



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

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US ARMY INSTALLATION MANAGEMENT COMMAND, PACIFIC REGION
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MEMORANDUM FOR All Military Personnel within United States Army Garrison, Hawaii (USAG-HI) Installations

SUBJECT: Policy Memorandum USAG-HI-33, Mandatory Personal Financial Management Training for all First-Term Soldiers Arriving within US Army Hawaii

1. References.

- a. AR 608-1, Army Community Service Center, 6 Dec 06.
- b. AR 600-8-19, Enlisted Promotions and Reductions, 9 Nov 06.
- c. DODI 1342.22, Family Centers, 30 Dec 92.

2. Applicability: This policy applies to all Soldiers, Civilians, Family members, contractors, and other personnel who work on, reside on, or visit any US Army installations, facilities, or work sites in Hawaii.

3. Financial education is a key factor in enhancing Soldier readiness. Due to the military's unique and mobile lifestyle, Soldiers are at high risk for financial mismanagement. Often Soldiers are targeted because they have a steady paycheck even though their pay is often below that of their civilian counterparts. One poor financial decision can impact a Soldier negatively for years to come. Providing a solid financial foundation, alternatives, and strategies will enhance readiness throughout a Soldier's career.

4. IAW AR 608-1, para 4-38, Commanders are required to ensure their first-term Soldiers receive 8 hours of mandatory financial education from Army Community Service (ACS).

5. Replacement Detachment will provide ACS a list weekly of all newly-arrived first-term Soldiers by name, rank and unit. Lists will be cross checked with class attendance rosters to ensure all first-term Soldiers receive the training.

6. ACS will offer the training twice monthly and upon request of the unit training NCO for groups of 10 or more. Commanders will ensure all first-term Soldiers attend training within 90 days of arrival at their new duty station. Commanders will be notified by ACS of failure to meet this goal.

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7. This policy supersedes Policy Memorandum USAG-HI-33, SAB, dated 22 Jan 08 and remains in effect until cancelled or superseded in writing.

8. Proponent. ACS, Building 2091, Schofield Barracks, 655-4227 is the proponent for the Personal Financial Management Training for all First-Term Enlisted Soldiers.



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