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Subject: TACTICAL SAFETY SPECIALIST (TSS) UNIFORM WEAR Originator: scott.pearson DTG: 042044Z Nov 09MSGID/GENADMIN/CMC WASHINGTON DC/SD//SUBJ/TACTICAL SAFETY SPECIALIST (TSS) UNIFORM WEAR//
REF/A/MEMO/LTR: MNFI-CG/19MAY2009//

REF/B/ALMAR 004/08//

REF/C/MCO 1020.34G W/CH 1-5//

REF/D/MCO P4400.150E W/ERRATUM AND CH 1-2//AMPN/REF A IS MNFI-CG UNIFORM POLICY
MEMORADUM DTD 19 MAY 2009, CIVILIAN AND CONTRACTOR WEAR OF MILITARY UNIFORMS. REF B
IS CIVILIAN WEAR OF THE MARINE CORPS COMBAT UTILITY UNIFORM, REF C IS THE MARINE CORPS
UNIFORM REGULATIONS, AND REF D IS THE MARINE CORPS CONSUMER-LEVEL SUPPLY POLICY
MANUAL.//GENTEXT/REMARKS/1.PER REF A, DOD CIVILIANS AND CONTRACTORS ARE NO LONGER
AUTHORIZED TO WEAR MILITARY UNIFORMS IN THE IRAQ JOA.IN ORDER TO ADDRESS OPERATIONAL COMMANDER CONCERNS AND TO ESTABLISH A
STANDARDIZED TACTICAL SAFETY SPECIALIST (TSS) UNIFORM, 5.11 TACTICAL SERIES TYPE AND
STYLE CLOTHING IS AUTHORIZED FOR WEAR BY TSS PERSONNEL.2. IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH REF A, TSS PERSONNEL DEPLOYING TO THE IRAQ JOA SHALL DEPLOY
WITH 5.11-TYPE CLOTHING. FURTHERMORE, 5.11-TYPE CLOTHING IS RECOMMENDED FOR TSS
PERSONNEL DEPLOYING ISO MEB-A OPERATIONS.3. COMMANDERS ARE AUTHORIZED USE OF O&MMC FUNDS FOR ACQUISITION OF TSS UNIFORMS.
TACTICAL CLOTHING IS AVAILABLE THROUGH 5.11 INC, 4300 SPYRES WASY, MODESTO, CA 95356 (1-866-
451-1726, EMAIL WWW.511TACTICAL.COM) AND THROUGH SOME LOCAL BASE EXCHANGES. THE
FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS PROVIDED TO ASSIST COMMANDS PROCURING 5.11-TYPE CLOTHING:

ITEM	ITEM NO.	NSN
TACTICAL PANTS MEN'S COTTON	74251	8405015233166
TACTICAL SHIRT LONG SLEEVES, COTTON	72157	8405015232265

4. TSS UNIFORMS ARE ORGANIZATION CLOTHING AND WILL BE ACCOUNTED FOR AND ISSUED PER
REF D. RECOMMENDED STANDARD ISSUE FOR A DEPLOYING TSS IS TWO SETS OF 5.11-TYPE
UNIFORMS COYOTE IN COLOR, TWO SETS 5.11-TYPE UNIFORMS GREEN IN COLOR, TWO PAIR OF
MARINE CORPS COMBAT BOOTS TO INCLUDE ONE PAIR OF STEEL-TOED BOOTS, AND ONE GREEN AND
ONE COYOTE BOONIE-STYLE COVERS. OTHER INDIVIDUAL COMBAT CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT REQUIRED
FOR TSS DEPLOYMENT IS MAINTAINED AND ISSUED BY THE CENTRAL ISSUE FACILITY (CIF). TSS
PERSONNEL ARE AUTHORIZED CIF SUPPORT AS REQUIRED BY THEIR COMMANDERS.5. WHILE 5.11-TYPE CLOTHING IS RECOMMENDED FOR TSS PERSONNEL DEPLOYING OR OPERATING IN A
FIELD ENVIRONMENT, THE DOD TRI-COLORED UTILITY UNIFORM AND FLIGHT SUIT REMAIN AUTHORIZED
FOR CIVILIAN UNIFORM WEAR AS APPROPRIATE PER REF (B).6. CMC(SD) POC IS MR. JOSEPH P. PINKOWSKI AT JOSEPH.PINKOWSKI@USMC.MIL OR (703)614-1202; DSN
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