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MEMORANDUM FOR THE WISCONSIN ARMY AND AIR NATIONAL GUARD AND THE
DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS

SUBJECT: Non-Military Weapons - TAG Policy Memorandum 30

1. Wisconsin Army and Air National Guard members and Department of Military Affairs state employees are prohibited from carrying non-military issued weapons in any Wisconsin National Guard facility except in the following circumstances:

- a. Wisconsin National Guard members and state employees who are also law enforcement officials may securely maintain a service, non-military issued weapon in their vehicle as prescribed by their law enforcement agency's policies while at a National Guard facility.
- b. Wisconsin National Guard members and state employees who possess a valid license to carry a concealed weapon issued by or recognized by the State of Wisconsin may transport and store a privately owned weapon in their personal vehicle on National Guard facilities such as Joint Forces Headquarters, air bases, and armories if they are in full compliance with Wisconsin law.
- c. Wisconsin National Guard service members participating in sporting activities after conclusion of their military duties which requires a firearm; such activities are limited to hunting, trap shooting, skeet shooting, and similar events, may maintain a firearm in their vehicle if:
 - (1). The weapon is not loaded with any ammunition and if ammunition is also stored, it is stored separate and apart from the weapon in a locked container such as a trunk;
 - (2). The weapon is enclosed in a carrying case;
 - (3). The weapon is secured within a locked vehicle;
 - (4). Alternative storage of the weapon would create a significant hardship; and,
 - (5). Any weapon stored in a vehicle on military property must be declared to the appropriate facility security personnel or the facility commander and stored in compliance with facility specific policies.

2. Fort McCoy is federal property and Wisconsin National Guard members will comply with the installation commander's local policies and regulations, as well as AR 190-11.

3. In addition to the above prohibitions, Wisconsin National Guard service members, while in a military duty status, are prohibited from performing law enforcement duties or carrying any weapon on their person which is not issued by a military authority. The prohibition on carrying weapons includes those issued by a law enforcement agency.