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MEMORANDUM FOR: SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: United States Army Garrison (USAG) Heidelberg Command Policy Memorandum #31, Washing of Vehicles within USAG Heidelberg.

1. **References:**

- a. AER 200-1, Army in Europe Environmental Quality Program, Chapter 4, Section 4-4, October 2007.
- b. Final Governing Standards - Germany, Chapter 4, Sections C4.3.2.1.6.2 and C4.3.8.3.3.4, January 2003.

2. **Purpose:** To establish a policy for washing of all vehicles within USAG Heidelberg.

3. **Policy:** The policy applies to all installations within the USAG Heidelberg footprint and embraces both military and privately owned vehicles. It applies to all residents of USAG Heidelberg excluding personnel residing off-post. Off-post residents should contact their Buergermeisteramt for guidance. This provides a "how to" guide to ensure that vehicles are washed on-post in accordance with the applicable host nation environmental ordinances and United States Army Regulations.

a. Personal Owned Vehicles (POVs) can ONLY be washed at the Speedy Lube located on Patton Barracks, and the personal car wash area located directly behind Speedy Lube. If this is not convenient for the resident, then there are alternate locations within the economy similar to American car washes as options.

b. Military Vehicles can be washed at the following wash racks:

- (1) The vehicle registration wash rack on the DPW Compound near building 3987 and,
- (2) The fuel station wash rack on Tompkins Barracks, near building 4216.
- (3) Within the Germersheim Army Depot, only military vehicles may be washed, and at the following wash racks:

214A located near building 7870 and,
The wash rack located at building 7546

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c. "Mass" POV washings, such as during fund raising events, may only be conducted at the vehicle wash facilities (wash racks) which have functional oil and fuel separators. In these instances, the event MUST be approved by the Directorate of Public Works, Environmental Division at least 4 weeks prior to the event.

4. For additional information contact the DPW Environmental Division at DSN: 387-3140, Civ: 06221-4380-3140.

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ROBERT L. WHITE
LTC, AG
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