

**U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
NATIONAL NUCLEAR SECURITY ADMINISTRATION NEVADA FIELD OFFICE
NEPA ENVIRONMENTAL EVALUATION CHECKLIST**

NV-2017-007

FOLLOW ATTACHED PROCEDURES FOR COMPLETING CHECKLIST		Date 12/01/2016
A. Project/Activity Title (Attach a brief description of proposed project) Remote Sensing Laboratory San Diego		Anticipated Start Date Ongoing
Project Location Naval Base Port Loma, San Diego, CA	Proposed By (if other than NNSA/NFO)	
NNSA/NFO Line Management Organization	NNSA/NFO Project/Program Manager Ricky Honaker	

ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS: If any phase of the project/activity involves any of the following considerations, check yes and explain in project description. See NSO-16A for consideration guidelines and examples.

CONSIDERATION	YES	NO	UNK	CONSIDERATION	YES	NO	UNK
WASTE				AIR EMISSIONS			
1. Non-Rad Solid Waste		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		1. Chemical Release		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
2. Hazardous Waste		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		2. Dust/Particulate Matter		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
3. Low-Level Rad Waste		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		3. Explosives		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
4. Mixed Waste		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		4. Diesel Generators		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
5. TRU/Mixed TRU Waste		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		5. Open Burning		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
6. Wastewater (domestic/industrial)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					
HAZARDOUS MATERIALS				SITE LOCATION/OTHER			
1. Petroleum/Fuel Storage/Use		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		1. Environmental Restoration Site (CAU)		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
2. Underground Storage Tanks		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		2. Excavation/Land Surface Disturbance		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
3. Aboveground Storage Tanks		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		3. Off Road Travel		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
4. PCBs/Asbestos		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		4. Biological/Tortoise Resource Area		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
5. Pesticides/Herbicides		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		5. Cultural/Historic Resource Area		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
6. Radioactive Materials		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		6. Change in Existing Drainage Pattern		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
7. Biological Materials/Simulants		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		7. Impact to Environmental Monitoring System		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
8. Beryllium		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		8. Unexploded Ordnance Area		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
9. Chemical Storage/Use		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		9. Noise		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
10. Use of Explosives/Firearms		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		10. Radiation Controlled Area		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
				11. Drinking Water System Involvement		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

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B. Is the project/activity included in the final NNS SWEIS and the ROD or other NEPA document?
Yes (complete Sections C, D, and F) No (complete Sections D, E, and F)

C. This project/activity is included in the NNS SWEIS/ROD (or other NEPA document) under the following section and page number:

D. Does the proposed project/activity require any local, state, or federal permits or notifications? Yes No

E. If, based on the project description and the preliminary environmental considerations noted above, the proposed action fits within a class of action listed in Subpart D of 10 CFR 1021, write in the space below the paragraph number and short title from the appropriate table of contents of Subpart D, Appendix B, C, or D, for a CX, EA, or EIS. If the proposed action does not fit within any class of action, write "Not Listed" below.

10 CFR 1021: B.3-6 Small scale research and development, laboratory operations, and pilot projects

F. NEPA COMPLIANCE OFFICER DETERMINATION OR RECOMMENDATION:

I have determined that the proposed action as described in Item A has been adequately analyzed and meets the requirements for categorical exclusion under the citation in Item E. No further analysis or documentation is required pursuant to NEPA. Any changes or additions to this proposed action will require additional NEPA review.

NNSA/NFO NEPA Compliance Officer

December 7, 2016

Date

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Project Description:

The Remote Sensing Laboratory (RSL) mission is to provide a broad range of scientific, technological, and operational disciplines with core competencies in Remote Sensing, Nuclear Emergency response and Support and Applied Science and Technologies in support of national security.

The RSL has recently aligned the San Diego Team under their overall organization. The RSL San Diego (RSLSD) Team executes both Strategic Partnership Programs (SPP) and Strategic Intelligence Partnership Programs (SIPP). The RSLSD supports the execution of on-going and future programs and projects in a Technical Direction Agent (TDA) and subject matter expert (SME) role, crossing multi-discipline Command, Control Communication, Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance (C4ISR)/Information Operations (IO), Electronic Warfare/Cyber domains and boundaries.

There are specific and detailed requirements for residing in Department of Defense, Government-owned, secure facilities and environments that offer multiple levels of classification and direct access to multi-level-secure-high bandwidth communications networks and cross-agency domains. RSLSD is a tenant at the Information Warfare Training Center (IWCT) Taylor Hall (Building 564) building at Naval Base Point Loma, San Diego.

The physical space is located at 3955 N. Harbor Drive, San Diego, California 92101 within Taylor Hall. Taylor Hall is constructed of concrete blocks. The roof and ceiling are of steel frame construction. RSLSD occupies room 162 which consists of 625 square feet of space. It is made up of Flat Screens, and moveable and fixed desks. It can be rearranged to be an office area or classroom venue. It has computers, as well as a conference table. It has 2 fiber-filled cabinets that support the communication networks.

Taylor Hall, Building 564 is designated as a restricted area. A system of controlled access is in effect at all times. Individuals entering the building must possess a SECRET or higher-level clearance for access or must remain under escort at all times.

Since the RSLSD is a tenant of the IWCT Taylor Hall Building 564, there is minimal if any environmental impact. It is strictly an office/classroom setting. The military is responsible for picking up the paper waste from the building. The RSLSD have no chemicals being stored in the building. The backup system (generator and UPS system) for the building is maintained and controlled by the Military.

Environmental Considerations:

None.