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AIR STATION ORDER 5090.8B

From: Commanding Officer, Marine Corps Air Station Beaufort
To: Distribution List

Subj: HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT

Ref: (a) 40 CFR 260-265
(b) SC R61-79.124-270
(c) South Carolina Hazardous Waste Permit SC1750216169
(d) MCO 5090.2
(e) MCAS Beaufort Hazardous Waste Management Plan

1. Situation. Per the references, Marine Corps Air Station (MCAS) Beaufort is a large quantity generator and permitted treatment, storage, and disposal facility of hazardous waste. It is thereby subject to regulatory compliance with all state and federal environmental laws, regulations, and rules established to protect human health and the environment. Failure to comply with the aforementioned environmental standards is a violation of state and federal law.

2. Cancellation. ASO 5090.8A.

3. Mission. To implement the latest version of the MCAS Beaufort Hazardous Waste Management Plan.

4. Execution

a. Commander's Intent and Concept of Operations

(1) Commander's Intent. Per reference (d), MCAS Beaufort will comply with all hazardous waste laws, regulations, rules, and policies and establish a hazardous waste management plan to protect MCAS Beaufort assets.

(2) Concept of Operations

(a) MCAS Beaufort's policy is to manage hazardous waste generated via activities and processes aboard the Installation per references (d) and (e). The Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs Office (NREAO) provides overall coordination of the hazardous waste management program and budgets for the disposal of hazardous waste.

(b) The long-term goal of MCAS Beaufort is to eliminate hazardous waste generation and disposal to the maximum extent possible by decreasing the use of hazardous materials and implementing best management practices and best available technologies.

(c) Per references (d) and (e), Commanding Officers (COs) aboard MCAS Beaufort shall appoint in writing a minimum of two individuals with sufficient authority to implement environmental requirements.

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(1) These individuals shall serve as the primary and alternate unit Environmental Compliance Coordinators (ECCs) and will spearhead environmental efforts at the unit level.

(2) Per references (d) and (e), unless a deviation is granted in writing by the NREAO, all military ECCs will be of grade E-5 or above.

(c) Per reference (e), MCAS Beaufort shall establish and maintain a training program which provides on-site training for military and civilian personnel involved with hazardous waste management, to include a thorough indoctrination program.

(d) MCAS Beaufort shall respond to hazardous situations related to the generation and storage of hazardous waste per written contingency plans.

(e) The pollution prevention activities aboard MCAS Beaufort, outlined in reference (e), have been effective in achieving significant reductions in the generation of hazardous waste.

5. Administration and Logistics. This Order shall be reviewed annually. Recommendations and requests for deviation shall be forwarded to the CO, MCAS Beaufort via the NREAO.

6. Command and Signal

a. Command. This Order is applicable to MCAS Beaufort and all visiting units.

b. Signal. This Order is effective the date signed.



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