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North Carolina National Guard Environmental Policy Statement

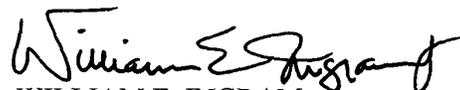
The North Carolina National Guard (NCNG) is a dynamic organization comprised of men and women committed to defending and protecting the American public, both domestically and abroad. Readiness is a top priority. Our ability to accomplish our mission is enhanced through adequate personnel strength, training proficiency, and equipment serviceability. These activities occur at various locations both within and out of the State of North Carolina.

The NCNG is committed to environmental stewardship at these facilities and lands. A sustainable training environment is critical to our continued utilization of these resources.

Through sound environmental management, the NCNG is committed to:

- Maximize the availability of training lands and facilities to enable soldier training.
- Continually improve management of our environmental programs and our performance.
- Minimize pollution of our land, water, and air to the extent that our mission allows.
- Maintain compliance with all applicable Federal, State or local environmental laws and regulations, and those other requirements to which we subscribe.
- Consider environmental requirements and impacts early in our force management, training, equipment fielding and construction planning processes.

Adherence to these commitments, and the ISO 14001 standards, is vital to NCNG readiness and mission accomplishment.


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