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Colonel Stephen D. Dorris, Commander
Blue Grass Army Depot
431 Battlefield Memorial Highway
Richmond, Kentucky 40475-5060

RE: Completion and Schedule for Two Permit Modification Requests for the Treatment of Nerve Agent in Two Static Detonation Chambers (SDC) - SDC 1200 and SDC 2000
Blue Grass Chemical Agent-Destruction Pilot Plant (BGCAPP)
Blue Grass Army Depot (BGAD)
Richmond, Madison County, Kentucky
EPA ID# KY8-213-820-105, AI# 2805, Activity #APE20210007, APE20210006

Dear Colonel Dorris,

The Kentucky Division of Waste Management (Division) has determined that the subject permit modification requests are technically complete and has tentatively decided to issue the permit modifications. Pursuant to 401 KAR 39:060 Section 5, the Division has prepared the draft permits, public notice, and fact sheet. The public notice will be published in the following newspapers: Lexington Herald-Leader, Richmond Register, and Berea Citizen. A short public announcement will also be provided to local radio stations. Please note that the public notice includes both Class 3 permit modification requests for SDC 1200 and SDC 2000 submitted by the Bechtel Parsons Blue Grass Joint Venture.

Any interested person or party, including the permit owner and operator, has 45 days from the January 30, 2022 date of the Lexington Herald-Leader advertisement, or until March 16, 2022, to submit comments to the Division. Enclosed are the public notice and the fact sheet that will be sent to persons on the facility mailing list. Also enclosed is a copy of the draft permit, and the radio announcement.

Below is the Division's tentative schedule for the permitting action:

Public Notice (begins public comment period):	January 30, 2022
End of Public Comment Period:	March 16, 2022
Division Response to Comments:	April 15, 2022
Final Permit Decision:	April 15, 2022

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact Todd Powers by phone at (502) 782-6434 or by email at todd.powers@ky.gov.

Sincerely,

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