



DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
Joint Task Force Guantanamo
Guantanamo Bay, Cuba
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JTF GTMO-CG

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MEMORANDUM FOR All Personnel Assigned or Attached to Joint Task Force Guantanamo Bay

SUBJECT: General Order No. 1

1. TITLE: prohibited activities of Joint Task Force GTMO personnel serving in the joint operations area (JOA).
2. PURPOSE: To prohibit conduct that is prejudicial to the good order and discipline of JTF GTMO, is of a nature likely to bring discredit upon JTF GTMO, or is harmful to the health and welfare of members of JTF GTMO.
3. APPLICABILITY:
 - a. This General Order is applicable to all U.S. military personnel assigned, attached, or under the operational control of JTF GTMO, and all U.S. civilian personnel serving with, employed by, or accompanying forces assigned or attached to JTF GTMO.
 - b. The following Orders are hereby revoked: General Order No 1, dated 7 November 2002.
4. AUTHORITY: The Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ), Title 10, United States Code, section 180 et. seq.
5. PUNITIVE ORDER: This order is punitive. Persons subject to the UCMJ who violate this order may be punished under Article 92, UCMJ for violating a lawful general order, or receive adverse administrative actions or both. Civilians serving with, employed by, or accompanying the U.S. armed forces in JTF GTMO any face adverse administrative actions for violation of this General Order.
6. PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES:
 - a. Purchase, possession, use, sale, or transfer of privately owned firearms, ammunitions, or explosives, or the introduction of these items into the JOA.

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b. Introduction, purchase, possession, use, sale, transfer, manufacture, or consumption of any controlled substance as defined by Article 112a, UCMJ.

c. Gambling of any kind, including sports pools, lotteries, and raffles.

d. Photographing or videorecording any detainee facility, detainee convoy, or detainee, unless authorized by Commander, JTF GTMO. This includes, Camp X-Ray, Camp Delta, the Fleet Hospital, the Detention Hospital, and any future detention facilities.

e. Entering secured areas of any detainee camp for unofficial business, as determined by the individual's chain of command.

f. Entering any area or beach that is posted off-limits or listed as such in COMNAVBASEGTMOINST 1710.10H.

g. Viewing, downloading, transferring, storing, or in any way accessing pornographic material on a government computer.

h. Leaving the borders of U.S. Naval Base, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba for any reason other than flying on military or military contracted aircraft to perform military duties or while in an official leave status; or boating beyond the boundaries described in COMNAVBASE GTMO INSTRUCTION 1710.10H.

i. Feeding, capturing, harming, tormenting, or killing any wild animal including iguanas, goats, chickens, feral cats, dogs, snakes or banana rats. Feeding these animals is contrary to their natural environment and poses a risk to residents of Guantanamo Bay. Additionally, these animals may be infected with a variety of diseases that can be transmitted from animals to humans, and can harbor organisms capable of transmitting diseases to humans that have a high potential for adversely affecting the health of the command.

j. Having guests in housing at any time who are below the age of 18, or still a student in high school unaccompanied by a legal guardian.

k. Cohabiting with or entertaining guests of the opposite sex in government provided quarters between the hours of 2400 and 0600.

l. The use of DSN lines may be used to place MWR calls to CONUS. Calls are to be placed only during off-duty hours, and are limited to three (3) 15-minute calls per week. DSN morale calls will not incur a toll charge to the government. Members or called party called are responsible for all charges. Incoming collect calls are not authorized.

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7. COMNAVBASEGTMO INSTRUCTION 17170.10H is the base instruction pertaining to outdoor recreation and wildlife on Guantanamo Bay. All persons subject to this General Order must comply with this base instruction. The instruction imposes additional requirements and rules for care, preservation, and protection of the environment. In addition, the instruction provides rules for outdoor activities such as running, walking, swimming, snorkeling, diving, boating, fishing, and cycling.

8. INDIVIDUAL DUTY: All persons subject to this General Order are charged with the duty to become familiar with this General Order. All personnel shall avoid action, whether or not specifically prohibited in this General Order, which might result in or reasonably be expected to create the appearance of a violation of this General Order or other law under the UCMJ.

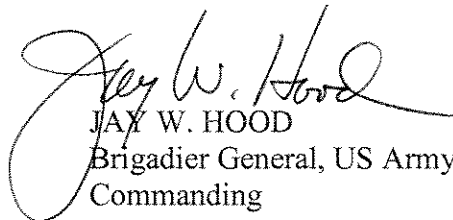
9. UNIT COMMANDER RESPONSIBILITIES: Unit commanders and supervisors are to ensure that all personnel are briefed on the contents of this General Order, and that it is posted on read boards in common areas throughout the unit.

10. EFFECTIVE DATE: This General Order is effective immediately.

11. EXPIRATION: This General Order will expire when rescinded by the Commander, JTF GTMO, or higher authority, or upon redeployment of JTF GTMO.

12. WAIVER REQUESTS: Requests to waive prohibitions of this General Order must be coordinated with the JTF Staff Judge Advocate and can only be approved by the Commander, JTF GTMO.

13. My point of contact for this General Order is the Staff Judge Advocate, x 5049.


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