



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
Headquarters, United States Army Garrison
Fort Irwin, California 92310

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: United States Army Garrison, Fort Irwin and the National Training Center, Policy #1 Curfew for Minor Children

1. PURPOSE: This memorandum establishes a local policy regarding the activities of minors in public places on Ft Irwin during curfew hours. The provisions of this policy apply to all persons located on Ft Irwin 17 years of age or under (hereinafter "minors"), excluding service members and emancipated minors. The primary purpose of this policy is to ensure the safety and welfare of minors living on Fort Irwin as well as promoting good order and discipline.

2. APPLICABILITY: This policy applies to all National Training Center and Fort Irwin Soldiers, civilians and Family member living on the installation and/or using installation facilities.

3. REFERENCE:

- a. Army Regulation 210-50, Housing Management, 3 October 2005
- b. Army Regulation 608-18, The Army Family Advocacy Program, 30 October 2007

4. POLICY:

a. All minors are required to be in quarters or accompanied by a parent or guardian during curfew hours.

b. Curfew hours: Week Days and Weekends: 2100hrs (9:00PM)-0500hrs (5:00AM).

c. Exceptions:

- (1) When accompanied by their parents or guardian.
- (2) When the minor is going to, or coming from, school and/or employment activities.
- (2) Social functions sponsored/authorized by the installation.
- (3) Emergencies.

d. Enforcement:

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(1) First Offense: A juvenile violating the curfew on the Fort Irwin Installation will be taken to the Fort Irwin Police Station where his/her parent will be notified and requested to take control of the juvenile. In addition, the sponsor's chain of command will be notified. A police report will be generated to document the offense, and will be entered in the Blotter. In addition, may be referred to the Juvenile Justice Board. The minor will attend the Board with their parent or legal guardian. The Board will determine the appropriate disciplinary and/or administrative corrective measures for the minor's action.

(2) Subsequent Offense: Subsequent curfew violations may provide evidence of misconduct on the part of the sponsor(s) and their family members who reside in quarters on-post. In such instances, a Soldier may receive a Bar Memorandum from the Garrison Commander's Office, which will require the Soldier to explain to the Garrison Commander why the Soldier and his/her family should be allowed to continue to reside on-post.

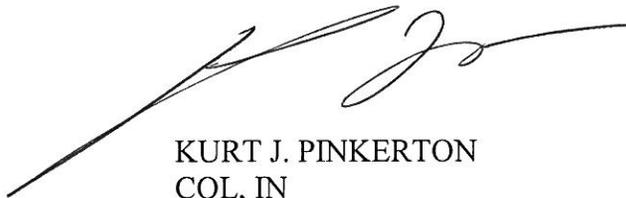
(3) Unescorted non-dependent juveniles. Such person will not be allowed on-post during the curfew hours. If the juveniles are found on-post between these hours, the Fort Irwin Police will take all necessary action to ensure they are removed from post and/or delivered to their parents, a responsible party, or to proper authorities.

3. The terms used in this policy are defined as follows:

- a. Parent: Any person having legal custody of a minor as the minor's natural or adoptive parent, legal guardian, or the person to whom legal custody has been given.
- b. Adult: Any person who is 18 years or older.
- c. Minor: Any person who is 17 years of age or younger. Military personnel and emancipated minors who are 17 are exempt from this policy.
- d. Public Place: Any street, alley sidewalk, parking lot, field, playground or government building/facility.
- e. Emergencies: Any act which is immediately threatening to life, health or property.

5. The DES as well as the Chain of Command will vigorously enforce this policy in all locations on the Fort Irwin installation.

6. POC for this policy is the Director of Emergency Services, 380-1258.



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