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SUBJECT: United States Army Garrison (USAG) Daegu Command Policy Letter #26-33, Control of Stray Animals

1. References:

- a. AR 40-905, Veterinary Health Services, 29 Aug 2006.
- b. Armed Forces Pest Management Board Technical Guide Number 3 "Feral Animal Risk Mitigation in Operational Areas", 01 Aug 2020.
- c. Armed Forces Pest Management Board Technical Guide Number 37 "Integrated Management of Stray Animals on Military Installations", 2016.

2. Applicability: This policy applies to all personnel including Soldiers, Family Members, Civilians and Contractors who work and/or reside within USAG Daegu.

3. Purpose: To establish policy, guidelines, and responsibility to control stray animal populations on USAG Daegu installations.

4. A stray animal is defined as an uncontrolled dog or cat which is homeless or ownerless. This includes other vertebrate animals which are commonly thought of as wild animals, such as a fox or raccoon.

5. Responsibility for all personnel: Control of stray animals is a sensitive undertaking. The longer a stray animal remains uncontrolled, the more it poses a threat to personnel, other pets, and native wildlife. To effectively control stray animals:

- a. Installation personnel will not provide food, water, or shelter to stray or wild animals.

- b. Personnel will not tamper with or release captured stray cats, dogs, or wild animals from traps managed by DPW.

6. Responsibility for Unit Commanders and Facility Managers:

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a. Request capture and removal of stray cats, dogs or other wild animals observed in or around their facilities to DPW at 763-4824, when the stray animals are negatively impact to the operation.

b. Ensure that facility/organization personnel do not provide shelter, food and/or water to uncontrolled cats, dogs or other wild animals. Ensure personnel do not tamper with traps placed by DPW to capture stray animals. Feeding may appear to be humane treatment but actually increases the population of installation stray animal causing more harm to the animals by their reliance on human interaction for survival.

c. Remove all established shelters, food and/or water sources in and around facility.

7. The point of contact is the Environmental Division at 763-5361.

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