ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION DIVISION PUBLIC NOTICE WATERSHED PROTECTION BRANCH

May 31, 2016 Notice Issue Date

Camden County
City/County

June 30, 2016 Notice Close Date BV-020-16-01 Control Number

Enclave Fencing System-P611-Kings Bay Naval Submarine Base Activity

This notice is issued to inform the public of a receipt of an Application for a variance submitted pursuant to a state environmental Law. The public is invited to comment during the 30-day period on the proposed activity. Site Plans are immediately available for review and are located in the following EPD office: Watershed Protection Branch 200 Piedmont Avenue, S.W. Suite 418 West Atlanta, Georgia 30334. Please contact Ms. Thais Edwards at (404) 463-2387 or e-mail thais.edwards@dnr.ga.gov to schedule an appointment to review the plans. Since the EPD has no authority to zone property or determine land use, only those comments addressing environmental issues related to air, water, and land protection will be considered in the application review process. Written comments should be submitted to: Program Manager, NonPoint Source Program, Erosion and Sedimentation Control, 2 MLK Jr., Dr., SW Suite 1462 East, Atlanta, Georgia 30334

Type of Permit Application:

Variance to encroach within the 25-foot State waters buffer.

Applicable Law:

Georgia Erosion and Sedimentation Act O.C.G.A. 12-7-1 et seq.

Applicable Rules:

Erosion and Sedimentation Control Chapter 391-3-7

Basis under which variance shall be considered {391-3-7.05 (2)(A-K)}: C

Description and Location of Proposed Activity:

The proposed project involves buffer encroachments necessary to construct an integrated enclave security system (EFS) in three separate areas that will include a network of security fences and land/water interfaces. The project is located within King's Bay Naval Submarine Base in Camden County and will result in 1,324 linear feet of buffer impacts adjacent to the King's Bay estuary.

Name and Address of Permit Applicant:

Omarr Tobias
United States Navy

Naval Submarine Base Kings Bay

910 USS Hunley Road Building 2015 Floor 1

Kings Bay, Georgia 31547

Summary of Rules Requirements for Variance Application:

The application for a variance must include an Erosion and Sediment Control Plan with control measures based on sound conservation and engineering practices which meet or exceed the standards in the "Manual for Erosion and Sediment Control in Georgia" and which will minimize erosion and deposition of sediments on adjacent lands or into State waters.

For Additional Information Contact:

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