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LETTER FROM U S NAVY REGARDING AMENDMENT TO OUT LICENSE LAND LEASE  
NCBC GULFPORT MS  
5/21/1976  
U S NAVY



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY  
NAVAL CONSTRUCTION BATTALION CENTER  
GULFPORT, MISSISSIPPI 39501

IN REPLY REFER TO

Code 13:CSC:lmw  
Ser 115

21 MAY 1976

From: Commanding Officer, Naval Construction Battalion Center, Gulfport,  
To: Commanding Officer, Southern Division, Naval Facilities Engineering  
Command (Code 24), Charleston

Subj: Amendment to Out-License CBCGPT 101-75 to Hqs, U. S. Air Force,  
Air Force Real Property Division (AF-PRER), Directorate of  
Engineering and Services, Washington, D.C.

Ref: (a) CBCGPT ltr Code 13:CSC:lmw of 6 Oct 75, Subj: Out-License  
CBCGPT 101-75 to Hqs, U. S. Air Force, Air Force Real Property  
Division (AF-PRER), Directorate of Engineering and Services,  
Washington, D.C.  
(b) CBCGPT ltr Code 13:CSC:lmw Ser 224 of 4 Nov 75, Subj: Out-License  
CBCGPT 101-75 to Hqs, U. S. Air Force, Air Force Real Property  
Division (AF-PRER), Directorate of Engineering and Services,  
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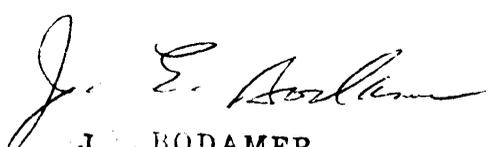
Encl: (1) Agent Chemical, Inc., Houston, Texas, ltr dated May 3, 1976  
(2) Air and Water Pollution Control Commission, State of  
Mississippi, ltr dated May 13, 1976  
(3) Air and Water Pollution Control Commission, State of  
Mississippi, ltr dated May 20, 1976

1. Reference (a) transmitted the subject license between this Command  
and the U. S. Air Force, the Mobile District U. S. Army Corps of Engineers  
acting as Air Force executive agent, for the purpose of constructing a  
Herbicide Orange Reprocessing Plant. Reference (b) amended the license to  
include the operation of the said plant through 1 April 1976.

2. Via enclosure (1), Agent Chemical, Inc., requested an extension of the  
permit to operate the referenced Herbicide Orange Pilot Plant. Enclosure  
(2) extended the permit, but did not specify the permit expiration date.  
Enclosure (3) has extended the permit until 31 August 1976. Therefore,  
the subject Out-License (CBCGPT 101-75) is amended to read: "Dates covered:  
1 October 1975 to 31 August 1976."

Licensee

  
Melvin W. Dovith  
Chief, Real Estate Division  
For the District Engineer  
Mobile District  
U. S. Army Corps of Engineers

  
J. E. BODAMER  
by direction



# AGENT CHEMICAL, INC.

6515 EPPES P. O. BOX 26872 TELEPHONE: (713) 645-3322

HOUSTON, TEXAS 77207

May 3, 1976

Mr. John Harper  
Air and Water Pollution Control Commission  
State of Mississippi  
P. O. Box 827  
Jackson, Mississippi 39205

Re: Permit No. 1089  
Agent Chemical Company  
U. S. Navy Construction Battalion Base  
Gulfport, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Harper,

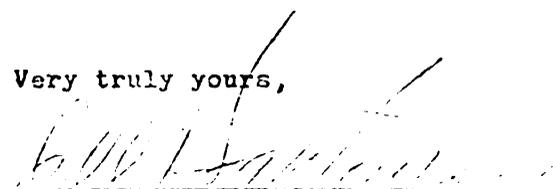
Reference is made to the permit (and especially Additional Condition No. 16 thereof), to our letter of April 30 and our telephone conversation today.

In order to facilitate the filtration or "wet" part of our pilot plant project, we need permission to store, on a temporary basis, some fifteen to twenty of our 2" by 3.3' aluminum cartridges filled with coconut charcoal through which HO has been filtered. We propose to remove these cartridges from the rack and insert them into 3'6" galvanized 4" i.d. pipe threaded on both ends and then securely cap each end. These pipes, in turn, would be placed in a proper metal or concrete storage container for a period not to exceed sixty days. During this time the decision would be made whether to incinerate the cartridges or dispose of them in some other way approved by all government agencies involved.

Please accept this letter as our request for an amendment to our pilot plant Operating Permit.

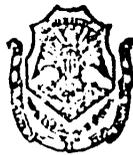
We believe that with this amendment we will be permitted to complete the pilot plant project expeditiously and then shortly begin the processing effort. Your continued kindness and cooperation is much appreciated. If there is any problem or question about this please call us collect. As time is of the essence, we will greatly appreciate your seeing to it that this matter is on the May 11 Docket.

Very truly yours,

  
Del Hightower

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GEOLOGICAL SURVEY  
W. H. MOORE

May 13, 1976

Mr. Del Hightower  
Agent Chemical, Inc.  
P. O. Box 26872  
6515 Eppes  
Houston, Texas 77207

Dear Mr. Hightower:

At its regular meeting held on May 11, 1976, the Mississippi Air and Water Pollution Control Commission Permit Board considered your request filed on May 3, 1976, in which you requested an extension of your present Performance Evaluation Permit and authorization to properly store contaminated charcoal in canisters put outside the liquid system in a sealed pipe and stored in another container.

Concurrence in extending your permit and allowing you to store contaminated cylinders is given with the understanding that final dispensation, in an approved manner, of these cylinders will be carried out within 60 days. The Permit Board's action should be construed by you to be in satisfaction with the requirements of the telegram received by you, a copy of which was attached to your request.

We anticipate the early removal of the herbicide orange from the State of Mississippi. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Glen Wood, Jr.".

Glen Wood, Jr.  
Executive Director

GWjr:JWH:ecf

Enclosure (2)

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May 20, 1976

Mr. Claud Anderson  
Code 12.1  
Office of the Comm. Office  
NCBC Building 320  
Gulfport, Mississippi 39501

Dear Mr. Anderson:

Re: Agent Chemical, Inc.  
Permit No. 1089

For your information, the extension of Agent Chemical, Incorporated's permit from the Mississippi Air and Water Pollution Control Commission was extended for a period of ninety (90) days which would make this permit valid until August 31, 1976. We regret that this information was omitted and our letter to Mr. Del Hightower of May 13, 1976.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John W. Harper', written over a large, stylized circular flourish.

John W. Harper  
Chief, Law Enforcement Division

JWH:bw

cc: Mr. O. B. Moore  
Mr. Del Hightower

Enclosure (3)