

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Department of the Army****Availability for Non-Exclusive, Exclusive, or Partially Exclusive Licensing of U.S. Patent Application Concerning High-Throughput Assays for the Proteolytic Activities of Clostridial Neurotoxins****AGENCY:** Department of the Army, DOD.**ACTION:** Notice; correction.

SUMMARY: The notice published on Tuesday, March 12, 2002, at 67 FR 111106 announcing the availability for licensing of U.S. patent application provided the incorrect patent application number, the patent application number should read: "09/962,360".

ADDRESSES: Commander, U.S. Army Medical Research and Materiel Command, ATTN: Command Judge Advocate, MCMR-JA, 504 Scott Street, Fort Detrick, Frederick, Maryland 21702-5012.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For patent issues, Ms. Elizabeth Arwine, Patent Attorney, (301) 619-7808. For licensing issues, Dr. Paul Mele, Office of Research & Technology Assessment, (301) 619-6664. Both at telefax (301) 619-5034.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: None.**Luz D. Ortiz,***Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.*

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Department of the Army; Corps of Engineers****Availability of a Draft Environmental Impact Statement To Consider Issuance of a Department of the Army Permit Pursuant to Section 404 of the Clean Water Act for Hobet Mining, Inc.'s Proposed Surface Coal Mining Operation in Conjunction With Its Spruce No. 1 Surface Mine, Near Blair in Logan County, WV****AGENCY:** Department of the Army, Army Corps of Engineers, DoD.**ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) Huntington District, in cooperation with U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, the Office of Surface Mining and the West

Virginia Department of Environmental Protection, has prepared a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS). This DEIS evaluates potential impacts to the natural, physical and human environment as a result of the proposed mining activities associated with Hobet's Spruce No. 1 Surface Mine. The USACE regulates this proposed project pursuant to Section 404 of the Clean Water Act. The proposed activity is to construct valley fills to dispose of excess overburden spoil into waters of the United States. The overburden is generated by surface mining operations in order to achieve optimal recovery of available coal reserves within the project area in a safe, cost-effective and environmentally sound manner.

DATES: Submit comments by June 10, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Send written comments and suggestions concerning this proposal to Teresa (Hughes) Spagna, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Huntington District, Attn: Regulatory Branch-OR-FS, 502 8th Street, Huntington, West Virginia 25701. Telephone (304) 529-5710 or e-mail at *Teresa.D.Hughes@Lrh01.usace.army.mil*. Requests to be placed on the mailing list should also be sent to this address.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Discharges of fill material into the jurisdictional waters of the United States are regulated under Section 404 of the Clean Water Act, with the permitting responsibility administered by the USACE. The proposed project must also address environmental impacts relative to the Clean Air Act, Clean Water Act, Endangered Species Act and the Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act (FWCA). In accordance with the NEPA, the DEIS evaluated reasonable alternatives for the USACE's decision making process. As required by NEPA, the USACE also analyzes the "no action" alternative as a baseline for gauging potential impacts.

As part of the public involvement process, notice is hereby given by the USACE-Huntington District of a public hearing to be held at the Chief Logan State Park, in Logan, Logan County, West Virginia, from 6:30 to 10 p.m. on April 24, 2002. The public hearing will allow participants the opportunity to comment on the DEIS prepared for the

proposed Spruce No. 1 Mine project. Written comments should be sent to: Mr. James M. Richmond, Chief, Regulatory Branch, Huntington District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, 502 Eighth Street, Huntington, West Virginia 25701-2070 or by e-mail at *Teresa.D.Hughes@Lrh01.usace.army.mil*. The comments are due 60 days from the date of publication of this notice. Copies of the document may be obtained by contacting USACE Huntington District Regulatory Branch at 304-529-5210 or 304-529-5710.

Copies of the DEIS are also available for inspection at the locations identified below:

(1) Blair Post Office, P.O. Box 9998, Blair, WV 25022-9998.

(2) Kanawha County Public Library, 123 Capitol Street, Charleston, WV 25301.

(3) Logan County Public Library, 16 Wildcat Way, Logan, WV 25601.

After the public comment period ends, USACE will consider all comments received, revise the DEIS as appropriate, and issue a final Environmental Impact Statement.

Luz D. Ortiz,*Army Federal Register Liaison Officer.*

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Department of the Navy****Record of Decision for the Renewal of Authorization to Use Pinecastle Range, Ocala National Forest, FL****AGENCY:** Department of the Navy, DOD.**ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Navy announces its decision to continue operations at Pinecastle Range, Ocala National Forest, Florida.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Pursuant to Section 102(2)(c) of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969, 42 U.S.C. Sections 4321 *et seq.*, the regulations of the Council on Environmental Quality that implement NEPA procedures, 40 CFR parts 1500-1508, and Navy regulations implementing NEPA procedures (32 CFR 775), the Department of the Navy announces its decision to continue operations at the Pinecastle Range in the Ocala National Forest for a 20-year period, if U.S. Forest Service (USFS) renews the Interagency Agreement or "special use permit", as it is now called. This action will enable the Navy to meet current and projected training requirements. The U.S. Department of