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Subj: ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY STATEMENT

Ref: (a) CNO Memo 5090 Ser. N451G / 10595831 of 06 Dec 2001
(b) OPNAV M-5090.IE Environmental Readiness Program Manual of 25 Jun 21
(c) ISO 14004:2004, EMS General Guidelines on Principles, Systems, and Support Techniques of 15 Nov 04
(d) CNO Policy Letter 5090 Ser. N451 / N5U9011245 of 08 Mar 05

1. U.S. Naval Base Guam (NBG) shall develop, implement, and maintain an Environmental Management System (EMS) for activities under its responsibility that will:

- a. Meet the environmental goals of the Navy.
- b. Help maintain agreements between NBG and the Government of Guam related to environmental compliance and stewardship.
- c. Provide direction to NBG departments and tenant commands that allow them to fulfill mission requirements while preserving, protecting, and improving current and future environmental conditions in their area of responsibility and the surrounding areas in a professional and cost effective manner.

2. NBG supports the Navy policy for planning and implementing a comprehensive EMS that will achieve full compliance with relevant environmental legislation, regulations, standards, and policy per reference (a).

3. NBG is committed to protecting the environment including prevention of pollution, environmental compliance, and continually improving the EMS to enhance environmental performance.

4. NBG supports EMS as a complete management system that encompasses all Navy missions within the NBG fence line to assess the impact that every Sailor and civilian has on the environment while performing their daily duties. The EMS goes beyond compliance because strategic objectives are continually developed, implemented and revisited with the ultimate goal of ensuring compliance, preventing pollution, and reducing the risk/costs while accomplishing our missions.

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5. NBG recognizes EMS as a formal framework to help organizations improve environmental performance with a primary focus on the Navy mission. By committing to the EMS process, NBG will achieve and sustain environmental goals through a cycle of continual improvement.

6. This policy must be communicated to organization personnel and made available to the public per reference (b).

7. The Environmental Division and Public Works Department will serve as the EMS proponent for all commands on NBG. My point of contact is Mr. Edward Moon, who can be reached at: 339-4100/8203, or by e-mail at: edward.e.moon2.civ@us.navy.mil.



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