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REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF:

CJTF-1-CG

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MEMORANDUM FOR All Combined/Joint Task Force - 1 (CJTF-1) Personnel

SUBJECT: CJTF-1 GENERAL ORDER Number 1 – Punitive Prohibitions

1. Reference. Central Command (CENTCOM) General Order Number 1B, dated 13 March 06.
2. General. This General Order proscribes certain conduct for all personnel identified in Paragraph 3 below while present in the Operation Enduring Freedom (OEF) or CJTF-1 Combined/Joint Operation Area (CJOA). This policy supplements any existing CENTCOM General Order. This General Order revokes the previous CJTF-101 General Order Number 1. This General Order will be further supplemented as needed by base, task force or subordinate commanders. United States and Coalition force commanders will enforce the provisions of this General Order.
3. Applicability.
  - a. Except where specifically stated, this General Order applies to all United States military personnel, United States civilians serving with, employed by, or accompanying the Armed Forces of the United States (including contingency contractor personnel as defined in DoD Instruction 3020.41, dated 3 October 2005), and Coalition forces (military and civilians accompanying the military) assigned or attached to CJTF-1 while serving in the CJTF-1 CJOA.
  - b. This General Order does not apply to Defense Attaché Offices, United States Marine Corps Security Detachments, sensitive intelligence and counter intelligence activities that are conducted under the direction and control of the Chief of Missions/Chief of Station, or other United States Government agencies and departments not under the control of CJTF-1.
4. Punitive Order. Paragraph 5 of this General Order is punitive. United States personnel may face administrative action, nonjudicial punishment, or judicial action under the Uniform Code of Military Justice for violations of this General Order. United States and Coalition civilians serving with, employed by, or accompanying the force who violate this General Order may face criminal prosecution or administrative action, to include termination of employment and redeployment. Coalition military forces who violate this order will be subject to administrative or disciplinary action in accordance with their national regulations.
5. Prohibited Activities and Standards.
  - a. Weapons.
    - (1) Loaded Weapons. Unless directed otherwise by appropriate authority, required for a specific mission, or for reasons of self defense, individuals will not chamber a round in their individual weapon. Weapons that use magazines will have a loaded magazine locked into the

weapon, but no round chambered. Individuals assigned a belt fed weapon will keep the rounds in a bandolier or ammunition carrying case. All individuals will clear their assigned weapon before entering United States or Coalition installations.

(2) Positive Personal Control. Personnel issued a weapon will maintain positive personal control of their weapon at all times. "Positive personal control" means the weapon is carried by the person, is under the control (guard) of a known individual, or is secured behind two doors (e.g. a locked wall locker inside a locked room). When outdoors, personnel must carry their issued weapon at all times, except when conducting physical training or for brief periods of time (e.g., latrine breaks, smoke breaks), and, depending on the force protection level, as prescribed by each installation or base commander.

(3) Purchase, possession, use or sale of privately owned firearms, ammunition, explosives, or the introduction of these items into the CJTF-1 CJOA is prohibited.

b. Minefields. Damaging or removing minefields markings is prohibited. Knowingly entering a marked minefield or an area where there is information that mines may be located is prohibited for all personnel except mine-clearing personnel in the performance of their duties, unless absolutely necessary for mission accomplishment as determined by the on-scene commander.

c. Alcohol. Individuals are prohibited from the introduction, possession, sale, transfer, manufacture, or consumption of any alcoholic beverage. Non-United States Coalition forces authorized by their command to consume alcohol will only do so within their discrete camp area, will not allow consumption to detract from mission accomplishment, and will not introduce, sell, or transfer alcohol to United States military or civilian personnel under any circumstances.

d. Drugs and Drug Paraphernalia. Individuals are prohibited from introducing, possessing, selling, transferring, manufacturing, or using any chemical, product, or substance with intention of obtaining an altered state of mind or an unnatural feeling of euphoria. Also prohibited are paraphernalia used to facilitate the manufacture or use of any such substance. This is intended to prohibit the intentional misuse of certain products (e.g., paint products, glue, nitrous oxide, prescription or over-the-counter medicines, and other similar substances) for a purpose other than for which they were manufactured. This prohibition does not apply to the use of tobacco or caffeine products.

e. Gambling. Gambling of any kind, including sports pools, lotteries, and raffles is prohibited.

f. Pornography and Sexually Explicit Material. Introduction, purchase, possession, transfer, sale, creation, or display of any pornographic or sexually explicit photograph, video tapes or CDs, movies, drawing, book, magazine, or similar representation is prohibited. The prohibitions contained in this paragraph shall not apply to AFRTS broadcasts and commercial videotapes distributed and/or displayed through AAFES or MWR outlets located within the CJOA.

g. Living Spaces (for purposes of this paragraph, living spaces also include offices or work areas that contain or are directly connected to personal sleeping areas).



(1) Cohabitation. Males and females will not cohabit with, reside with, or sleep with individuals of the opposite sex in living spaces of any kind. This prohibition may not apply in situations where a military exigency necessitates mixed residency arrangements, as determined by the first Field Grade Commander. Furthermore, lawfully married spouses will be permitted to reside in the same living quarters together, provided adequate accommodations are available and the first Field Grade Commander determines it causes no detrimental effect to mission accomplishment, unit cohesion, morale, or good order and discipline.

(2) Visitation. Except as necessitated by the cohabitation terms above, males and females may not enter the living space of individuals of the opposite sex nor may they permit individuals of the opposite sex entry into their living space, except under the following conditions:

(a) To conduct recurring official business as required by the specific nature of the individual's duty responsibilities and only while in execution thereof, for example, JVB and escort personnel, Flag Officer support personnel, criminal investigators, and AR 15-6 Investigation Officers.

(b) To conduct official business when authorized in writing by at least an O3 supervisor and while accompanied by another official representative, for example, to conduct Health and Welfare Inspections.

(c) Living spaces will not be used for official meetings, training, social functions, unit activities, or similar events.

h. Sexual Conduct. Sexual relations in a deployed environment can adversely affect unit cohesion, morale, good order and discipline, and jeopardize unit readiness and mission accomplishment. All persons subject to this General Order will conduct themselves in a manner respecting this reality.

(1) Personnel whose sexual behavior adversely impacts unit cohesion, morale, or good order and discipline, or jeopardizes unit readiness or mission accomplishment, may be punished as provided in Paragraph 4.

(2) Individuals will not have sexual contact of any kind with Afghan nationals or foreign nationals.

i. Muslim Dead. Muslim dead, including enemy dead, will be treated with respect and to the greatest extent possible, without compromising ongoing military operations, will be interred in accordance with Muslim religious practice and customs. The guidance contained in CENTCOM Standard Operation Procedures (SOP) for Muslim Burial Practices, dated 4 June 2004, will be followed. Muslim dead will not be burned or cremated under any circumstance. Every effort will be made to bury Muslim remains within the first 24 hours following death. The maximum time for burial should be 72 hours. Local religious leaders will, if possible, be consulted to ensure the proper actions are taken.

j. Afghan Culture and Religion.

(1) Due to the unique challenges inherent in providing military and civilian support to a Muslim nation, all personnel will remain focused at all times on the culture and mores of the sovereign nation in which we operate. Accordingly, all persons subject to this General Order are charged with the individual duty to become familiar with and respect the laws, regulations, and customs of Afghanistan insofar as they do not interfere with execution of their official duties. Words, gestures and acts that are disrespectful to Afghans, their cultural practices, or their religious beliefs will negatively affect mission success and safety of United States and Coalition forces in Afghanistan. Words, gestures or acts directed at, conveyed to, or made in the presence of any Afghan citizen by any person subject to this General Order, with intent to insult, disrespect or degrade Afghan citizens, their culture, or their religious beliefs, is prohibited.

(2) Entrance into a Mosque or other site of Islamic religious significance by non-Muslims unless directed to do so by military authorities, required by military necessity, or as part of an official tour conducted with the approval of military authorities and the host nation, is prohibited.

(3) Removing, possessing, selling, defacing or destroying archeological artifacts or national treasures is prohibited.

k. Adopting as pets or mascots, caring for, or feeding any type of domestic or wild animal is prohibited.

l. Proselytizing of any religion, faith or practice is prohibited.

m. Vehicle Operations.

(1) Seat belts. When available, seat belts will be worn when traveling in all vehicles.

(2) A ground guide will be used for backing all tactical vehicles.

(3) Open air vehicles and heavy equipment. All personnel will wear an advanced combat helmet, a ballistic helmet, an approved safety helmet, or a hard hat, and protective eyewear when driving or riding in any open-air vehicle (such as a Gator or 4-wheeler). Personnel will also wear a reflective belt when driving or riding in an open-air vehicle on base. Personnel operating heavy equipment (e.g. a forklift or other construction equipment) will wear the advanced combat helmet, the ballistic helmet, or an approved safety helmet.

n. Smoking in tents or buildings is prohibited.

o. United States and Other Property.

(1) United States personnel are prohibited from giving host nation civilians any property belonging to the United States Government (such as ACUs, DCUs, Meals Ready to Eat (MREs), beverages, scrap wood, or other supplies) unless authorized by an appropriate United States Official with authority to do so.



(2) United States personnel are prohibited from giving host nation civilians any personal property that is identical to or bears a strong resemblance to property belonging to the United States Government (such as privately owned ACUs or DCUs, or other uniform items) unless authorized by an appropriate United States Official with authority to do so.

(3) Selling, bartering or exchanging any currency other than at the official host-nation exchange rate is prohibited.

p. Proxy Web Servers. A proxy web server is a computer network internet service that allows clients to make indirect network connections to other network services. Users mask their surfing habits by going to a web proxy server to surf from that location, thereby circumventing the measures put in place to enforce DoD and CENTCOM policies. Proxy web servers not located in DoD networks are unauthorized, and their use to access web sites is prohibited.

q. Videotaping/Photography. Unofficial videotaping or photography of the following are prohibited: flight-line operations; Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs) or damage resulting from an IED strike; casualties; detainees; memorial services; casualty transfers; destroyed or damaged Coalition equipment; and any depiction that violates or discloses operational security measures or tactics, techniques and procedures of Coalition forces. Regarding Mine Resistant Ambush Protected (MRAP) vehicles, unofficial videotaping or photographing of the following is prohibited: the interior; the ballistic hull or any armor design; the underside; any government furnished equipment; and any vehicle performance testing results.

r. War Trophies and War Souvenirs. Taking or retaining of public or private property of an enemy or former enemy will comply with the provisions of USCENTCOM General Order Number 1B (Reference to this General Order).

6. Driving Regulations. Safe driving practices save lives and enhance our relations with the people of Afghanistan. Commanders at all levels will publish and implement policies that direct safe driving practices and will, at a minimum, establish maximum speed limits and minimum safe following distances, prohibit unsafe lane changes, and prohibit aggressive driving while operating both tactical and non-tactical vehicles. Weapons will not be pointed at civilians unless required for force protection, and personnel will properly apply escalation of force procedures when circumstances allow. Unless otherwise dictated by tactical circumstances, drivers will serve as models for Afghan citizens and will convey respect for Afghan citizenry and their laws.

7. Installation Policies. Battle Space Owning Task Force (BSOTF) Commanders will publish and implement Installation/AO specific policies for all installations and bases within their battle spaces.

a. Installation Policies mandated under this paragraph must include, but are not limited to, the following:

(1) Force Protection (FP) Measures. At a minimum, these measures will address base defense drills, positive personal weapons control, loading and chambering ammunition, weapons clearing procedures/requirements, vehicle speed limits, operation standards, and other appropriate traffic regulations, installation access and vehicle search procedures, individual access badge/escort requirements, and installation curfew.

(2) Individual Movement Policies. At minimum, these measures will address buddy teams, body armor requirements, and restricted areas on or near each installations.

(3) Uniform Wear and Appearance. At a minimum, these policies will address duty and PT uniforms, and the wear of civilian clothing, and will state requirements for United States, Coalition, and civilian personnel.

(4) Installation Management. At a minimum, these policies will address smoking, fires, and use of real estate, tents, water, and electricity.

(5) Personnel Policies. At a minimum, these policies will address in and out processing requirements, awards, leave, and passes.

b. BSOTF Commanders will ensure that policies published under this paragraph are consistent with those established by CJTF-1.


c. BSOTF Commanders may delegate responsibilities under this paragraph to subordinate commanders within their battle space, however, the BSOTF Commander must personally approved all Force Protection Measures and changes to Force Protection Measures.

d. CJTF-1 retains authority to direct changes or supplement policies issued under this paragraph.

8. Unit Commander Responsibility. Commanders, Security Assistance Office Chiefs, and military and civilian supervisors are charged with ensuring that all personnel are briefed on the prohibitions and requirements of this General Order. Commanders and supervisors are expected to exercise discretion and good judgment in enforcing this General Order. Subordinate commanders may further restrict the conduct of their forces at their discretion. However, any further restriction related to the content of this General Order must be provided to the CJTF-1 Office of the Staff Judge Advocate before implementation.

9. Effective Date/Expiration. This General Order is effective immediately and will expire only when rescinded by the Commander, CJTF-1, or higher authority. Military customs and other pre-clearance officials will enforce this General Order in their inspections of personnel and equipment prior to departure from AOR.

10. The point of contact for this General Order is the CJTF-1 Staff Judge Advocate, at DSN 318-431-4015.

  
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