



COMMANDING OFFICER'S POLICY ON RISK MANAGEMENT & SAFETY



MCO 5100.29C W/VOL 2 (Risk Management) defines risk management as a process that assists organizations and individuals in making informed decisions in order to reduce or offset risk to increase operational effectiveness and the probability of mission success.

Risk Management is a systematic and cyclical process that should occur on and off duty. Leaders are responsible for ensuring subordinates understand how to identify hazards and apply the requisite mitigation to reduce the risks associated with them. Controls must be established and implemented to ensure training, exercises, and operations are able to be conducted in a safe and effective manner. All participants involved in the execution of any operation or activity must remain vigilant to ensure adherence to applicable parameters and prevent a safety violation or incident.

Everyone has the inherent obligation to ensure the safe execution of any activity and/or event. Personnel must be prepared to identify unsafe acts and report them accordingly. Violations of established safety orders, policies, and/or procedures will be investigated to determine the circumstances of the incident and to prevent future occurrences. After actions, debriefs, and other reviews will be conducted after every activity to ensure understanding of and adherence to applicable safety orders, policies, and procedures.

The service members, employees, visitors, and other inhabitants of MCB Quantico depend on Security Battalion for their safety and security. Safety and Risk Management are imperative to ensure the preservation of our force and mission essential equipment. We must ensure our actions are conducted in a manner that conforms to established standards for safety, removes unnecessary risks, and mitigates the dangers of those hazards that cannot be eliminated. Constant supervision at all levels is essential to ensure the Marines, Sailors, Civilians, and Contractors of Security Battalion are able to safely execute the critical missions we are charged to conduct.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. S. Rainey".

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