.)			
MCOC	Munitions Constituents of Concern			
MTA	Major Training Area			
NGB	National Guard Bureau			
OHV	Off-Highway Vehicle			
ORAP	Operational Range Assessment Program			
PU	Pathway unlikely or incomplete. (This refers to range grouping; M			
	designation always precedes PU designation.)			
SITLA	School and Institutional Trust Lands Administration			
SW	Surface water pathway identified. (This refers to range grouping; M			
	designation always precedes SW designation.)			
UDWR	Utah Division of Water Resources			
U.S.	United States			
USACE	E United States Army Corps of Engineers			
USACHPPM	United States Army Center for Health Promotion and Preventive Medicine			
USAEC	United States Army Environmental Command			
USEPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency			
USGS	United States Geological Survey			
UTARNG	Utah Army National Guard			

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Operational Range Assessment Program Phase I Qualitative Assessment Price Local Training Area, UT



Figure 1-1
General Price Local Training Area Location

