FINAL State/Territory Inventory Report

NATIONAL GUARD BUREAU NON-DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE OWNED NON-OPERATIONAL DEFENSE SITES INVENTORY

NEW HAMPSHIRE

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Purpose of the Inventory

The New Hampshire Army National Guard (NHARNG) Non-Department of Defense Owned, Non-Operational, Defense Sites (NDNODS) Inventory is being completed in accordance with the requirements set forth by the National Defense Authorization Act of Fiscal Year 2002 in which Congress directed the Department of Defense to develop an inventory of military ranges and defense sites that are known or suspected to contain munitions constituents (MC) and munitions and explosives of concern (MEC) (including unexploded ordnance [UXO], discarded military munitions [DMM], and MC present in high enough concentrations to pose an explosive hazard).

By letter dated 3 August 2005, the United States Army Office of the Assistant Secretary (Installations and Environment) approved the use of funds from the Environmental Restoration, Army account to develop an inventory and implement the Munitions Response Site Prioritization Protocol (MRSPP). The primary goals of the National Guard Bureau (NGB) NDNODS Inventory are to:

- Collect specific information required per 10 United States Code 2710 at each Munitions Response Site (MRS) and
- Develop the draft MRSPP for each MRS identified.

The inventory encompasses land and water areas where the State Army National Guard (ARNG) may have trained, controlled, or otherwise used military munitions in the past. The inventory is being completed to establish a comprehensive list and to understand the potential liability associated with NDNODS by identifying defense sites that may require cleanup for MEC and/or MC. Future response actions or cleanups, as needed, generally will follow the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act and the National Contingency Plan process.

Purpose of the Inventory Report

The NHARNG NDNODS Inventory Report (Report) presents the results of the inventory. The Report findings were compiled primarily through an archive search (national, state, and local level), general internet search, review of Joint Forces Headquarters - State records, interviews of personnel at, or involved with the State ARNG and/or NDNODS, and a state-wide site visit conducted on 9 September 2008.

No eligible NDNODS were identified in New Hampshire.

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