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INSTALLATION MANAGEMENT COMMAND
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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Excessive Noise from Privately Owned Vehicles (POV) and On Post Housing Policy (Garrison Policy #32)

1. This policy establishes procedures for Garrison efforts to quell excessive noise coming from on post housing and privately owned vehicles (POVs).

2. This policy is applicable to the owners/operators of all POVs operated on FWA and all occupants of housing on the installation.

3. In determining parameters for this policy "Excessive Noise" is defined as: playing music, recordings or amplifying instruments generating loud sound or noises and people yelling from a POV or an on post housing unit that can be heard beyond 50 feet of a vehicle or residence.

4. The Fort Wainwright Police may cite individuals in violation of this policy under the following provisions:

a. A ticket may be issued for "Disorderly Conduct" under Alaska Statute 11.61.110.

b. Under Article 134 of the UCMJ, "Disorderly Conduct/Disturbing the Peace," on a military installation.

c. Violation of Garrison Policy.

5. Persons who accept the privilege of driving on a military installation or living in on post housing must comply with the laws and regulations on the installation. If a person fails to comply with applicable laws and regulations, their driving privileges may be suspended or revoked by the Garrison Commander as outlined in AR 190-5. Consideration will be given for location, time of day or night, and will be equally applied regardless of race, rank, gender, status (Civilian, DoD or active duty), or the type of music being played or noise being heard in the POV or on post housing unit.

6. Failure to comply with this policy can result in the following actions being taken against the violator:

a. Excessive noise emitted from POVs.

(1) First Offense: Violators will be issued a DD Form 1408 (Disturbing the Peace) by the Fort Wainwright Police.

(2) Second Offense: Show Cause Letter from the Garrison Commander. Before imposing punishment, the violator will have a chance to show cause why action should not be taken. "Show cause" is an opportunity for the violator and their Chain of Command to present facts informally on their behalf.

(3) Third Offense: Suspension of on post driving privileges.

b. Excessive noise emitted from On Post Housing.

(1) First Offense: Violators will be issued a DD Form 1408 (Disturbing the Peace) by the Fort Wainwright Police, ticket forwarded to North Haven Properties.

(2) Subsequent Offenses: Violators will be issued a DD Form 1408 (Disturbing the Peace) by the Fort Wainwright Police, Tickets will be forwarded to North Haven Properties and the Garrison Commander's office for action, which may include eviction from on post housing and/or barment from the installation.

7. All violators will be furnished a copy of this policy letter.

8. This policy supersedes Garrison Policy #24, SAB, dated 21 July 2009.

9. POC for this memorandum is the Director of Emergency Services, 353-7889.

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