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Civilian Personnel

FORT KNOX EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COUNCIL (EEOC)

Summary. This regulation establishes policy and provides guidance for establishing a Fort Knox Equal Employment Opportunity Council (EEOC) for the installation, including Partners in Excellence, located within the boundaries of Fort Knox.

Applicability. This regulation applies to all US Army Armor Center (USAARMC) and Fort Knox major activities, directorates, staff offices/departments, and Partners in Excellence.

Suggested Improvements. The proponent of this directive is Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) Office. Users are invited to send comments and suggested improvements on DA Form 2028 (Recommended Changes to Publications and Blank Forms) through channels to Equal Employment Opportunity Office (IMSE-KNX-EEO), 50 3rd Avenue, Suite 116, Fort Knox, KY 40121-5230.

Availability. This regulation is also available on the Fort Knox Homepage at http://www.knox.army.mil/garrison/dhr/asd/regs.asp.

- 1. Purpose. This regulation establishes an Equal Employment Opportunity Council (EEOC) for the installation. The EEOC is responsible for the following:
- a. Identify significant actual or potential problems within the installation, pertaining or relating to, the EEO program and develop recommendations concerning these problems. Recommendations that cannot be implemented by the EEOC will be furnished to the Installation Commander for decision.
- b. Promote and assure EEO for all persons without regard to race, color, sex, national origin, religion, age, disability condition, or reprisal.
- 2. Reference. Army Regulation 690-12, Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action, 4 Mar 88.
- 3. Responsibilities. The EEOC will consist of representatives from the major civilian employers and employee representatives on the installation: 194th Armored Brigade; 16th Cavalry Regiment; Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation; Directorate of Logistics; Directorate of Public Works; Directorate of Plans, Training, Mobilization, and Security; Directorate of Resource Management; Directorate of Emergency Services;

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Directorate of Training, Doctrine, Combat Development, and Experimentation; US Army Medical Department Activity, Fort Knox; HQ, US Army Recruiting Command; US Army Accessions Command; G4/G8; Directorate of Human Resources; and the American Federation of Government Employees. The Civilian Personnel Advisory Center, Office of the Staff Judge Advocate, and Fort Knox EO and EEO offices will have advisory representatives on the council.

- a. Meetings of the EEOC will be held semi-annually, during the 2d and 4th quarters, and will be chaired by the Garrison Commander and the EEO Officer.
 - b. The EEO Office will provide the council information on the following:
- (1) Status of EEO complaints, including pre-complaint counseling activities, mediation, and status of formal complaints.
- (2) Statistical information on the composition of the workforce, including areas of underrepresentation.
- (3) Progress made in reaching parity with the civilian labor force as outlined in the annual Affirmative Employment Plan (AEP).
 - (4) Accomplishment reports on mandatory EEO training.
 - (5) Activities of the Special Employment Program Committees.
 - c. Based upon the above information, the council is responsible for the below:
- (1) Determine actions to take to overcome barriers on employment and promotion of women, minorities, and people with disabilities.
- (2) Review discrimination complaint activity to analyze, identify, and recommend actions required to enhance employment policies and practices.
- (3) Monitor recruitment and promotion efforts to ensure that minorities, women, and people with disabilities are considered.
- (4) Recommend corrective actions to be taken by appropriate officials when adverse trends and artificial barriers are identified.
- (5) Review the AEP for adequacy and assess progress toward achieving parity, including review of statistical data on workforce composition.
- (6) Review the status of Special Emphasis Programs (SEP) and assist in planning and executing SEP activities and goals.
- (7) Recommend appropriate activities to support and enhance special observances such as National Hispanic Heritage Month, Black History Month, Women's History Month,

and similar activities.

(8) Ensure that personnel within their organization receive mandatory EEO training, to include Training in the Prevention of Sexual Harassment, Annual EEO Update Training, and EEO training for new supervisors.

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