

any other Indian tribe that believes itself to be culturally affiliated with these human remains should contact Elaine Guthrie, Acting Director of Cultural Resources, American Museum of Natural History, Central Park West at 79th Street, New York, NY 10024-5192, telephone (212) 769-5835, before July 18, 2002. Repatriation of the human remains to the Native Village of Barrow Inupiat Traditional Government and Ukpeagvik Inupiat Corporation may begin after that date if no additional claimants come forward.

Dated: April 25, 2002.

Robert Stearns,

Manager, National NAGPRA Program.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Notice of Intent to Repatriate a Cultural Item in the Possession of the Springfield Science Museum, Springfield, MA

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.
ACTION: Notice.

Notice is hereby given in accordance with provisions of the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act, 43 CFR 10.10 (a)(3), of the intent to repatriate a cultural item in the possession of the Springfield Science Museum, Springfield, MA, that meets the definition of "sacred object" under Section 2 of the Act.

This notice is published as part of the National Park Service's administrative responsibilities under NAGPRA, 43 CFR 10.2 (c). The determinations within this notice are the sole responsibility of the museum, institution, or Federal agency that has control of these cultural items. The National Park Service is not responsible for the determinations within this notice.

The sacred object is a hide pouch, 5 1/2 in. long and 2 1/2 in. wide with a buckskin tie, containing black mineral pigment.

In 1991, this item was purchased by the Springfield Science Museum from the Northeastern Taxidermy Studio of Catskill, NY. Members of the Navajo Nation, Arizona, New Mexico & Utah have identified this item as necessary for the continued practice of traditional Navajo religion by present-day adherents. Representatives of the Navajo Nation and traditional religious leaders have confirmed that this item is needed for on-going ceremonial and religious traditions and have requested that this

item be repatriated. The Springfield Science Museum's records indicate that the object under consideration for repatriation is Navajo in origin and was most likely used by Navajo medicine men prior to 1900.

Based on the above-mentioned information, officials of the Springfield Science Museum in consultation with representatives of the Navajo Nation have determined that, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.2 (d)(3), this cultural item is a specific ceremonial object needed by traditional Native American religious leaders for the practice of traditional Native American religions by their present-day adherents. Officials of the Springfield Science Museum also have determined that, pursuant to 43 CFR 10.2 (e), there is a relationship of shared group identity that can be reasonably traced between this sacred object and the Navajo Nation, Arizona, New Mexico & Utah.

This notice has been sent to officials of the Navajo Nation, Arizona, New Mexico & Utah. Representatives of any other Indian tribe that believes itself to be culturally affiliated with this sacred object should contact John Pretola, Curator of Anthropology, Springfield Science Museum, 236 State Street, Springfield, MA 01103, telephone (413) 263-6800, before July 18, 2002. Repatriation of this sacred object to the Navajo Nation, Arizona, New Mexico & Utah may begin after that date if no additional claimants come forward.

Dated: May 6, 2002.

Robert Stearns,

Manager, National NAGPRA Program.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Notice of Lodging of Consent Decree Pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act, 42 U.S.C. 9601, et seq.

In accordance with Departmental policy, 28 CFR 50.7, notice is hereby given that a proposed Consent Decree in *United States and the State of Illinois v. Alpha Construction, et al.*, Civil Action No. 02 C 3609, was lodged on May 30, 2002, with the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois.

The proposed Consent Decree concerns the Lenz Oil Services, Inc. Superfund Site ("Site") located near the City of Lemont in southwest Du Page County, Illinois. Lenz Oil formerly operated a waste oil and solvent

recycling, storage and transfer facility. The Site is approximately 600 feet northwest of the Des Plaines River, partially within a designated flood plain, and includes contiguous areas contaminated by releases of hazardous substances from Lenz Oil Services, Inc., and approximately 1.5 acres of shallow aquifer contamination. Pursuant to the proposed Consent Decree, 47 generators alleged to have arranged for disposal of waste at the Site are resolving their liability to the United States and the State of Illinois under sections 106 and 107(a) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act ("CERCLA"), 42 U.S.C. 9606 and 9607(a), and certain provisions of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act. Twenty-two settlers are cashing out in this settlement, and twenty-five of the settlers will perform work at the Site. The work to be performed is estimated to cost between \$8 million and \$12.5 million dollars (excluding oversight costs) depending on whether the primary, or one of several contingent remedies is ultimately implemented.

The Department of Justice will receive comments relating to the proposed Consent Decree for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of this publication. Comments should be addressed to the Assistant Attorney General, Environmental and Natural Resources Division, United States Department of Justice of Department of Justice, and sent: (1) By first class mail c/o Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section, P.O. Box 7611, Washington, DC; and/or (2) by facsimile to (202) 353-0296; and/or (3) by overnight delivery, other than through the U.S. Postal Service, to Chief, Environmental Enforcement Section, 1425 New York Avenue, NW., 13th Floor, Washington, DC 20005. Each communication should refer on its face to *United States and the State of Illinois v. Alpha Construction Co., et al.*, DJ #90-11-3-1767.

The proposed Consent Decree may be examined at the office of the United States Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, 219 So. Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60604, at the Region 5 office of the Environmental Protection Agency, 77 West Jackson Blvd., 7th Floor, Chicago, Illinois 60604, and at the Lemont Village Hall, 508 Lemont Street, Lemont, Illinois 60439. A copy of the proposed Consent Decree may also be obtained by faxing a request to Tonia Fleetwood, Department of Justice Consent Decree Library, fax no. (202) 616-6584; phone confirmation no. (202) 514-1547. There is a charge for the copy (25 cents per page reproduction cost). Upon requesting a copy, please mail a