NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF A TEMPORARY EMERGENCY PERMIT TO ARNOLD ENGINEERING DEVELOPMENT COMPLEX ARNOLD AIR FORCE BASE, COFFEE COUNTY

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM) has issued a temporary emergency permit to Arnold Engineering Development Complex. The facility (EPA ID TN8570024044) is located in Coffee County at 100 Kindel Drive, Arnold Air Force Base, Tennessee 37389. The permit (TNTMP-22-001) allows temporary storage and treatment by detonation of unexploded ordnance with a D003 (reactive) hazardous waste code. The permit is valid for 90 days, beginning March 25, 2022, and shall terminate on June 23, 2022.

Issuing an emergency permit under Tennessee Rule 0400-12-01-.07(1)(d) was necessary because improper management of the hazardous waste could result in an imminent and substantial endangerment to human health or the environment. It provides the benefit of allowing the waste to be stored and treated in a controlled manner. The permit was issued under the authority of the Tennessee Hazardous Waste Management Act of 1977, as amended, Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-212-101 et seq., and Tennessee Rule Chapter 0400-12-01, Hazardous Waste Management.

A copy of the temporary emergency permit, including the fact sheet and this public notice, is available for public inspection at the Coffee County Lannom Memorial Public Library, 312 North Collins Street, Tullahoma, TN 37388 (931-455-2460). Copies of these materials are also available at TDEC’s Columbia Environmental Field Office, 1421 Hampshire Pike, Columbia, TN 38401 (931-380-3371) and DSWM’s Central Office, William R. Snodgrass Tennessee Tower, 312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 14th Floor, Nashville, TN 37243 (615-532-0780). Normal state office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on weekdays, excluding legal holidays. A copy of these materials may be viewed online at tn.gov/environment/notices/aedc-emergency.

For further information, contact Mr. Roger Donovan in the Hazardous Waste Permitting Section at DSWM’s Central Office (615-804-3694), fax 615-804-3694, or email Roger.Donovan@tn.gov.

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