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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

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MEMORANDUM FOR ALL United States Army Garrison, Hawaii (USAG-HI) Personnel

SUBJECT: Policy Memorandum USAG-HI-10, Environmental Policy

1. References.

a. Executive Order 13514, Federal Leadership in Environmental, Energy, and Economic Performance, 05 Oct 09.

b. Executive Order 13423, Strengthening Federal Environmental, Energy and Transportation Management, 24 Jan 07.

c. Army Regulation 200-1, Environmental Protection and Enhancement, 13 Dec 07.

d. IMCOM Policy Memorandum 11-32-1, Operationalizing Sustainability, 25 May 11.

2. Purpose. To provide a formal, written environmental policy statement that will also facilitate the incorporation of the 17 mandatory elements of the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) 14001, Environmental Management System (EMS) throughout the Garrison.

3. Applicability. This policy applies to all Soldiers, Civilians, Family members, contractors, and other personnel who work on, reside on, or visit any US Army installations, facilities, or worksites in the State of Hawaii.

4. General. The Garrison mission is to provide sustainable installation support and services for Soldiers, Families and the military community that meets current and future mission requirements, promotes community well-being and enhances the natural environment. The Garrison mission has assimilated the principles of this environmental policy into daily decision making. All personnel are directed to strive to achieve the goals listed in Executive Orders 13423 and 13514 and to continuously improve upon their sustainability performance by taking actions to:

a. Lessen their environmental footprint and prevent pollution.

b. Minimize their impact on the Hawaiian land.

c. Conserve, preserve and protect our natural and cultural resources.

d. Comply with all applicable environmental laws and regulations.

e. Seek to fully integrate relevant environmental requirements into their standard work practices and procedures so that environmental awareness and compliance are a routine part of the way business is conducted. In doing so, all personnel shall:

(1) Continually assess activities, products and services to determine their effect on the environment.

(2) Identify significant environmental impacts and ensure that they are considered when establishing goals and objectives in short-term and long-term strategic planning.

(3) Establish sustainable pollution prevention practices as the preferred method for:

(a) Reducing energy, fuel, paper and water consumption.

(b) Minimizing the use of hazardous material.

(c) Reducing the generation of hazardous and solid waste.

(d) Improving recycling and waste diversion.

(e) Preserving our land, water, air, natural and cultural resources.

(f) Increasing the use of alternative fuel, hybrid and plug-in hybrid vehicles.

(g) Reducing air pollutants and greenhouse gas emissions.

(h) Broadening the procurement of green products and services.

(i) Promoting electronics stewardship.

(j) Maintaining sustainable buildings.

(4) Be sensitive to those unique environmental and community values that make Hawaii a special place to live, work, and train.

(5) Comply with the procedures outlined in the USAG-HI SEM Manual, available on the USAG-HI internet website at: www.garrison.hawaii.army.mil/sustainability/SEM.aspx.

5. Policy Memorandum USAG-HI-10 shall be given widest dissemination. The poster entitled "U.S. Army Hawaii Environmental Policy," shall be posted in all shops, work areas and on all official bulletin boards as appropriate. The policy poster is available for download at: www.garrison.hawaii.army.mil/sustainability/SEM.aspx. This policy memorandum is available for download at: www.garrison.hawaii.army.mil/sites/policies/policies.asp and available to the public upon request.

6. This policy supersedes Policy Memorandum USAG-HI-10, SAB, dated 8 Aug 11 and remains in effect until cancelled or superseded in writing.

7. The proponent for this Policy Memorandum is the DPW Environmental Division at 656-5790.

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