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U.S. Army awards \$5 million Military Munitions Response Program performance-based contract

Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD - The U.S. Army Environmental Center awarded a \$5 million performance-based contract on June 28, 2006 to URS Group, Inc. and FPM Group, LTD to complete Military Munitions Response Program site inspections at 33 active Army installations located across the U.S.

The site inspections will address both explosive safety issues as well as munitions constituent contamination, in accordance with the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA). As part of the inspections, an historical records review report will be generated to detail the historical use of each site and summarize the existing data and field work to be completed to confirm the presence or absence of contamination.

The contract was awarded through the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Baltimore District as a standalone performance-based contract advertised on the Fed Biz Opportunities Web site. The performance goals are completion of a final, Army approved Historical Records Report in 12 months and a final, Army approved site inspection report in 24 months. There are 21 optional installations on the contract and those will be awarded in FY07.

For more information on the Army's performance-based contracting program, see <a href="http://aec.army.mil/usaec/cleanup/pbc00.html">http://aec.army.mil/usaec/cleanup/pbc00.html</a>

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