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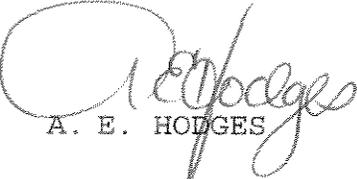
Subj: POLICY GUIDANCE CONCERNING PERMISSIBLE OPERATING DISTANCE
(POD) FOR GSA/MARINE CORPS OWNED COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

Ref: (a) DoD Order 4500.36R
(b) MCO P11240.106B

1. In accordance with reference (a), the POD established for an installation should be sufficient to support normal operations. Reference (b) reads that GME Fleet Managers will make every effort to use commercial transportation outside the POD and GME inside the POD.

2. Historical data indicates that a POD of 150 miles would be adequate to support normal operations around the Camp Lejeune area and would also be more in line with current DoD and Marine Corps Orders governing the proper and efficient use of Garrison Mobile Equipment. As I recognize that there may be exceptions to this policy such as the transportation of prisoners to Norfolk, Virginia, all commands, organizations, and tenant activities are to implement the 150 mile POD requirement when utilizing government vehicles.

3. Requests to exceed the POD should be supported by emergency, regulatory or statutory requirements and forwarded to the Fleet Manager of Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune.


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