



REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**  
**HEADQUARTERS, 428<sup>TH</sup> FIELD ARTILLERY BRIGADE**  
**6624 NW GERONIMO ROAD**  
**FORT SILL, OKLAHOMA 73503-9000**

ATSF-B

12 March 2010

MEMORANDUM FOR All 428<sup>th</sup> FA Brigade Personnel

SUBJECT: Brigade Policy 014, Random Drug Testing

1. References. Army Regulation 600-85, dated 2 February 2009.
2. Purpose. This memorandum is to prescribe random drug testing within 428<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Brigade.
3. In accordance with paragraph 4-2d, AR 600-85, I hereby waive the requirement for Battalion commanders to randomly select and drug testing of four (4) percent of their Soldiers each week. Due to the mission, size and organizational structure of the units within this Brigade, it is not feasible to test four (4) percent weekly.
4. In order to meet the requirements of AR 600-85, Battalions and separate batteries within 428<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Brigade will conduct random selection and drug testing of not less than 16 percent of assigned Soldiers on a monthly basis and ensure that every Soldier is tested annually.
5. The point of contact for this memorandum is the Brigade Adjutant at (580) 442-4822.

  
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COL, FA  
Commanding