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MEMORANDUM FOR Presidio of Monterey Installation

SUBJECT: Command Policy #16, Photography, Videography and Unmanned Aircraft System (UAS) Activities

1. References:

a. 6 U.S.C 124n, Protection of Certain Facilities and Assets from Unmanned Aircraft (UA), 10 Aug 20 $\,$

b. AR 190-13, Army Physical Security Program, 27 Jun 19

c. Secretary of the Army Memorandum, Subject: (U) Army Policy for UAS on Army Installations, 01 Aug 17

2. Purpose: To establish policy and procedures for photography and videography and UAS usage on the Presidio of Monterey (PoM) base complex (includes but not limited to cameras, cellular phone cameras, video recorders and GoPro).

3. Applicability: This policy applies to all persons entering, traveling through, assigned to, in temporary duty status at or employed on PoM, Ord Military Community (OMC), Sharpe Army Depot and the USASA-PoM Enclave on Camp Roberts.

4. Photography and Videography.

a. Commercial or personal photography, videotaping or global positioning surveys using recording devices (such as, but not limited to, cameras, cellular phone cameras, video recorders and GoPro) that may be construed or used as surveillance or intelligence gathering are not permitted on the PoM base complex without signed authorization from the Garrison Commander (GC) or designated representative.

b. Exceptions.

(1) The following agencies/organizations are authorized to take photographs, make videos and collect other forms of imagery for official government use only:

(a) Directorate of Emergency Services

(b) Directorate of Public Works

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(c) Directorate of Plans, training, Mobilization and Security (DPTMS)

(d) Garrison Safety Office

(e) Public Affairs Office (PAO)

(f) DLIFLC Protocol Office

(g) DLIFLC Audio Visual Services (contractors)

(2) Media authorized access to the installation to cover a specific event or story make take photos and/or video recording necessary for that specific story or event only. PAO must escort media personnel at all times and ensure they comply with this policy.

(3) DoD personnel and housing residents on PoM are authorized to take pictures and/or videos in/around their assigned residence or barracks, commandapproved special or ceremonial events, unit functions, DFMWR sporting events, family gatherings and at landmark areas (Sloat Monument and Berlin Wall Memorial).

(4) Participants and visitors attending Defense Language Institute Foreign Language Center graduation ceremonies are authorized to take celebratory photographs and/or videos but only in the immediate vicinity of the graduation event area.

c. Requests by agencies not specifically listed in para 4.b.(1) will be submitted in memorandum format signed by the requesting agencies commander/director and routed through the DPTMS to the Garrison Commander for approval. Such requests should be sent two weeks in advance of the requested date of photography. Short notice requests may not be granted.

d. Violators may be subject to immediate questioning as well as confiscation of any notes, photographs, videos, digital imagery, sketches, maps, cameras, photography equipment or other material describing the installation. Violators may also be subject to adverse administrative action and punishment under the UCMJ, barred from further entry onto the installation (including DoD facilities on OMC), and subject to prosecution under state, federal or military law.

e. Report non-compliance with this policy to PoM Dispatch immediately at (831) 242-7851.

5. Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS).

a. Use of Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) on PoM is not authorized for any

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reason due to Federal Aviation Agency flight restrictions within 5 nm of the Monterey Peninsula Regional Airport.

b. Use of UAS on USASA-PoM Enclave is not authorized for any reason due to mission restrictions.

c. Use of UAS on OMC and Sharpe Army Depot is only permitted with Garrison Commander signed approval for official government-related purposes only. Recreational UAS use is not authorized. Requests to use UAS for official purposes on OMC or Sharpe Army Depot must be in signed memorandum format routed through DPTMS to the Garrison Commander and include a copy of both FAA approval and the UAS pilot's FAA license.

d. UAS operators who violate this policy may be subject to immediate questioning and confiscation of the UAS and it's control device. Violators may also be subject to adverse administrative action and punishment under the UCMJ, barred from further entry onto the installation (including DoD facilities on OMC), and subject to prosecution under state, federal or military law.

6. POC is the Antiterrorism Officer or Plans Officer, DPTMS, BLDG 614, Rm 134.

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