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From: Commanding Officer, Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling (JBAB)
To: JBAB-Anacostia Tenant Commands

Subj: 2010 ANNUAL DRINKING WATER QUALITY REPORT, JBAB-ANACOSTIA,
PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM (PWS) #DC0000004

Encl: (1) 2010 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report for JBAB-Anacostia
(2) 2010 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report from the District of Columbia Water and
Sewer Authority (DC Water)

1. In accordance with federal drinking water regulations, Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling (JBAB) is providing you with the 2010 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report for the Anacostia Public Water System, enclosure (1), and the 2010 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report from DC Water, enclosure (2).
2. This routine report is required by law, and is being provided to ensure that you have all of the information regarding the quality of your drinking water. This is not being sent in response to a health threat. The water being served at JBAB-Anacostia met federal Safe Drinking Water Act requirements in 2010 and continues to meet or surpass those requirements.
3. JBAB-Anacostia drinking water originates from the Potomac River and is treated by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Washington Aqueduct (WA). The WA uses chloramines as a disinfectant. DC Water purchases drinking water from the WA and distributes it to residences and businesses in the District, including JBAB-Anacostia.
4. JBAB-Anacostia is required to monitor the drinking water distribution system for specific contaminants at JBAB-Anacostia. The results of routine monitoring are an indicator of whether or not your drinking water meets Safe Drinking Water Act standards. All monitoring activities conducted on JBAB-Anacostia met Safe Drinking Water Act standards in calendar year (CY) 2010.
5. Washington Aqueduct (WA) received a Tier 3 violation on October 2010 for failing to collect the correct number of drinking water turbidity samples. On October 21, 2010 at 6:50 am, the Washington Aqueduct did not monitor or test for turbidity for 2 of their 48 filters and therefore cannot be sure of our drinking water during that time. Concurrent monitoring of the other 46 filters and the final treated water showed no problems. Operators were re-trained on the proper monitoring procedures. This notice is for informational purposes only and no action on the part of the consumer is required.

6. We are required to provide Enclosure 1, which is information regarding drinking water monitoring conducted on JBAB-Anacostia. We are also required to provide the monitoring data in Enclosure 2, which is DC Water's 2010 report. These enclosures provide important information about the following topics:

- a. Drinking Water Quality Monitoring Results for JBAB-Anacostia conducted in CY 2010;
- b. Important health effects information
- c. Definitions of key terms, such as maximum contaminant level;
- d. Contaminants reasonably expected to be found in drinking water;
- e. Sources of drinking water and contaminants that may be present in source waters;
- f. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and Food and Drug Administration regulations;
- g. Non-English speaking population information; and
- h. EPA Safe Drinking Water Hotline telephone number.

7. If you have any questions with regard to the quality of your drinking water, contact the Drinking Water Program Manager, Nicole Johnson, at 202-404-1273.



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