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OPERATIONS ORDER 10-114: Family and MWR Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers (BOSS) Program is Designated as a Category "A" Mission Sustaining Family and MWR Program (U)

Refs: (a) (U) DODI NUMBER 1015.10, Military Morale, Welfare, and Recreation (MWR) Programs, 6 Jul 09

(U) Time Zone Used Throughout the Order: Zulu.

1. (U) **SITUATION.** Family and MWR programs are resourced from either Appropriated Funds (APF) or Non-Appropriated Funds (NAF) or a combination of both. NAF expenditures for valid Family and MWR purposes are not an augmentation of appropriations. Since start-up, the Better Opportunities for Single Soldiers (BOSS) Program has been operating as a Family and MWR Category "B" Program. In enclosure 5 of ref (a), the BOSS Program has been designated as a Family and MWR Category "A" Mission Sustaining Program. Under a Category "A" Family and MWR program, the BOSS Program is considered essential in meeting organizational objectives of the Military Services. Category "A" programs will be supported almost entirely with APF, with use of NAF limited to specific instances where APF support is prohibited by law or where the use of NAF is essential for the operation of the program. The BOSS Program's Category "A" designation should have little if any impact on current or future the BOSS Program. The change simply clarifies how the BOSS Program can generate and deposit funds for its activities. The generation of funds may derive from multiple activities. As example, a BOSS Program can still sponsor events (such as a luau or a dance) within MWR facilities and collect fees to cover operation costs. Under the new designation, if the BOSS Program collects any profits from these events, the profits must be deposited in the Garrison Family and MWR NAF operating entity (AR 215-1, chapter 8, section 11).

2. (U) **MISSION.** Effective immediately in order to comply with ref (a), all HQ, IMCOM and subordinate organizations will operate all BOSS entities as a Category "A" Mission Sustaining Program while utilizing APF to the fullest extent except where prohibited by law.

3. (U) **EXECUTION.**

3.A. (U) **Commander's Intent.** My intent is for HQ IMCOM and subordinate organizations to utilize the standard program guide as established in ref (a) when executing Category "A" Mission sustaining BOSS Programs. Quality of life (QOL) for

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single Service members includes all those concerns that can directly or indirectly influence morale, living environment, personal growth, and development.

3.B. (U) Concept of Operations. IMCOM Region Directors are responsible for providing the oversight of the Garrison efforts of this order. All Garrison BOSS Programs will be designated as a Category "A" program. All BOSS Program funds generated are deposited in the Garrison Family and MWR operating entity or Non-Appropriated Fund Instrumentality (NAFI). The BOSS Program will not operate or maintain a local informal fund.

3.C. (U) Tasks to Subordinate Units.

3.C.1. (U) IMCOM Region Directors.

3.C.1.A. (U) Direct Garrisons to change the BOSS Program from a Category "B" Family and MWR program to a Category "A" Family and MWR mission sustaining program.

3.C.1.B. (U) Direct Garrisons to ensure BOSS Program POCs receive and understand designation change.

3.C.1.C. (U) Direct Garrisons to ensure the BOSS Program operates as a Category "A" Family and MWR program.

3.C.1.D. (U) Direct Garrisons to ensure all BOSS funds generated are deposited in the Garrison Family and MWR operating entity or Non-Appropriated Fund Instrumentality (NAFI).

3.D. (U) Coordinating Instructions.

3.D.1. (U) This order is effective upon receipt for execution.

3.D.2. (U) Local JAG offices, DFMWR, and senior enlisted leadership within the Garrison can provide support.

3.D.3. (U) At the direction of the lead command or staff element, participate in or take action in support of activities, meetings, and/or conferences required to successfully execute this order.

4. (U) SUSTAINMENT. None

5. (U) COMMAND AND CONTROL.

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5.A. (U) Command.

5.A.1. (U) FMWRC is the lead element for this action, all others are supporting.

5.B. (U) Control. None.

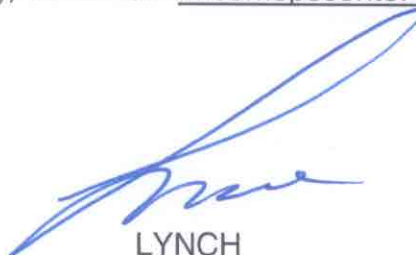
5.C. (U) Signal.

5.C.1. (U) The FMWRC BOSS POC is Ms. Joanne Geer, COMM: 210-424-8495, (DSN 471); e-mail: joanne.geer@us.army.mil.

5.C.2. (U) The FMWRC Action Officer is Mr. Rodney H. Johnson, COMM: 703-681-7452, (DSN 761); e-mail: rodney.h.johnson@us.army.mil.

5.C.3. (U) Acknowledge receipt of this order to the HQ, IMCOM Operations Center at COMM: 703-602-4401, (DSN 332); NIPRNet: imcomopscenter@conus.army.mil.

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