



**THE MEMPHIS DEPOT  
TENNESSEE**

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## DDMT-ODC

DEFENSE DEPOT MEMPHIS TENNESSEE - CONCERNED CITIZENS COMMITTEE

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December 30, 1996



Col. Mike Kennedy, U.S.M.C.  
Base Commander  
Defense Depot Memphis Tennessee  
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Memphis, TN 38116-5210

Dear Col. Kennedy:

Pursuant to the Emergency Planning and Community Right-To-Know Act, DDMT-ODC requests the following document:

- Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation Liability Act (CERCLA) in its entirety, especially 113, 120, Sections 9613, 9620, 9659, 9620 (e), 9601 et seq.
- Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) in its entirety, specifically Section 3004 (u) and 3004 (v), 3008 (h), 6928 (h) of RCRA, 42 U.S.C.
- Executive Order 12580
- T.C.A. Section 68-212-101 et. seq.
- N.C.P., 40 C.F.R., Part 300 et. seq., 1988
- Hazardous Waste Management Act of 1976 in its entirety, specifically T.C.A. Section 68-212-101 et. seq.
- RCRA Part B Permit (No. TN4 210 020 570) issued on 28 September 1990.
- Permit Number TNHW-053, issued on September 1990 for DDMT.
- CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. Section 9659 (a) (1) and (a) (2).

## OBJECTIVES

- 1) Inform the black residents of Memphis of the toxic waste polluting their and their very poor neighborhoods.
- 2) Get poison signs posted along the perimeter of the Defense Depot.
- 3) Stop facilities producing and emitting toxic poisons from operating in Memphis.
- 4) Obtain health intervention in the form of a "Free Clinic" for people of Memphis.

## WE NEED YOUR HELP

1. <http://www.law.conncit.org/>  
2. <http://law.house.gov/cfr.htm>

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DDMT-CCC requests the opportunity to review any and all laws that govern toxic waste, hazardous waste, or burial of waste of/by the Defense Depot. We request the right to review these documents, and to copy aspects that we will identify after inspection.

If you choose to deny this request, in any part, I would like to know exactly what is being denied, and the basis under the law for such a denial.

Defense Depot Memphis Tennessee - Concerned Citizens' Committee is a non-profit grassroots organization devoted to fighting against environmental injustice wreaked upon black communities by white corporations and military facilities and to protecting the environment and public health from toxic hazards. We request a waiver of all fees in relation to your response to this request and duplication of all relevant files. If our request is denied, please postpone duplication once the cost of the response exceeds Ten (10.00) Dollars.

In this regard please note:

- 1) The use proposed for the documents is to review and analyze the documents for use in discussion with the public, the EPA, with other health and regulatory agencies, and the media. No income is expected to be derived from or as a result of the receipt of such documents.
- 2) We anticipate publishing information gained from request for general public distribution.
- 3) The public will benefit from this use by becoming better informed as the policies and actions of the Defense Depot Memphis Tennessee.
- 4) No "specialized" use of any of the documents is contemplated at this time.

DDMT-CCC interest in the aforementioned documents has been heightened because our review of the Federal Facilities Agreement

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posed questions relating to the Defense Depot's adherence to the "letter, spirit, and intent" of the law.

Respectfully,

Kenneth Bradshaw

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Doris Bradshaw, Founder and President

P.S. DOMC-CCC commends you Col. Kennedy for the Defense Depot's enthusiastic cooperation in giving access to your repository to members of DOMC-CCC.

We hope your cooperation continues, as the adversely effected black community doesn't have a repository with much needed documents.

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