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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

IMSE-GOR-PWE

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MEMORANDUM FOR ALL COMMANDERS

SUBJECT: Garrison commander's Policy memorandum No. 63 – Compliance with Environmental, Natural, and Cultural Resource Requirements

1. In support of the Army's Environmental strategy for the 21st Century, Fort Gordon is committed to environmental stewardship as an integral part of the installation's mission. All organizations, activities, tenants, contractors, and visitors on Fort Gordon will comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, ordinances, and policies. This will ensure maximum military training and combat readiness with the least impact to the environment and public health.

2. To ensure compliance, the Environmental Division, Directorate of Public Works (DPW), will perform unannounced inspections throughout the installation. Activities with the greatest potential for noncompliance will be inspected a minimum of twice annually. All other activities will be inspected annually. Inspection reports will be provided to the activity. Findings of noncompliance will be documented and corrective action will be required within 15 calendar days. A historic file of findings and observations will be maintained for two calendar years. The following will be the notification procedure for inspection and assessment reports:

a. After the first inspection, a memorandum will be sent from the Chief, Environmental Division, DPW, to the activity Commander/Director, providing information about the inspection findings and required corrective actions, if any.

b. After a second inspection with repeat findings from the first inspection, a memorandum from the Directorate of Public Works will be sent to the activity Commander/Director, providing information about the inspection, the findings, and requesting corrective actions.

c. After a third inspection with repeat findings, a memorandum from the Garrison Commander will be sent to the higher-level activity Commander/Director, providing information about the inspection, the repeat findings, and the required corrective actions.

3. In addition to unannounced inspections, the Environmental Division, DPW will also perform commander-requested compliance assessments, to assist commanders at all levels in their accomplishment of environmental responsibilities. Any report of such an assessment and its needed follow-up actions will be prepared as a memorandum addressed solely to the commander who requested the inspection.

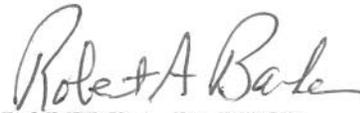
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4. The Environmental Division Chief is the Environmental Coordinator for Fort Gordon, and he shall ensure that the installation commander requirements in AR 200-1, Chapter 15, paragraph 15-9, Chapter 16, paragraphs 16-1 and 16-5, and Chapter 17 are achieved. The Environmental Division will cooperatively partner with all installation activities and tenants in the total support of mission achievement and sound stewardship.

5. It is my desire that each individual on Fort Gordon will embrace a personal responsibility for stewardship of our environmental, natural, and cultural resources, not as a burden, but as an opportunity for even greater success and total mission accomplishment, both now and in the future.

6. The proponent for this policy is Environmental Division, Natural Resources Branch, Directorate of Public Works, 706-791-6374.



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This memorandum supersedes the Garrison Commander's Policy Memorandum No. 18– Compliance with Environmental, Natural, and Cultural Resources Requirements, dated 9 August 2010.