

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR PERSONNEL INVOLVED WITH RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS

The purpose of this questionnaire is to assist Cabrera Services, Inc. in collecting information for a Historical Site Assessment (HSA) in support of the Environmental Condition of Property (ECP) Phase I for selected Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) installations. The HSA findings will be used to design and perform radiological surveys, as necessary to support release of the selected installation. Please complete this questionnaire to the best of your recollection, and include any additional explanations in the Additional Notes/Comments section on the last page of this questionnaire or on an attached sheet of paper.

Date of Interview: July 13, 2006

Name of Interviewer: Bob Dover

Selected BRAC Installation: Fort Monmouth

Mode of Communication(s): Face-to-face interview

Contact Information: Charles Wood, Fire Training Academy

1. What is your name and what is/was your job title/position?

Scott Gould

2. During what span of years have you worked, or did you work, at this installation?

Mr. Gould has worked at Fort Monmouth since 1998.

3. How many years have you worked with radioactive materials?

Mr. Gould has worked with radioactive materials since he has been employed at this installation.

4. Can you name or identify the radioactive commodities or devices that you or anyone else might have worked on within the selected installation? What isotopes did they contain?

None known.

5. Can you identify any locations/areas/buildings of known use or storage of radioactive material used at the selected installation, including fuel, raw materials, experiments, products, and liquid and solid effluents and wastes? (Be specific; Bldg/room numbers, outdoor areas, etc.)

The emergency response truck is stored in Building 2628, which was built a couple of years ago.

There are also three Radiac meters at Building 2560 (Fire Department, Charles Wood) that were retrieved three months ago.

6. Where and how was the shipping and receiving of radioactive material handled?

Not applicable.

7. Did any of the radioactive commodities or devices contain radium-226, cesium-137, hydrogen-3 (tritium) or cobalt-60? How did you handle these items (e.g., standard procedures, contamination controls, personal protective equipment, etc.)?

Mr. Gould states they have Cs-137 calibration sources. There are also chemical detectors

that have sources maintained on the emergency response truck. He exhibits an ApD 2000

detector with a Ni-63 source, 10 mCi. The three instruments are returned to Building 2540

(CECOM Safety Building) for monthly leak testing. None have ever been found

to have leaked.

8. Did your standard operating procedures address disposal of radioactive materials or contaminated material/waste? Are you aware of any disposal, or incineration, of radioactive material onsite or if rad material was transferred to an industrial landfill as non-rad trash?

Not applicable.

9. Was animal research, with radioactive material, ever performed at the site? Describe.

None known.

10. Are you aware of the presence of any radionuclide-containing exit signs or smoke alarms?

None known.

11. Were electronic maintenance activities performed on equipment with electron tubes? Where?

Not applicable.

12. Describe what would happen if a radioactive commodity or device was damaged or broken.

Whom would you tell? What special procedures would have been implemented?

Not applicable.

13. Do you recall any instance of broken or leaking sources or any other contamination incidents or accidents? Describe as accurately as can be recalled, including dates, specific rad materials and forms, contamination levels, aerial extent of contamination, and disposition.

Mr. Gould is only aware of responses at Building 2540, but they were not actual responses to incidents, they were monitoring to establish background levels.

14. Are you aware of any studies/reports that may have identified contaminated areas and the isotopes activated? Describe.

None known.

15. Are there any other individuals you feel should be interviewed regarding the above items?

Mr. Gould does not mention any individuals.

16. What areas would you concentrate on if you were conducting a radiological close out survey of the selected installation?

Mr. Gould does not recommend concentrating on any specific areas.

17. Additional Notes / Comments:

None.
