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MEMORANDUM FOR

Commanders, Fort Knox Partners in Excellence Commanders, All Units Reporting Directly to This Headquarters Deputy Chiefs of General Staff and Chiefs of Special Staff Offices, HQ USACC

SUBJECT: Fort Knox Policy Memo #5 - Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO)

1. References.

a. Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (Pub. L. 88-352), as amended in 42 U.S.C. 2000e, et. seq.

b. Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) Commission Management Directive 715,

c. Army Regulation 690-12 (Equal Employment Opportunity Programs)

d. Army Regulation 690-600 (Equal Employment Opportunity Discrimination Complaints).

e. Army Directive 2024-11 (Army Civilian Harassment Prevention and Response Program)

2. I am engaged in and committed to the concepts, policies, and objectives of the Army's EEO Program. I expect all leaders to ensure a workplace where all applicants for employment and our civilian workforce are treated fairly without discrimination or harassment based on race, color, national origin, gender, religion, age, disability, genetic information, sexual orientation, or other impermissible basis. It is imperative that all leaders create an environment that enables our civilians to file an EEO complaint without fear of harassment or reprisal. An otherwise legal action by management (e.g., transfer of an employee to a new office or change of duties) may become illegal if done in response to an EEO complaint or other protected activity.

3. I am strongly committed to ensuring discrimination does not exist in our policies, practices, or actions and expect no less than complete support by all Fort Knox units and organizations. Leaders must understand, value, enforce, and be committed to the principles of EEO in all their personnel management practices.

4. Discriminatory actions are unacceptable. Allegations of discrimination, or witnessed acts of discrimination, will be investigated promptly in compliance with Army Regulation (AR) 690-600. For personnel at Fort Knox, questions may be directed to the Fort Knox EEO Office at (502) 624-1325, 3171, or 6196, Email: usarmy.knox.imcomatlantic.mbx.eeo@army.mil; for other Cadet Command personnel, contact TRADOC EEO at (757) 501-6507.

5. If unlawful discrimination is found to have occurred, appropriate disciplinary action will be taken.

6. Successful mission accomplishment is dependent upon an environment, polices, and procedures that are transparent, and all team members are treated with dignity and respect.

7. The proponent for this policy is the USACC Civilian Personnel Division, Deputy Chief of Staff, G-1 at (502) 624-5430.

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