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Marine Corps Base Order 5800.7

From: Commander, Marine Corps Base, Quantico  
To: Distribution

Subj: PROHIBITED SUBSTANCES

Ref: (a) 21 U.S. C. Sec. 802 (Controlled Substances Act)  
(b) Uniform Code of Military Justice, MCM 2008  
(c) SECNAVINST 1920.6C  
(d) MCO P1900.16F w/ Ch. 2 (MARCORSEPMAN)  
(e) SECNAVINST 5300.28D  
(f) U.S. Navy Regulations, Chapter 8  
(g) "Drugs and Chemicals of Concern: Salvia Divinorum and Salvinorin A," DOJ, DEA  
(h) "Drugs and Chemicals of Concern: HU-210", DOJ, DEA  
(i) "Drugs and Chemicals of Concern: JWH-073", DOJ, DEA  
(j) "Drugs and Chemicals of Concern: JWH-018", DOJ, DEA  
(k) "Drugs and Chemicals of Concern: CP 47,497 and Homologues", DOJ, DEA  
(l) "Drugs and Chemicals of Concern: HU-211", DOJ, DEA  
(m) "Intelligence Alert" (March 2009), Microgram Bulletin, Volume 42, Number 3  
(n) 18 U.S.C. § 13 (Assimilative Crimes Act)  
(o) MCBO 5800.5 w/Ch.1 (Debarment Procedures)

Encl: (1) Prohibited Substances and Their Common Street-Names

1. Situation. The Marine Corps is currently addressing the increased use of the compounds known as Salvia Divinorum (Salvia) and Spice. As detailed in reference (g), Salvia is a perennial herb that resembles sage that is known to cause hallucinations, changes in perception, body or object distortion, loss of coordination, dizziness, and other psychological and physical effects. In high dosages, Salvia can cause unconsciousness and short-term memory loss. As described in references (h) through (m), Spice is a mixture of natural substances such as herbs laced with synthetic cannabinoids or cannabinoid mimicking compounds known to cause decreased motor function, loss of concentration, and impairment of short-term memory. Also of concern are the remaining substances listed in the enclosure, which produce effects similar to Marijuana,

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Lysergic Acid Diethylamide (LSD), and other psychoactive drugs. Based on the known effects of these substances, users will likely suffer adverse physical reactions or may engage in unlawful conduct due to impaired judgment. The common "street-names" associated with these substances are listed in the enclosure.

2. Mission. To prohibit the actual and attempted possession, sale, use, distribution, or manufacture of substances listed in the enclosure, which are intended to produce a psychotropic "high" when ingested or smoked, pursuant to the laws and regulations in references (a), (e), and (f).

3. Execution.

a. Commander's Intent.

(1) This Order is promulgated to protect the health and fitness of our Marines and Sailors, and to secure our ability to conduct our mission. Spice, Salvia, and the other substances listed in the enclosure have a high potential to negatively affect the health, welfare, and performance of Marines and Sailors, the accomplishment of the mission, and the good order and discipline of units within this command.

(2) This Order is punitive in nature and violations may result in punitive or adverse administrative action in accordance with references (b), (c), or (d). Specifically, violations of any provisions of this Order by military personnel are punishable as violations of Article 92 of the Uniform Code of Military Justice. Any other person found to be in violation of this Order while aboard Marine Corps Base, Quantico (MCBQ) may be subject to trial in the Federal courts for violation of the Federal Assimilative Crimes Act, in accordance with reference (n) and possible debarment in accordance with reference (o).

(3) This Order is not intended to limit subordinate commanders' ability to prohibit the possession, sale, use, or distribution of additional substances as appropriate.

b. Concept of Operations. The actual or attempted possession, use, sale, distribution, or manufacture of the substances listed in the enclosure, or any derivative, analogue, or variant of those substances is prohibited.

(1) The provisions of this Order apply to all personnel assigned to or aboard Marine Corps Base Quantico.

(2) The provisions of this Order also prohibit the actual or attempted possession, use, sale, distribution, or manufacture of the substances listed in the enclosure, or any derivative analogue, or variant of those substances by civilian employees and contractors or any other persons while aboard MCBQ for any reason.

4. Administration and Logistics. This Order will be periodically updated upon notification to this Command of any other naturally or artificially created substance if that substance has been created, produced, or processed with the sole intent of generating a psychotropic "high" when ingested or smoked.

5. Command and Signal.

a. Command. Not applicable.

b. Signal. This Order is effective the date signed.

/s/

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Distribution: A