



REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF:

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
HEADQUARTERS, 8TH ARMY  
UNIT #15236  
APO AP 96205-5236

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MEMORANDUM FOR All 8th Army Assigned Soldiers

SUBJECT: 8th Army Command Policy Letter #50 – Wear Of the Infrared (IR) Subdued U.S. Flag

1. References:

a. Army Regulation 670-1, Wear and Appearance of Army Uniforms and Insignia, 5 February 2005.

b. ALARACT Message, Infrared Subdued U.S. flag, 164/2006.

2. Purpose. To provide guidance and establish wear policy of the IR subdued U.S. flag for Soldiers within 8th Army Korea.

3. Background. The 8th Army commander has directed the wear of the IR subdued U.S. flag in order to enhance training and readiness of all Soldiers in 8th Army.

4. Discussion.

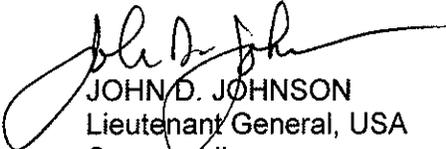
a. Effective immediately, Soldiers will wear the IR subdued U.S. flag in place of the colored U.S. flag during tactical / field exercises or when under arms.

b. Military Police conducting garrison law enforcement duties will wear the color version of the US flag.

c. Commanders may direct the wear of the IR subdued flag during command post exercise (CPX) or unit tactical training events for Soldiers without weapons.

5. Exceptions. Commanders may not authorize wear of the IR subdued flag other than in accordance of this policy.

6. Proponent. The 8th Army Assistant Chief of Staff G1 is the proponent for this policy. The proponent can be contacted at commercial 011-822-7914-8256 or DSN 315-724-8256.

  
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