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US ARMY INSTALLATION MANAGEMENT COMMAND
HEADQUARTERS, UNITED STATES ARMY GARRISON-DAEGU
UNIT #15746
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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: US Army Garrison (USAG) Daegu Policy Letter #73, Noise Control

1. Purpose. To establish standards for noise control within the U.S. Army Garrison Daegu (USAG Daegu) area of responsibility.
2. Applicability. This policy applies to all military and civilian employees of the U.S. Government and their family members regardless of the location of their home within USAG Daegu.
3. Policy. The intent of this policy is to promote harmony in our communities and living areas. All individuals within the USAG Daegu area of responsibility have the right to expect peace and quiet. Accordingly, acts of excessive noise will not be tolerated.
4. Procedures.
 - a. Quiet hours are:
 - (1) 2200-0700 Sunday through Thursday.
 - (2) 2300-0700 Friday, Saturday, and evenings prior to holidays.
 - b. During quiet hours, stereos; TVs; portable sound systems; etc., will not be so loud that the noise can be heard in adjacent rooms, housing, or buildings.
 - c. During quiet hours, with the exception of emergency repairs, no construction will occur, either from contractors or an in-house work force.
 - d. Most noises can be tolerated during normal hours (0700-2200), however, at no time will sound equipment be turned up loud enough to disturb anyone in adjacent rooms, housing, or buildings. Portable sound systems will not be carried in public by military members, civilian personnel, or their family members while broadcasting externally. Additionally, car stereo systems will not be operated where anyone outside the car is disturbed by the noise.

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e. Sound equipment will not be played outdoors on post, unless approved by the Garrison Commander, USAG Daegu.

f. Recommendations to reduce noise in living quarters.

(1) Carpet areas that are most heavily used to absorb noise.

(2) When moving furniture, put something underneath the furniture to reduce the noise and prevent scratches on the floor.

(3) Check with neighbors to set volume levels on sound equipment to determine a tolerable range.

(4) Report complaints against violators to area, building, and floor coordinators/ community mayors, and as a final resort, the Housing Office.

5. This policy is effective immediately and will remain in affect until rescinded or superseded.

6. Point of contact is the Chief of Housing Division at 768-9032.



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