

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

ATOMIC SAFETY AND LICENSING BOARD PANEL

Before Administrative Judges:

**Alan S. Rosenthal, Chair
Dr. Paul B. Abramson
Dr. Richard F. Cole**

In the Matter of)	Docket No. 40-8838-MLA
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U.S. ARMY)	ASLBP No. 00-776-04-MLA
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(Jefferson Proving Ground Site))	August 11, 2007
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TESTIMONY OF PAUL D. CLOUD

I. WITNESS BACKGROUND

Paul D. Cloud ("PDC")

Q1. Please state your full name.

A1. (PDC) My name is Paul D. Cloud.

Q2. By whom are you employed and what is your position?

A2. (PDC) I am a U. S. Army civilian employee. I am the U. S. Army's Radiation Safety Officer for the Jefferson Proving Ground (JPG) site. I have been the Radiation Safety Officer for JPG since June 1, 2006. I am also the U. S. Army's Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) Base Environmental Coordinator (BEC) responsible for the oversight, funding

and management of the JPG nuclear materials license SUB-1435. I have been the BRAC BEC for JPG since January 15, 1994.

Q3. Are you familiar with the JPG Restoration Advisory Board ?

A3. (PDC) Yes. As the BRAC BEC for JPG, I was the Co-Chairman of the JPG Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) from its creation in June of 1994 until its termination in November 2006.

Q4. Are you familiar with the testimony offered by Diane S. Henshel in this hearing?

A4. (PDC) Yes, I have reviewed her written testimony dated July 20, 2007.

Q5. Are you also familiar with her service as a consultant with respect to the Army's Jefferson Proving Ground?

A5. (PDC) Yes, I am.

Q6. Do you agree with the description of her service as consultant pertaining to JPG which she gives in her Answer ?

A6. (PDC) No.

Q7. Please state the basis for your disagreement.

A7. (PDC) Ms. Henshel states that she was "technical advisor to the JPG Restoration Advisory Board (RAB) from 1999 through 2003 providing technical document review and interpretation assistance to the RAB."

In fact, Ms. Henshel was the technical advisor for the community members of the JPG RAB only and was employed in that position under the Department of Defense's (DOD) Technical Assistance Participation Program (TAPP) which was funded by the Army. It should also be noted that Ms. Henshel's involvement with the JPG RAB was restricted to the area of JPG below the firing line and was associated only with the potential environmental contamination and restoration of this portion of JPG. The portion of JPG below the firing line has no connection with these NRC proceedings. Ms. Henshel has had no official or formal involvement

or participation in any JPG DU activities as an advisor to the JPG RAB under the DOD TAPP program

Q8. Does that conclude your testimony?

A8. (PDC) Yes, it does.

AFFIDAVIT OF PAUL D. CLOUD

County of Harford)

State of Maryland)

I, Paul D. Cloud, being duly sworn according to law, depose and state the following:

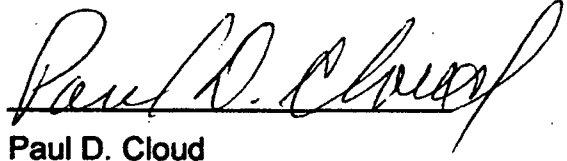
1. I am a Department of the Army civilian employee. I am the Army's Radiation Safety Officer for the Jefferson Proving Ground (JPG) site. I am also the U. S. Army's Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) Base Environmental Coordinator (BEC) responsible for the oversight, funding and management of the JPG nuclear materials license SUB-1435. My business address is 5183 Blackhawk Road, Building E5183, Room 5, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland 21010.

2. I am providing testimony, dated August 11, 2007, on behalf of the U.S. Army, Licensee, in the above captioned proceeding, entitled "TESTIMONY OF PAUL D. CLOUD."

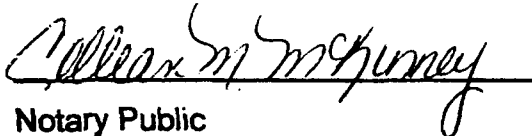
3. The factual statements and opinions I express in the cited testimony are true and correct to the best of my personal knowledge and belief.

4. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Further, the affiant sayeth not.


Paul D. Cloud

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 11th day of August, 2007.


Notary Public

My commission expires 1/4/2011