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STATION ORDER 4030.4B

From: Commanding Officer
To: Distribution List

Subj: PREPARATION FOR SHIPMENT OF SMALL ARMS WEAPONS

Ref: (a) 49CFR 171-178, Sec. 173.51 (NOTAL)
(b) MCO 4030.16E

1. Purpose. To promulgate instructions for preparation for shipment of small arms weapons.

2. Cancellation. StaO 4030.4A.

3. General. Reference (a) prohibits the shipment of loaded firearms.

4. Action. All units involved in processing small arms weapons for shipment or transshipment are subject to the instructions contained in reference (b), to include the following:

a. The unit armorer or unit supply officer will place the following certification on all shipping documents:

"I certify that these weapons have been inspected and found to be safe in all respects for shipment."

Signature_____Title_____

Date_____

b. Units receiving small arms weapons packed and shipped in violation of the reference will report deficiencies immediately to the Traffic Management Officer (TMO).

5. Weapons processing requires advance notification of at least five days. Appointment sheets are available at the Shipping/Packing Office, Building 324 during normal working hours. All units offering weapons for processing will have one responsible officer or SNCO and armed guard with them at time of delivery and during the packing process. Upon completion of packing, weapons will be returned to the unit so that further transportation can be arranged with the TMO Freight Office. The Shipping/Packing Office will not be held responsibile for storage of weapons.

6. Concurrence. The Commanding Officers of MAG-13, 2d LAAM Bn, MCAS-7, MWSS-371, VMFT-401, MAWTS-1, and CSSD-16 concur in and make

this directive applicable to all 3rd and 4th MAW units located at MCAS, Yuma.

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