

**MD-89  
Baltimore City**

Early 1900's	Facility manufactured ammunition.
1968-1969	U.S. Government Post Office erected on site.
1981	Site reported to EPA due to presumed storage of lead waste.
1982	PA prepared.
	EPA determined No Further Action Needed.

**AMERICAN SHOT & LEAD COMPANY  
Baltimore, Maryland**

**Site Location**

The American Shot and Lead Company was located at Fayette and Front Streets, Baltimore, Maryland.

**Site History**

NL Industries, Inc. owned the American Shot and Lead Company. The facility manufactured ammunition during the early 20<sup>th</sup> century, but the exact dates of operation are unknown. In 1968-1969, the entire block where the site was located was excavated for construction of the U.S. Government Post Office. All soil was

excavated for the basement of the building. The site is presently the property of the federal government.

**Environmental Investigations**

NL Industries, Inc., the past owner and operator, reported the site to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in 1981 on a *Notification of Hazardous Waste Site*. The notification was based on the presumed storage of lead wastes.

In 1982, EPA prepared *Potential Hazardous Waste Site Identification and Preliminary Assessment (PA) and Summary and Recommendations, Preliminary Assessment* form. The PA stated that no further action was warranted at the site and recommended the site be closed out.

**Current Status**

The Formerly Investigated Sites List identifies State Master List sites at which the Maryland Department of the Environment has determined, on the basis of available information, that no further action by the State is planned.

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