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Curtis Bowling is the Director for Environmental Readiness & Safety in the Office of the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Installations & Environment). He is responsible for safety; occupational health; fire and emergency services; international environmental compliance and cleanup efforts; and international defense environmental cooperation as well as the Readiness and Range Sustainment Initiative within (I&E), coordinating the Department's response to encroachment issues straining DoD's access to test and training ranges;

Mr. Bowling is a Virginia native. He attended Virginia Tech, College of Engineering, where he earned his Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering. In 1980, he received a Master of Science in Environmental Engineering from Johns Hopkins University. Then in 1983, he earned a Masters in Public Administration from Harvard University.

Mr. Bowling has 30 years of federal service: 9 years with the Office of the Secretary of Defense, 12 years with the Air Force and 9 years with the Army Corps of Engineers. He has broad experience in national and international environmental, safety and health programs. In his prior assignment in the Office of the Secretary of Defense, Mr. Bowling was the Deputy for Environmental Quality. In his last Air Force assignment he was Assistant Deputy Environment, Safety and Occupational Health in the Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force. Duties included policy and oversight of the Air Force's worldwide environment, safety, and occupational health programs, including Base Closure activities.

Other positions held include the Deputy Director of Environmental Quality, Headquarters Air Force. In this position he was responsible for the planning, programming and execution of the worldwide Air Force environmental program. He also managed the Air Force's National Environmental Policy Act compliance program in support of weapon system deployment, acquisition, test and training activities. Acting Chairman of the DDESB.

Mr. Bowling also has design and construction experience in the United States and the Middle East with the Army Corps of Engineers.