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'KILLER CHIP' TRACKS HUMANS, RELEASES POISON

By Jay Baggett
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"You can run, but you cannot hide ... and if you try, one push of a button will cause a lethal poison to immediately begin flowing through your body.

That's the Orwellian future a Saudi inventor was seeking to bring to Germany until that nation's patent office announced last week it was rejecting his request to patent what has been dubbed the "Killer Chip."

The tiny semiconductor device is intended to be surgically implanted or injected into the body, according to the patent application, for the purpose of tracking visitors from other nations by global-positioning satellites and preventing them from overstaying their visas.

A German Patent and Trademark Office spokeswoman told Deutsche Presse Agentur the inventor's application, titled "Implantation of electronic chips in the human body for the purposes of determining its geographical location," was submitted in October 2007 and published 18 months later, as required by law, in a patents database."

The full article can be found at: <http://www.worldnetdaily.com/index.php?fa=PAGE.view&pageId=98386>

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LAWMAKER THREATENS TO FORCE DHS TO LET EMPLOYEES WEAR MASKS

By Alex M. Parker
GovernmentExecutive.com
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"Angered by the Homeland Security Department's response to questioning about how it prepared for the swine flu outbreak, Rep. Stephen Lynch, D-Mass., said he will introduce legislation if necessary to force DHS to give its employees the right to wear face masks or respirators to protect themselves."

"DHS' current policy -- which requires workers who come in close contact with an infected person to wear face masks, but otherwise doesn't explicitly allow or prohibit them -- has drawn the ire of the National Treasury Employees Union and the American Federation of Government Employees, which claim that thousands of passenger screeners and others on the border have been ordered to remove masks by their managers.

Elaine Duke, undersecretary of management for DHS, said there wasn't enough evidence to warrant a departmentwide policy endorsing the use of face masks.

"There has to be a reasonable probability that our employees are going to encounter the sickness in their line of work," Duke said. "It did not seem appropriate."

The full article can be found at: http://www.govexec.com/story_page.cfm?articleid=42744&dcn=todaysnews

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INDIA THINKS PAK N-SITES ALREADY IN RADICAL HANDS: REPORT

By Chidanand Rajghatta

The Times of India

May 16, 2009

"India's Prime Minister Manmohan Singh has told President Obama that nuclear sites in Pakistan's restive frontier province are "already partly" in the hands of Islamic extremists, an Israeli journal has said, amid considerable anxiety among US pundits here over Washington's confidence in the security of the troubled nation's nuclear arsenal.

Claims about the high-level exchange between New Delhi and Washington were made in the Debka, a journal said to have close ties with Israeli intelligence, under the headline "Singh warns Obama: Pakistan is lost." The brief story said the Indian prime minister had named Pakistani nuclear sites in the areas which were Taliban-Qaida strongholds and said the sites are already partly in the hands of "Muslim extremists." A sub-head to the story said "India gets ready for a Taliban-ruled nuclear neighbor."

The full article can be found at: <http://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/India-thinks-Pak-N-sites-already-in-radical-hands-Report/articleshow/4537037.cms>

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IT CAME FROM THE REFRIGERATOR: NOXIOUS SMELL FROM OFFICE FRIDGE HOSPITALIZES 7 IN CALIFORNIA

The Associated Press on NYDailyNews.com

May 13, 2009

"An office worker cleaning a fridge full of rotten food created a smell so noxious that it sent seven co-workers to the hospital and made many others ill. Firefighters had to evacuate the AT&T building in downtown San Jose on Tuesday, after the flagrant fumes prompted someone to call 911. A hazmat team was called in."

"Authorities said an enterprising office worker had decided to clean it out, placing the food in a conference room while using two cleaning chemicals to scrub down the mess. The mixture of old lunches and disinfectant caused 28 people to need treatment for vomiting and nausea.

Authorities said the worker who cleaned the fridge didn't need treatment — she can't smell because of allergies."

The full article can be found at:

[http://www.nydailynews.com/lifestyle/health/2009/05/13/2009-05-](http://www.nydailynews.com/lifestyle/health/2009/05/13/2009-05-13_it_came_from_the_refridgerator_noxious_smell_from_office_fridge_hospitalizes_7_i.html)

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PUEBLO CHEMICAL DEPOT - CHEMICAL WASTE TO BE TREATED HERE

By Peter Strescino

The Pueblo Chieftain

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"Army representatives said Thursday that waste products from the destruction of chemical weapons will be biologically treated on-site at the Pueblo Chemical Depot.

Money added to the defense budget allows for the process, said Jean Reed, Army deputy assistant for chemical demilitarization in a phone interview Thursday. An additional \$250 million was added to the 2010 budget, bringing the amount to \$545.2 million.

"The money will be used to increase labor costs," he said. "Actual destruction operations in Pueblo will start in the fourth quarter of 2014 and conclude in the fourth quarter of 2017, with the work being done 24/7."

The full article can be found at: <http://www.chieftain.com/articles/2009/05/15/news/local/doc4a0d03e75da74280185799.txt>

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[LEXINGTON BLUE GRASS ARMY DEPOT] - PENTAGON: KY. WEAPONS STOCKPILE WILL BE LAST TO GO

Examiner.com

May 14, 2009

"A chemical weapons storage site in Kentucky will be the nation's lone stockpile to miss a 2017 deadline imposed by Congress for destroying the deadly munitions, the Pentagon said Thursday.

Although Blue Grass Army Depot in Richmond holds just 2 percent of the World War II-era rockets set to be eliminated under an international treaty, it will be the last to start the process and the last to finish, according to a report sent to Congress.

Under the estimate, Blue Grass will begin destroying its weapons in 2019 and finish in 2021. Another storage site in Pueblo, Colo., that also plans to use chemical neutralization rather than incineration will begin in 2014 and end in 2017."

The full article can be found at: <http://www.examiner.com/a->

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