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MEMORANDUM FOR 129th RESCUE WING

FROM: CC

SUBJECT: Environmental Commitment Statement

The mission of the 129th Rescue Wing is to provide a trained and equipped rescue force able to respond to and sustain our state and federal missions. The 129th Rescue Wing conducts combat search and rescue operations, assistance to civil authorities and aid with natural disaster relief worldwide. We commit our resources, our time and above all, ourselves, to achieve our highest, most noble goal, "That others may live". The 129th Rescue Wing also commits our resources to the world we share and dedicate ourselves to achieving the following environmental objectives:

- Complying with environmental laws and regulations as an essential part of our daily work
- Conserving energy and irreplaceable natural and cultural resources
- Instill a culture of continuous improvement through pollution prevention initiatives

The 129th Rescue Wing Environmental Management System has been developed and implemented to guide our environmental goals. It is underpinned by the three pillars of compliance, conservation, and pollution prevention. The 129th Rescue Wing will continuously set and achieve environmental objectives and targets in support of the ISO 14000 standards and presidential policy documents. The 129th Rescue Wing will:

- Maintain an effective Environmental Management System (EMS) that will guide and sustain the unit's mission and environmental goals.
- Reduce environmental impacts by integrating environmental programs into mission planning and increasing employee involvement.
- Communicate environmental information regarding the installation's operations and its environmental achievements to our personnel, and the public.
- Investigate, evaluate and implement, to the best of our ability, innovative technologies to help promote responsible use of energy and enhance pollution prevention programs.

Commanders at all levels will ensure compliance with environmental laws and standards. All 129th Rescue Wing personnel, military, civilian, and contractors, are responsible and accountable for the environmental consequences of their actions.

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AMOS BAGDASARIAN Colonel, CA ANG
Commander

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