



**DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS 5TH BOMB WING (AFGSC)
MINOT AIR FORCE BASE NORTH DAKOTA**

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MEMORANDUM FOR MINOT AFB COMMUNITY

FROM: 5 BW/CC

SUBJECT: Environmental Management System (EMS) Declaration of Conformance

1. This letter is designed to publicly inform all interested persons of Minot Air Force Base's self-declaration of EMS Conformance. The EMS for Minot AFB is fully implemented in accordance with AFI 32-7001, *Environmental Management*, which is based on the Environmental Quality Management International Standard ISO 14001.
2. This declaration of conformance is based on successfully completing the following:
 - a. Implementation of a base-wide EMS;
 - b. A formal audit of the installation's EMS by a qualified party outside the control and scope of the EMS on 10-13 September 2018;
 - c. The formal audit did not identify any major nonconformities.
3. Minot AFB will continue to operate the EMS to maintain full implementation and full conformance with federal requirements.
4. Comments and questions can be directed to the EMS Coordinator, Mr. Thomas Filkins, at 701-723-3436.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bradley L. Cochran", is positioned above the typed name.

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Commander