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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: The Department of Justice Crime Bill Response Center, (202) 307-1480 or 1-800-421-6770 or your grant advisor.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Overview

The Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994 (Pub. L. 103-322) authorizes the Department of Justice to make grants to increase deployment of law enforcement officers devoted to community policing on the streets and rural routes in this nation. The Small Community Grant Program is designed to provide funds for agencies serving small jurisdictions to help pay for a portion of the fourth-year salary and benefits of existing COPS-funded officers. These one-time grants are specifically for the retention of police officer positions in smaller communities with a population under 50,000. Many of these small communities have experienced the positive benefits of community policing by hiring officers under COPS grant programs. Even with only one or two new police officers, COPS grants have helped these departments increase their overall police force by 25 to 50 percent. However, unexpected financial hardships and a limited tax base have caused some of these smaller agencies to be concerned about their ability to retain their COPS-funded officers. As a result, the Small Community Grant Program will provide \$100 million to assist these agencies in retaining the officers and continuing their community policing activities.

The COPS Office is providing these one-time grants specifically for the retention of police officer positions meeting the following criteria: funded by a COPS Phase I, FAST or UHP grant that will expire before October 1, 1998; hired by jurisdictions serving populations under 50,000; hired between October 1, 1994, and September 30, 1995; and supporting public safety and crime prevention projects in jurisdictions serving populations under 50,000.

Applicants must be in good standing with the COPS Office on their current Phase I, FAST, or UHP grant. In other words, the applicant must be up to date with required grant-related paperwork, such as Department Initial Reports, Department Annual Reports, Officer Progress Reports, Financial Status Reports (SF269A) and other applicable special conditions.

Awards under this program will be 20 percent of the original Phase I, FAST, or

UHP grant amount. Funding is intended to assist the agency in paying the salary and benefits of the officer(s) hired under the above-mentioned programs, for a fourth year only. Applicants to the Small Community Grant Program must demonstrate a specific financial hardship that has impacted their ability to retain their COPS-funded officer(s) and establish a formal plan to retain the position(s) after the fourth-year funding has ended.

The deadline for applications is April 30, 1998. Agencies eligible to apply to this grant program will receive an application packet from the COPS Office during the first week of April.

If you believe your agency meets the requirements listed above but has not received an application by April 15, 1998, call the U.S. Department of Justice Response Center at 1-800-421-6770 or your grant advisor for additional information.

An award under the Small Community Grant Program will not affect the eligibility of an agency to receive awards under any other COPS program.

The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) reference for this program is 16.710.

Dated: April 1, 1998.

Joseph E. Brann,
Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decrees Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

In accordance with Departmental policy, 28 CFR 50.7, and 42 U.S.C. 9622 (d), notice is hereby given that on March 10, 1998, the trustees for natural resources at the Tulalip Landfill Superfund Site on Ebey Island in Puget Sound, Washington ("the Site") lodged with the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington a civil natural resource damages complaint against defendants Ace Tank Co., Bill Pierre Ford Co., Broadmoor Golf Club, Crowley Marine Services, Inc., Delta Marine, Inc., Evergreen-Washelli, Inc., Mehrer Drywall, Inc., McFarland Wrecking Co., People's National Bank, N.A., Sato Corporation, Seafood Processing, Inc., Seattle Golf Club, and Smith & Son, Inc., in the civil action styled *United States v. Ace Tank Co.*, Civil Action No. C98-0300-R. On the same day, the trustees lodged a consent decree resolving the claims

stated against the defendants in the complaint.

The consent decree requires the defendants to compensate the trustees for natural resource damages resulting from the release of hazardous substances at the Site. The trustees consist of the State of Washington Department of Ecology, the Tulalip Tribes of Washington, the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration of the United States Department of Commerce, and the United States Department of Interior. Under the consent decrees, the defendants will pay a total of \$22,276 for natural resource damages.

The Department of Justice will receive, for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication, comments relating to the proposed consent decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General for the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20530, and should refer to *United States v. Act Tank Co.*, DOJ Ref. #90-11-3-1412E.

A copy of the proposed consent decree may be obtained in person or by mail from the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 4th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005 / (202) 624-0892. In requesting copies please refer to the referenced case, specify the decree you would like to receive, and enclose a check payable to the Consent Decree Library in the amount of \$12.00 (25 cents per page reproduction costs).

Joel Gross,

Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section,
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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Consent Decree Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act

In accordance with Departmental Policy, 28 CFR 50.7, 38 FR 19029, and 42 U.S.C. 9622(i), notice is hereby given that a proposed Consent Decree in *United States v. William Davis, et. al.*, Civ. Action No. 90-0484-T, was lodged in the United States District Court for the District of Rhode Island on April 1, 1998. The proposed Consent Decree resolves the United States' claims against 26 third and fourth party defendants ("Settling Defendants"), under Sections 106 and 107(a) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), as amended, 42 U.S.C.

9607(a), concerning response actions at the Davis Liquid Waste Superfund Site located in Smithfield, Providence County, Rhode Island (the "Davis Site").

Under the terms of the Consent Decree, the Settling Defendants are required to pay \$1,767,375 to the United States in partial reimbursement of the United States' past and future costs. In addition, the Settling Defendants are jointly and severally responsible along with United Technologies Corp. ("UTC") and 53 other previous settlers for the source control portion of the remedy at the Site.

The Department of Justice will receive, for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication, written comments relating to the proposed Consent Decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General for the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20530, and should refer to *United States v. William Davis, et al.*, Civ. Action No. 90-0484-T, DOJ #90-11-2-137B.

The proposed Consent Decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, District of Rhode Island, Westminster Square Building, 10 Dorrance Street, 10th Floor, Providence, Rhode Island 02903; at the Region I Office of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 90 Canal Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02203; and at the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 4th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005, (202) 624-0892. Copies of the Consent Decree may be obtained in person or by mail by the Consent Decree Library, 1120 G Street, N.W., 4th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20005. In requesting a copy, please enclose a check in the amount of \$16.75 (25 cents per page reproduction costs) payable to the Consent Decree Library.

Bruce S. Gelber,

Deputy Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section, Environment and Natural Resources Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree and Stipulated Amendment Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act

In accordance with Departmental policy, 28 CFR 50.7, and in accordance with Section 122(d) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), notice is hereby given

that on March 17, 1998, a proposed Second Consent Decree in *United States v. Lockheed Martin Corporation, et al.*, Case No. CV 91-4527 MRP (Tx) was lodged with the United States District Court for the Central District of California.

In this action the United States and State allege that the defendants are liable under CERCLA for costs incurred by the United States and State in conducting response actions at the Burbank Operable Unit Site, which is a part of the San Fernando Valley Superfund Site. In addition, the United States seeks injunctive relief for a portion of the remedy specified in the Record of Decision.

This consent decree represents a settlement for a partial remedy for the Burbank Operable Unit, San Fernando Valley Area 1 Superfund Site ("Site"), and the recovery of a substantial portion of costs. This is the second consent decree pertaining to the Burbank Operable Unit. This settlement between the United States and the Settling Defendants is for past and future costs, and the operation and maintenance of the remedy which was designed and constructed pursuant to the first consent decree which was entered in this action on March 25, 1992, as well as that part of the remedy which was designed and constructed pursuant to a unilateral order ("UAO") issued under Section 106 of CERCLA. The decree also provides for the recovery of over \$11 million in response costs and the recovery of all future site specific costs.

The Second Consent Decree changes some of the terms and conditions of the first consent decree. Therefore, a Stipulated Amendment to Consent Decree is also being lodged with the Court. The Stipulated Amendment ensures consistency between the first and second consent decrees.

The Department of Justice will receive for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication comments relating to the proposed Second Consent Decree. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General of the Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20530, and should refer to *United States v. Lockheed Martin Corporation, et al.* San Fernando Valley (Burbank Operable Unit Superfund Site), D.J. Ref. 90-11-2-442. Commenters may request an opportunity for a public meeting in the affected area, in accordance with Section 7003(d) of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act ("RCRA"), 42 U.S.C. 6973(d).

The proposed Second Consent Decree and Stipulated Amendment to Consent

Decree may be examined at the Office of the United States Attorney, Central District of California, 300 North Los Angeles Street, Los Angeles, California 90012, and at the Region IX, Office of the Environmental Protection Agency, 75 Hawthorne Street, San Francisco, California 94105. The proposed Second Consent Decree may be examined at the Environmental Enforcement Section Document Center, 601 Pennsylvania Avenue Building, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004 (202-347-2072). A copy of the proposed Second Consent Decree may be obtained in person or by mail from the Environmental Enforcement Section Document Center, 601 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Box 1097, Washington, D.C. 20004. In requesting a copy, please enclose a check in the amount of \$56.25 (without exhibits), \$125.75 (with exhibits) (25 cents per page reproduction cost) payable to the Treasurer of the United States. A copy of the Stipulated Amendment to Consent Decree may be obtained in person or by mail from the Environmental Enforcement Section Document Center, 601 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Box 1097, Washington, D.C. 20004. In requesting a copy, please enclose a check in the amount of \$5.00 (25 cents per page reproduction cost) payable to the Treasurer of the United States.

Walker Smith,

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Pursuant to Comprehensive Environmental Responses, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA)

In accordance with Departmental policy, 28 CFR 50.7, and 42 U.S.C. 9622(d)(2), notice is hereby given that on April 1, 1998, a proposed Consent Decree was lodged by the United States in *United States v. Marvin E. Prochnow, et al.*, Civil No. 95-C-0962, with the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin. The proposed Consent Decree resolves the United States' pending cost-recovery claims under Section 107(a) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9607, relating to the Marvin Prochnow Landfill Site (the "Site") located in Cedarburg, Wisconsin. The Consent Decree also resolves the Defendants'