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From: Commanding General  
To: Distribution List

Subj: BASE REGULATIONS

Encl: (1) New page insert to the basic Order.

1. Purpose. To transmit a new page insert to the basic Order.
2. Action. Remove page 7-7 from the basic Order and replace with corresponding page contained in the enclosure.
3. Summary of Changes. This Change requires Family Housing residents and residents of the BOQ/BEQ to park/store personal boats/trailers, jet skis and other watercraft at the Base Marina, Pearl Harbor Marina, or other off Base locations. Residents who were previously approved to park their boats in family housing are considered "grandfathered" until they PCS. This change is effective 1 June 2004.
4. Filing Instructions. File this change transmittal immediately behind the signature page of the basic Order.

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By direction

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## BASE REGULATIONS

g. Do not leave any child under 10 years of age in a parked vehicle without proper supervision. Do not leave any vehicle occupied solely by a person who cannot readily exit in the case of an emergency.

h. Boats and Trailers. Effective 1 June 2004, the parking of boats, jet skis, other watercraft and their trailers are prohibited aboard MCBH other than in designated areas at the Base Marina provided, however, residents in family housing who have previously been approved to park watercraft in family housing may continue to do so until they PCS or leave active duty in the U.S. Armed Services. If previously approved, the watercraft/trailer must be parked in the respective assigned parking stall or carport area. BOQ/BEQ residents previously approved to park watercraft/trailers within bachelor housing parking areas are required to move said watercraft/trailers either to the Base Marina or off Base. If the previously approved BOQ/BEQ residents park their watercraft/trailer at the Base Marina, there will be no monthly parking charge until they PCS or leave active duty in the U.S. Armed Services. For safety purposes, the propeller blades must be secured whenever the boat is parked aboard MCBH. Watercraft/trailers may not be parked in streets or on lawns. All watercraft/trailers must comply with all applicable State of Hawaii safety and registration requirements, whether in a working condition or not.

#### 5. Towing and Pushing Vehicles

a. Tow no more than one vehicle by another vehicle.

b. Tow lines or chains shall not be less than three feet, nor more than 15 feet long. The driver of the towed vehicle must be at least 18 years old and have in their possession a valid driver's license.

c. Use tow bars when towing vehicles without brakes or with faulty brakes.

d. Do not draw, tow, or push vehicles faster than 25 mph or the posted speed limit, whichever is lower.

#### 7005. MOTORCYCLES/MOPEDS

1. Definitions. All motorcycles, mopeds, and motor scooters must be equipped per reference (k) (see Chapter VII of the Hawaii Driver's Manual) and current Marine Corps directives.

a. Motorcycle. A motor vehicle having a seat or saddle for the use of a rider and designed to travel on not more than three wheels in contact with the ground, excluding farm tractors and mopeds.

b. Moped. A device which has two or three wheels in contact with the ground and a motor having a maximum power output capacity (measured at the motor output shaft) of one and one-half horsepower or less.

2. Muffler. Every motorcycle, moped, or motor scooter shall be equipped with a muffler in constant operation to prevent excessive or unusual noise and no such muffler or exhaust system shall be equipped with a cutout, bypass, or similar device. No person shall modify the exhaust system of a motorcycle, moped, or motor scooter to excessively amplify or increase the noise emitted by the motor of the vehicle.

3. Handlebars. No motorcycle shall be operated on MCBH with handlebars more than 15 inches high, measured from the portion of the saddle occupied by the operator.