DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
JOINT TASK FORCE GUANTANAMO
525TH MILITARY POLICE BATTALION (I/R)
APO AE 09522-9998

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

ARSO-GTC-CO

18 July 2014

MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Withholding Authority (Policy Number 10)

1. IAW AR 27-10, paragraph 3-7(c), I hereby withhold authority from subordinate commanders to exercise disciplinary action on all Soldiers assigned or attached to this battalion who become involved in misconduct while performing detention operation duties, incidents involving the abuse of subordinates, any incident of misconduct where drugs are involved, alcohol related incidents, and all Noncommissioned Officer misconduct. I reserve the right to either personally exercise authority or refer the case back to the company commander for disposition.

2. Unit commanders will personally brief me on all cases that occur so I can make a determination on what I deem appropriate. I expect initial notification within twenty-four hours of any incident falling in the aforementioned categories. Follow-up reports will contain all the specific details and recommended disposition.

3. Point of contact for this policy is the undersigned.

JOHN A. FIVIAN
LTC, MP
Commanding

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