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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Delegation of Authority to Approve Administrative Absences for Soldier Attendance at Career Skills Program (CSP) Activities Beyond Fifty Miles from Fort Bliss

1. Background. Unless withheld to a higher level, the approval authority for CSP activities resides with the first field grade officer with UCMJ authority over an eligible Soldier. When an eligible Soldier's CSP activity occurs more than fifty miles from Fort Bliss, the Soldier must be in an approved administrative absence. For administrative absences for CSP activities between 61-180 days, commanders with general court-martial convening authority are the default approval authorities.
2. Delegation. Pursuant to Army Regulation 600-8-10, para. 5-12c(14)(b), I delegate to you my authority to approve up to 180 days of administrative absence to attend validated CSP activities for eligible Soldiers under your commands. This authority is not further delegable.
3. Duration. This delegation begins immediately and expires on 1 August 2024, unless rescinded sooner.
4. The point of contact for this memorandum is the Chief, Administrative Law Division at 915-744-6992.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James P. Eisenhower III", with a stylized flourish at the end.

JAMES P. ISENHOWER III
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