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General Comment

My name is Andrew Straw and I am a disability rights attorney.

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My reason for commenting has to do with the poisoning of civilians and veterans at Camp LeJeune and other bases.

I was born at Camp LeJeune in 1969 and was poisoned, resulting in life-long disabilities.

The DOL should state in its regulations that any civilian poisoned at Camp LeJeune will be considered a service-disabled veteran for purposes of the eligibility for DOL programs.

The poisoning at Camp LeJeune (and other bases) has not be remedied and there has been no compensation for the civilians whose lives were so disrupted and careers destroyed.

Treating the poisoned civilians as disabled veterans will go some moderate distance toward alleviating the pain and poverty from this 5th Amendment violation.