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JOINT BASE PEARL HARBOR-HICKAM INSTRUCTION 5530.1

From: Commander, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam

Subj: REGISTRATION AND POSSESSION OF FIREARMS OR DANGEROUS WEAPONS

Ref: (a) Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS) ch. 134
(b) Federal Firearms Act 18 U.S.C. ch. 44
(c) National Firearms Act 26 U.S.C. ch. 53
(d) DODINST 6400.06, 21 Aug 07 (Domestic Abuse)
(e) OPNAVINST 5530.14E CH-1, 19 Apr 10 (Security)
(f) COMNAVREGHIINST 5500.11, 21 Aug 01 (Barment)
(g) NAVADMIN 196/10
(h) NAVADMIN 234/04

Encl: (1) DD Form 2760/Qualification to Possess Firearms or Ammunition

1. Purpose. To promulgate procedures for the registration and possession of privately-owned firearms and dangerous weapons on Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam (JBPHH). This instruction is an initial publication and should be read in its entirety.

2. Cancellation. COMNAVBASEPEARLINST 3574.1C.

3. Applicability. This instruction applies to all personnel within the area of responsibility of the Joint Base Commander (JBC), including, but not limited to, active duty personnel, members of the Reserve component on active duty or inactive-duty training, non-military members including DoD personnel, contractors, retirees, dependants, and sponsored guests within the limits of JBPHH. In addition, all residents of Public-Private Venture (PPV) housing property within the JBPHH fence line, to include the neighborhoods of Hospital Point, Marine Barracks, Hale Alii, Earhart Village, Onizuka Village, Hale Na Koa Village, Officer Field and its annexes, Makalapa Compound, Ford Island, West-Loch, Wahiawa, and Lualualei.

4. Definitions

a. "Firearm" means any weapon for which the operating force is an explosive or compressed means/process including, but not

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limited to, pistols, revolvers, rifles, shotguns, crossbows, automatic firearms, semi-automatic firearms, noxious gas projectors, mortars, cannons, bombs, pellet guns, BB guns, and/or any weapon that launches a projectile that can kill, injure, or maim.

b. "Possess" means to exercise control of something, to know of its presence, and have either physical control of it, or have the power and intention to control it, or both. More than one person can be in possession of something if each knows of its presence and has the power and intention to control it.

c. "Dangerous Weapon" means a firearm or any object designed, made, or adapted for the purpose of inflicting death or serious physical injury.

5. Policy. In all cases, individuals will comply with all federal, state, and local laws and regulations concerning firearm ownership, possession, registration, and use. Possession and/or ownership of a firearm or dangerous weapon on JBPHH must be in accordance with this instruction and references (a) through (h).

a. Firearm Registration. Military personnel arriving in the State of Hawaii who bring with them any firearms shall register with the State of Hawaii, all firearms within three (3) days after arrival of the person or of the firearm, whichever arrives later, in accordance with reference (a). The Honolulu Police Department (HPD), located at 801 South Beretania Street, Honolulu, Hawaii, 808-529-3371, is the only place on the island of Oahu where firearms may be registered with the State of Hawaii. Firearms must be presented to HPD during initial registration.

(1) After registering firearms with HPD, military personnel who will reside on-base as outlined in paragraph 3 above, shall register their firearms with JBPHH Security Department (JB2) Armory section located at 370 Fuller Way, Building 278, JBPHH, Hawaii. The above address is the only location for firearms registration for JBPHH and registration must be accomplished within 2 working days after registration with the State of Hawaii. Registration times are 0800-1200, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. **Firearms must not be brought to JB2 during initial registration.** The registrant must present the following:

(a) Original HPD firearm registration document.

(b) Proof of residence in government housing.

(c) Valid military identification card.

(d) In accordance with reference (e) section 0306, the registering official will conduct appropriate checks to verify compliance with the Lautenberg Amendment to the gun control act, in accordance with reference (b). The Lautenberg Amendment makes it a felony for any person who has been convicted of a misdemeanor crime of domestic violence to ship, transport, possess or receive firearms or ammunition, including military and law enforcement personnel. This will be accomplished by obtaining a completed DD Form 2760, Qualification to Possess Firearms or Ammunition (enclosure 1), for the owner and each adult that will reside at the residence as applicable.

(e) The registering official shall obtain a copy of the certificate of completion for Personal Firearm Safety (CSF-PFS-010) course for Navy personnel completed via navy e-learning. Members of other Services will adhere to their Service guidance for firearm safety requirements.

(2) Documentation of personally owned weapons stored in PPV housing or approved armories will be retained by JB2 for at least three years. Most recent inventories will be made available to the Inspector General. Procedures shall include, but are not limited to:

(a) Registration, inventory, and deregistration of personal weapons.

(b) Identification of all personal weapons. Firearms will be identified by manufacturer, caliber, model, and serial number. This information will be included on the registration.

(c) Semiannual sight inventories by serial number of personal weapons stored in Navy armories or weapons containers.

(d) Annual owner written certification of personal weapons in custody of owners.

(e) Storage of personal weapons.

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(f) Documentation of each time the owner of a personal firearm removes and returns the personal firearm to storage in Navy armories or weapons containers.

(g) Personal firearms approved for storage in an existing installation armory or magazine shall not be stored in the same container or weapons rack with Government arms, ammunition, and explosives.

(h) Personal firearms brought onto the installation after normal duty hours shall be stored at the JBPHH Security Department ready-for-issue facility until the next working day. Accountability procedures as identified above apply.

b. Storage and Transport of Firearms and Ammunition.

Personnel residing in family housing may store their registered firearms within their residence on JBPHH and/or in an approved Navy armory on a space available basis. Privately owned ammunition will not be stored in Navy armories.

(1) Firearms are to be stored using either a locked container, locked gun rack, secured with an approved individual trigger or chamber-style gun lock that prevents loading or firing, rigidly constructed receptacle, or a commercially manufactured gun case, or the equivalent thereof that completely encloses the firearm. Ammunition must be stored in a separate locked container.

(2) All firearms transported on JBPHH shall:

(a) Be transported only after the Joint Base Security Watch Commander has been notified at (808)474-6751.

(b) Be unloaded and transported in the trunk of the vehicle or, if the vehicle has no trunk, be disassembled or secured with an approved individual trigger or chamber-style lock. The firearm must then be stored in a locked container.

(c) Ammunition will be transported in a separate compartment from the one in which the firearm is stored (e.g., a glove box or secure interior storage box in the passenger compartment).

(3) Personal firearms storage in other locations on-base is NOT authorized (e.g., Bachelor Quarters, automobiles, work centers, etc.).

c. Seizure of Firearms. Possession of firearms are regulated under this instruction and references (a) through (e) to include, but not limited to, the following:

(1) Any person disqualified from ownership, possession, control, or the right to transfer ownership of firearms and ammunition under this instruction shall surrender or dispose of all firearms and ammunition in accordance with reference (a).

(2) The manufacture, possession, sale, barter, trade, gift, transfer, or acquisition of detachable ammunition magazines with a capacity in excess of ten rounds that is designed for or capable of use with a pistol is prohibited in accordance with reference (a).

(3) Any police officer who has reasonable grounds to believe that a person has recently assaulted or threatened to assault a family or household member may seize all firearms and ammunition that the police officer has reasonable grounds to believe were used or threatened to be used in the commission of the offense. The police officer shall seize any firearms or ammunition that are in plain view and if there is a report of domestic violence will assume temporary custody of firearms for safety of officers and family members until final disposition, whether or not they are in plain view. This also applies to the discovery of a weapon pursuant to a consensual search, as necessary for the protection of the officer or any family or household member.

(4) All firearms found in violation of this instruction will be confiscated by JB2 personnel and delivered to the evidence locker, with a full report describing the circumstances surrounding the confiscation. Confiscated firearms will not be returned in cases where charges are filed for violation of this instruction until after resolution of the charges. Any firearm used in an unauthorized manner will be confiscated.

d. Effects of Domestic Violence Convictions. In accordance with references (a) through (e), any person who has a qualifying conviction for a misdemeanor or felony crime of domestic violence, including military and law enforcement personnel, is prohibited from possessing, receiving, shipping, or transporting any firearm. Also it is a felony for any person to sell, transfer, or otherwise dispose of a firearm or ammunition to any person whom he or she knows or has reasonable cause to believe has a qualifying conviction.

e. Effects of Apprehension for Domestic Violence. Any military member of JBPHH who, on or off base, is involved in domestic violence either as an offender or victim shall have all firearms and ammunition in their possession, immediate control, or household, immediately turned over to JB2 personnel, the Honolulu Police Department, or other appropriate law enforcement agency. Such firearms and ammunition will be retained until the final disposition of the offense.

(1) Upon a finding of "not guilty," deferred prosecution, or similar alternative dispositions in civilian or military courts, the firearm(s) and ammunition shall be returned to the individual to whom they are registered.

(2) Upon conviction of a domestic violence offense, the registered owner may not take possession of the firearm and ammunition, but may direct, in writing, lawful disposition of the firearm(s) and ammunition (sale, transfer, destruction, etc.). This does not apply to convictions by a summary court-martial or imposition of non-judicial punishment (Article 15, UCMJ).

f. Use or Access of Firearms by Children.

(1) The use, for any purpose whatsoever, of a firearm or a weapon by any minor (a person under 18 years of age) is prohibited, unless such use is under the supervision of and in the presence of an adult and is in compliance with this instruction and references (a) through (h).

(2) Any adult responsible for the welfare of any child, who knowingly permits such child to use any firearm or weapon in violation of the provisions of this instruction, shall also be in violation of this instruction.

(3) Individuals storing registered privately-owned firearms in family housing (to include on-base PPV housing) will ensure firearms and ammunition are inaccessible to unauthorized persons and minors.

g. Discharge of Firearms. No privately-owned firearms shall be discharged on JBPHH, except on an approved shooting range or designated hunting area authorized by the JBC.

h. Concealed Weapons. Personal weapons shall not be carried in a concealed manner on JBPHH. State issued "Concealed Weapon Permits" are not honored on JBPHH.

(1) No person on JBPHH shall, except as may be necessary in the proper performance of their duties or as may be authorized by proper authority:

(a) Have concealed about their person any dangerous weapon, instrument, or device, or any highly explosive article or compound.

(b) Have in their possession any dangerous weapon, instrument, or device, or any highly explosive article or compound on any ship, craft, aircraft, or in any vehicle on JBPHH.

i. Lost, Sold, or Stolen Firearms and Dangerous Weapons.

(1) The sale of firearms and/or dangerous weapons will be immediately reported to JB2 personnel.

(2) Discovery of the loss or theft of firearms and/or dangerous weapons will be immediately reported to JB2 personnel.

6. Exceptions. The JB2 or designated representative must be notified for all exceptions to provisions outlined in this instruction.

a. City, county, state, and federal law enforcement officers are authorized to carry firearms on JBPHH while in the performance of their duties or when subject to immediate recall to duty.

b. Conservation personnel assigned to the Regional Engineer, while performing duties involving pest removal, bird abatement, or other duties authorized by proper authority, are authorized to carry firearms on JBPHH while in the performance of their duties.

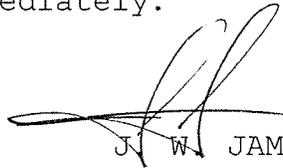
c. Properly identified armored car guards are authorized to carry firearms on JBPHH in the performance of their duties.

7. Action. This instruction is punitive and shall be strictly enforced within JBPHH. Personnel who are found to be in violation of this instruction may be subject to administrative actions, criminal sanctions, or both. Such actions may include, but are not limited to, forfeiture or confiscation of firearms and ammunition, removal from and/or denial of access to area installations in accordance with reference (f), eviction from

housing areas, filing of charges in federal court, special or general courts-martial, or non-judicial punishment proceedings.

a. Commanders and Commanding Officers will ensure that the contents of this instruction are brought to the attention of all personnel. Periodic publication is requested.

b. Members who observe or have information of service member(s) who possesses a firearm or other dangerous weapons that may violate this instruction shall report such information to their chain of command immediately.



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