FINAL State/Territory Inventory Report

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

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Purpose of the Inventory

The Texas Army National Guard (TXARNG) 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 Texas ARNG (TXARNG) NDNODS Inventory 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 – Texas records, and interviews of personnel at, or involved with the TXARNG and/or NDNODS. The Research Site Visit was conducted from 07 January through 11 January 2008. The State-Wide Site Visit was conducted from 03 June through 12 June 2008. The Field Activities Site Visit was conducted from 02 March 2009 through 06 March 2009.

The TXARNG NDNODS Inventory Report includes the following items:

- Map depicting the locations of all eligible NDNODS and their associated MRSs
- Maps depicting all MRSs
- Description of NGB NDNODS Inventory Data Requirements Site Information, UXO
 Liability and Future Assessment, and Stewardship for each NDNODS and associated MRS
 presented in both summary and tabular formats
- Ineligible Site Table and supporting documentation listing sites that were evaluated during the NDNODS Inventory and determined to be ineligible
- Spatial Data Standards Facilities Infrastructure and Environment compliant geographical information system files and data files in American Standard Code for Information Interchange (ASCII) format to be provided as a separate electronic deliverable

In addition, a Draft MRSPP is provided as a separate deliverable with the Report.

Summary of Results

Table ES-1: Texas NDNODS Inventory Summary						
NDNODS	MRS Name	MRS Number	Status (Closed or Transferred)	Total MRS Area (Acres)	Owner	Munitions
El Campo Range	El Campo Range	RRTX000005	Closed	8	State	Small Arms
Kerens National Guard Target Range	Kerens National Guard Target Range	RRTX000002	Transferred	6	Private	Small Arms
Lake Crook Artillery Range	Lake Crook Artillery Range	RRTX000008	Transferred	82	Local Government	Large Caliber (37MM and Larger), High Explosives
Marshall Range	Marshall Range	RRTX000009	Closed	1	State	Small Arms

