

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WASHINGTON, D.C.

In re)) RCRA Appeal No. 23-01
Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson Hazardous Waste Management Facility) () () () () () () () () () (
RCRA Permit No. AK8 57002 8649))
)

ORDER STAYING PROCEEDINGS TO ALLOW PARTIES TO PARTICIPATE IN THE BOARD'S ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROGRAM

The parties in the above-captioned matter—U.S. Department of the Air Force and United States Environmental Protection Agency Region 10—have agreed to participate in the Environmental Appeals Board's ("Board") Alternative Dispute Resolution ("ADR") program. In light of this agreement, the Board finds it appropriate to stay all proceedings to allow the parties to participate in the Board's ADR program and for the ADR process to proceed. Environmental Appeals Judge Wendy L. Blake will serve as Settlement Judge for this ADR process and will contact the parties regarding the next steps.

Accordingly, all proceedings in this matter are stayed until **Monday, February 5, 2024**. So ordered.

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD

Dated: November 20, 2023

Kathie A. Stein

Environmental Appeals Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that copies of the foregoing *Order Staying Proceedings to Allow Parties to Participate in the Board's Alternative Dispute Resolution Program* in the matter of Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson Hazardous Waste Management Facility, RCRA Appeal No. 23-01, were sent to the following persons by electronic mail:

For Petitioner U.S. Department of the Air Force

Major Steven M. McKevett, DAF/JAOE 510 Hickam Ave, Bldg 250, Bay A Travis AFB, CA 94535 (707) 424-8286 steven.mckevett@us.af.mil

Mr. Michael L. Casillo, DAF/JAOE 1500 W. Perimeter Rd., Ste. 3750 Joint Base Andrews, MD 20762 (240) 612-4687 michael.casillo@us.af.mil For Respondent EPA Region 10

Nicholas Vidargas Assistant Regional Counsel U.S. EPA, Region 10 1200 6th Ave. Seattle, WA 95501 (206) 553-1460 vidargas.nick@epa.gov

Dated: Nov 20, 2023

Annette Duncan Administrative Specialist

Annette Duncan