

2014 WINTER HOLIDAY SEASON SAFETY

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GENTEXT/REMARKS/1. THIS HOLIDAY SEASON IS A TIME TO CELEBRATE OUR TRADITIONS, RECOGNIZE ACCOMPLISHMENTS, AND REMEMBER WITH REVERENCE AND GRATITUDE THOSE SERVING IN HARM'S WAY. FOR MARINES AND SAILORS FORTUNATE ENOUGH TO BE AT HOME, CELEBRATING THIS HOLIDAY SEASON WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS IS ONE OF THE MOST SPECIAL AND TIME-HONORED TRADITIONS OF THE YEAR. IT IS AN IDEAL OPPORTUNITY TO REFLECT UPON OUR MANY BLESSINGS AND MAKE RESOLUTIONS FOR THE FUTURE. AS OUR MARINES, SAILORS, AND CIVILIAN PERSONNEL PREPARE TO EMBARK ON CHRISTMAS LEAVE AND LIBERTY, I WANT EACH LEADER TO PREPARE THEIR UNITS WITH THE SAME RIGOR AND ATTENTION TO DETAIL APPLIED TO TRAINING AND OPERATIONS. KNOW AND APPROVE EACH SUBORDINATE'S TRAVEL PLANS. CONDUCT VEHICLE SAFETY INSPECTIONS. DISCOURAGE DRIVING BETWEEN THE HOURS OF MIDNIGHT AND 0600. EMPHASIZE THE USE OF SEATBELTS WHEN OPERATING OR RIDING IN MOTOR VEHICLES AND WEARING SAFETY EQUIPMENT

WHEN OPERATING OR RIDING ON MOTORCYCLES. DISCOURAGE THE READING AND RESPONDING TO TEXT OR ELECTRONIC MESSAGES WHILE DRIVING. PROMOTE THE RESPONSIBLE USE OF ALCOHOL AND THOROUGHLY BRIEF EACH MARINE AND SAILOR TO PROMOTE A SAFE AND ACCIDENT-FREE HOLIDAY. REMEMBER, USING COMMON SENSE COUPLED WITH OPERATIONAL RISK MANAGEMENT WHEN MAKING HOLIDAY TRAVEL PLANS CAN ENSURE YOU AND YOUR FAMILIES ENJOY THIS SPECIAL TIME OF YEAR. PLEASE ENJOY YOUR TIME OFF AND RETURN RESTED AND READY FOR THE CHALLENGES OF 2015. SEMPER FIDELIS. ACTING COMMANDER, COL ESCALANTE SENDS.//

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