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SUBJECT: MEETING SUMMARY – PUBLIC MEETING TO ADDRESS
QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ON THE U.S.
ARMY'S LICENSE FOR DEPLETED URANIUM SUC-1593
(Docket No.: 040-09083)

On December 12, 2013, staff from the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) held a teleconference at NRC headquarters in Rockville, Maryland with interested members of the public. The purpose of the meeting was to address questions from the public on the NRC's oversight program for SUC-1593, the recently issued license for depleted uranium (DU) from the Davy Crockett weapon spotting round at the U.S. Army's Schofield Barracks and Pohakuloa Training Area installations in Hawaii. The meeting was noticed on the NRC website on November 21, 2013 (Agency Document Access and Management System (ADAMS) Accession No.: ML13323B451).

Approximately 10 members of the public participated in the teleconference. Questions ranged from how the NRC staff would conduct its oversight activities to how the public could continue to participate in the licensing process. Several members of the public asked about the process for submitting concerns about the license or comments on documents submitted by the U.S. Army. The NRC staff stated that the public may comment on any of the documents submitted by the U.S. Army, as they can on any publically available document. However, the NRC staff stated that they would not be formally requesting comments on the documents and would only consider the public's comments if time and resources allowed. The NRC staff made several commitments during the teleconference, which are summarized below.

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- The NRC staff will contact the U.S. Army to determine if information developed by Dr. James Morrow about air sampling at the U.S. Army installations in Hawaii can be obtained and made publically available;
- The NRC staff will notify interested individuals by email when the air and plant sampling plans and financial assurance documents have been submitted by the U.S. Army;
- The NRC staff will notify interested individuals by email if a license amendment request for the Hawaiian installations is received;
- The NRC staff will evaluate the potential for the presence of other DU on the Hawaiian installations; and,
- The NRC staff will contact the Navy master materials license Project Manager to evaluate if a DU round that was fired on Oahu had been recovered (the member of the public making this request indicated that additional information about the incident would be provided to NRC).

The meeting was adjourned at 4:30 p.m. Eastern Standard Time. The NRC staff that participated in the meeting are listed below.

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