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Mr. Shawn Phillips
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Dear Mr. Phillips:

This is to notify you that the ATSDR briefing on May 19, 1999 at 6 PM in Dunn Elementary School has been rescheduled to Thursday, July 8. We will notify you about the location of this briefing in the next two weeks.

We decided to reschedule this meeting due to confusion over the purpose of the briefing. To clarify, the purpose of this meeting is to receive input from area residents on the conclusions in the public health assessment about exposure to Memphis Depot contaminants. July was chosen for the briefing to allow Memphis area residents to focus on the plans to clean-up the chemical warfare agents on Dunn Field which will be released in June. We did not want to confuse the public health assessment with the clean-up of the chemical warfare materials.

ATSDR will release the Memphis Depot Public Health Assessment for public comment after we have incorporated the information we receive at the briefing in July. This should be in early August.

Besides the briefing on the public health assessment, Ms. Dee Williamson will summarize the results of the cancer incidence review that ATSDR and the Tennessee Department of Health conducted and will respond to questions.

If you have any questions or comments please call John Crellin toll-free at 1-888-42ATSDR (ask for extension 0635 or leave a message), call 404-639-0635, or E-mail jrc6@cdc.gov.

Sincerely yours,

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