

U.S. Army Recruiting Command and Fort Knox
Fort Knox Regulation 210-2
Fort Knox, Kentucky 40121
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Installations

DISCIPLINE, LAW, AND ORDER

Summary. This regulation provides policy and guidelines concerning discipline, law, and order on Fort Knox.

Applicability. This regulation applies to all military and civilian personnel who perform duties, reside, train, utilize facilities, or are within the boundaries of Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Supplementation. Supplements are prohibited without prior approval from the Staff Judge Advocate, USAREC and Fort Knox.

Suggested Improvements. Users are invited to send comments and suggested improvements on DA Form 2028 (Recommended Changes to Publications and Blank Forms) directly to Commander, USAREC and Fort Knox, ATTN: RCCG-JA, Fort Knox, KY 40121-5230.

1. **PURPOSE.** To prescribe standards of conduct pertinent to discipline, law, and order on this installation.
2. **SCOPE.** This regulation applies to all persons on or utilizing Fort Knox for any purpose. This regulation is punitive in nature and violation hereof provides a basis for disciplinary action under the Uniform Code of Military Justice (UCMJ) for personnel subject to its provisions. It may be cause for appropriate disciplinary or administrative action, which may be in addition to any penalty provided by law, against either military or civilian persons. As directed by the Commanding General, the Garrison Commander may be delegated the authority that is held by the "Installation Commander" as indicated throughout this regulation.
3. **CRIMES AGAINST THE UNITED STATES.** Any crime committed on the Fort Knox installation in the Western District of Kentucky under 18 United States Code or Kentucky Revised Statute using 18 United States Code section 13 (Assimilated Crimes Act) will be considered a violation of this regulation and may result in further administrative action and barment from post.

4. ON-POST DEMONSTRATIONS.

a. Picketing, demonstrations, sit-ins, protest marches, political speeches, display of political signs, and similar activities are prohibited and will not be conducted on this installation without prior permission from the Senior Commander.

b. The Senior Commander may grant permission to demonstrate on post. Requests for permission shall be submitted in writing to the Directorate of Emergency Services at least 7 days before the date of the proposed activity. If approved, the time, place, and manner of the demonstration will be set by the Senior Commander.

5. DISTRIBUTION OF PRINTED MATERIAL AND CIRCULATION OF PETITIONS.

a. Distribution of publications on the Fort Knox military reservation, including pamphlets, newspapers, magazines, hand bills, fliers, and other printed material, shall be made through regularly established and approved distribution outlets and only upon prior approval from the Senior Commander or designated representative.

b. Circulation of petitions for signature may not be accomplished unless prior approval is obtained from the Senior Commander or designated representative.

6. CANVASSING AND SOLICITING.

a. Agents, representatives, demonstrators, peddlers, solicitors, vendors, adjusters, or collectors for any groups or organizations including, but not limited to, commercial firms; charitable organizations; finance and loan companies; automobile, fire and life insurance companies; investment companies; book and magazine publishers; distribution or subscription agencies; photographic studios; veterans associations; and welfare agencies are prohibited from soliciting business on this installation unless in possession of a valid permit issued by the Senior Commander or designated representative.

b. Any of the above-described persons or organizations desiring to solicit business with individuals, or representatives of units, directorates, other organizations, or nonappropriated-fund entities will present a valid permit to the person contacted before any delivery of advertising materials may proceed.

c. Persons or organizations described above may solicit business by prearranged appointment only.

d. Agents of currently authorized Exchange concessions, wholesalers who deal only with agents of open messes, and firms which conduct business on an infrequent basis

with personnel who initiate the transaction do not need a permit issued by this headquarters.

7. ENTRY ONTO THE INSTALLATION.

a. All persons entering onto the Fort Knox installation will do so through an authorized access control point. The authorized access control points to Fort Knox for civilians and DoD personnel without special authorization include Wilson Gate, Chaffee Gate and Brandenburg Gate. Entry onto Fort Knox from any other point is prohibited without prior authorization.

8. OFF-LIMITS AREAS.

a. When deemed necessary for the protection of the morale or general welfare of military personnel, commercial establishments or areas may be placed "Off Limits." Announcements of such actions will be made from this headquarters or notification by posted signs. Military personnel are prohibited from entering "Off-Limits" establishments or areas.

b. All unauthorized personnel are prohibited from entering construction work sites.

c. All personnel are prohibited from swimming in any on-post area where lifeguards are not provided.

d. All unauthorized military and civilian personnel are prohibited from entering the following designated areas:

(1) Areas posted as off-limits;

(2) Muldraugh Ammunition Area;

(3) Otter Creek Pumping Station. Area immediately adjacent to and running parallel to Otter Creek in the vicinity of pumping station is accessible for fishing during daylight hours.

(4) Fort Knox Wastewater Treatment Plant;

(5) Muldraugh Water Filtration Plant;

(6) Impact areas. Approval for entry must be obtained through Range Operations, G3 Directorate of Plans, Training, Mobilization, and Security (DPTMS).

(7) All areas depicted as off limits on Fort Knox Military Reservation, Fort Knox Special Map are permanently off limits (40mm dud areas).

(8) All Fort Knox electrical substations;

(9) All ranges, training areas, bivouac sites, and access roads leading to these areas, except as scheduled by units or Family, Morale, Welfare and Recreation, and/or other agencies;

(10) Roads barricaded temporarily or permanently;

(11) McCracken Springs Reservoir (from the spring to its convergence with Otter Creek);

(12) Deep wells in the West Point area, off limits except for approved hunting and fishing;

(13) Lindsey Golf Course, unless an authorized patron or guest;

(14) Rolling Fork River and Salt River (approval for use for recreational purposes must be obtained from the Hunt Control Office, Directorate of Public Works; for training purposes, from Range Division, G3/DPTMS);

(15) Defense Reutilization and Marketing Office or Installation Recycling Facility;

(16) Unit constructed local training areas (e.g., obstacle courses, confidence courses, strength circuits), except with prior permission from the unit;

(17) Snow Mountain;

(18) Cemeteries, except with permission;

(19) Grahampton, except for fishing;

(20) Vacant buildings, posted or not posted, will not be entered except by authorized personnel in the performance of official duties.

(21) All buildings, bleachers, and other facilities, except latrines, located in training areas, bivouac sites, and ranges are off limits, unless scheduled for use

(22) All residences under renovation on Fort Knox; and

(23) All arms rooms and other areas posted as restricted areas;

e. Permission may be obtained for hiking, sightseeing, trail bike riding, picnicking, hunting, fishing, and other recreational uses by contacting the Hunt Control Office, Directorate of Public Works. Persons must check in and out of these areas with Hunt Control. In addition, permits for cutting or fishing or hunting licenses are available from Hunt Control.

f. Unless specifically approved for fitness training or other authorized purposes, Fort Knox range roads are off limits to all personnel not on official business or for training, fishing, or hunting, except as follows: Main Range Road from Holder Complex to the intersection of 7th Armored Division Road and further to the intersection of South Boundary and old 251 Road; and the intersection of Wilson Road and 7th Armored Division Road to the intersection of South Boundary Road.

g. Firebreaks are off limits to all vehicles except official vehicles used for maintenance, law enforcement, or fire control/prevention.

9. INTERFERENCE WITH EMERGENCY SERVICES PERSONNEL. Interference with a identified law enforcement personnel, firefighters, or ambulance crewmembers in the performance of their duties is prohibited. Any person believing any of the above are behaving in an improper manner will report it through military channels. The agency contact will be the Directorate of Emergency Services Deputy Director at (502) 624-4982.

10. HANDLING OF EXPLOSIVE DUDS. The handling of known or suspected explosive duds by other than qualified ordnance explosive disposal personnel is prohibited. Explosive duds found in other than impact areas will be reported to the Military Police or Explosive Ordnance Detachment without delay. Contact the DES Dispatch at (502) 624-2111.

11. LITTERING. Littering on any part of the reservation is prohibited. As used in this paragraph, "littering" includes, but is not limited to, the disposal of trash and refuse in other than designated places or receptacles.

12. RESPECT TO THE FLAG. When "Retreat" or "Reveille" is heard, all Soldiers and Civilians will render the proper courtesy. While in a vehicle, all Soldiers and Civilians will stop and park, depart their vehicles, and render the proper courtesy. While on a bus or truck, the senior occupant will dismount and render the proper courtesy.

13. GANG ACTIVITY. Gang activity is prohibited on the installation and will be subject to criminal prosecution under Title 18, United States Code. It is also grounds for

adverse administrative actions, including barmment from the installation. Graffiti applied to buildings, structures, walls, signs, and movable or immovable objects of any type, by any means is a criminal offense and will not be tolerated on the installation.

14. EXCESSIVE NOISE.

a. The actions of personnel on Fort Knox must not infringe upon the rights of others. No person on Fort Knox shall unreasonably make, continue, or cause to be made, continued or permitted, any noise disturbance. A noise disturbance is any sound which annoys or disturbs a reasonable person of normal sensitivities, endangers or injures the safety or health of humans or animals, or endangers or injures personal or real property.

(1) No operator or passenger of a motor vehicle shall operate, or permit the operation, of any sound amplification system which can be heard outside the vehicle from thirty or more feet.

(2) While in a public area, no individual shall operate any sound amplification system which can be heard from a distance of thirty or more feet.

(3) No occupant of a residence shall create or permit music, vibrations, or noise inside the residence that can be heard inside adjoining residences or outside the building. Residents shall observe any locally published "quiet hours" to respect the interests of neighbors in the family housing community.

b. When entering the installation through an access control point in a vehicle, vehicle operators will lower the volume of any sound amplification device, to include the vehicle's speakers, so that any sound emanating from a vehicle will not be heard in adjacent lanes and security personnel will not be distracted from their duties.

c. Violators of this paragraph may be issued a citation. In addition to other appropriate corrective action, an individual receiving more than one citation may be subject to:

(1) Warning Letter;

(2) Suspension of on-post driving privileges; and/or

(3) Barmment from post;

15. UNAUTHORIZED LANGUAGE OR SYMBOLS. Vulgar, obscene, or otherwise unauthorized language, symbols, or items, whether spoken or contained on audio devices, bumper stickers, emblems, devices, clothing, signs, and other media are

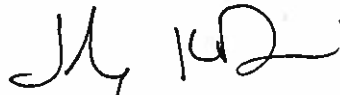
prohibited in public or in areas exposed to public view. Additionally, flags must be may only be flown IAW the memorandum issued by the Secretary of Defense on 16 July 2020, Subject: Public Display or depiction of Flags in the Department of Defense. Violators may be subject to exclusion from the installation, in addition to other criminal or administrative action. (With respect to bumper stickers, or obscene vehicle accessories, violators will be given the option to either remove or permanently cover the sticker or accessory. Failure to comply with such directive will result in the driver/owner being required to remove the vehicle from the installation until it complies with this requirement.

a. Political campaign signs, flags, and other marketing materials are unauthorized in public areas exposed to public view. Political bumper stickers and similar small vehicle political emblems or devices, if not obscene, derogatory, or vulgar, are permitted. However, displays of large political signs, flags, and materials are prohibited.

b. The Senior Commander may limit the public display of any flag that does not accord with the military imperatives of good order and discipline, treating all individuals with dignity and respect, and rejecting divisive symbols, or otherwise fails to promote unity and esprit de corps.

16. POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA. Marijuana and its derivatives, including, but not limited to, delta-8-tetrahydrocannabinol and cannabidiol oil, are a danger to the health and safety of persons on the Fort Knox installation. Therefore, marijuana and its derivatives are contraband. Non-DoD-affiliated persons found in possession of marijuana or its derivatives on the Fort Knox installation shall be automatically barred from Fort Knox, regardless of whether they have a lawful reason for possession, such as medical use. Persons who are Common Access Card holders and found in possession of marijuana or its derivatives shall have a bar packet forwarded to the Garrison Commander for his personal decision on whether they will be barred from the installation. Soldiers found in possession of marijuana or its derivatives, whether at an access control point or on the Fort Knox installation will continue to be processed under the UCMJ and US Army administrative policies. Any marijuana or derivative found incident to a lawful search at an access control point in the possession of a civilian person may be confiscated unless the person in possession could lawfully possess the contraband in the State of Kentucky, for example, because the person is in possession of a medical marijuana use license. Civilian persons found to be in possession of less than 7 grams of marijuana at an access control point will normally not be issued a notice of violation or barred from post.

17. INTERPRETATION. Questions concerning the interpretation of policy regarding offensive language shall be directed to the Office of the Staff Judge Advocate, Administrative Law Division, US Army Cadet Command at (502) 624-7414.



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