

# Public Notice

The mission of DTSC is to protect California's people and environment from harmful effects of toxic substances through the restoration of contaminated resources, enforcement, regulation and pollution prevention.

## EMERGENCY PERMIT

BEALE AIR FORCE BASE

6451 B STREET

BEALE AIR FORCE BASE, CALIFORNIA 95903

On July 16, 2014 Beale AFB requested an Emergency Permit from the California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) for the destruction of an unserviceable munition items by open detonation at the base. DTSC determined that an Emergency Permit should be issued as Beale AFB does not have a permit for this type of hazardous waste treatment.

The items to be treated are one Smoke Grenade, one Japanese Fragmentation Grenade, one Japanese HE Fragmentation Grenade and one Pineapple Grenade. Due to the condition of considered items, it is unsafe to ship them and there is no other on-site treatment alternative available. DTSC is issuing this Emergency Permit to Beale AFB effective from **August 18, 2014 - November 18, 2014**. The Emergency Permit includes measures to minimize any adverse impact to the community and the environment.

DTSC is the state agency in charge of regulating the storage and treatment of hazardous substances in California. DTSC issues an Emergency Permit for the treatment of hazardous waste when it has been determined that there is an imminent and substantial danger to human health or the environment.

**CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT (CEQA):** DTSC has determined that the project is exempt from the requirements of CEQA and has filed a Notice of Exemption with the State Clearinghouse. The Emergency Permit, NOE and Beale AFB's request for this project are available for review at the following location:

DTSC Sacramento Regional Office File Room  
8800 Cal Center Drive  
Sacramento, California 95826  
(916) 255-4259, call for an appointment

View electronic documents at DTSC's EnviroStor website: [www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public](http://www.envirostor.dtsc.ca.gov/public)

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