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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: United States Army Garrison Mannheim Command Policy #31, Approved Swimming Areas and Facilities

1. Reference. USAREUR Regulation 385-2, USAREUR Water Safety Program, 15 Mar 95.

2. Purpose. To provide an updated list of approved swimming facilities and off-limits water areas located within the Mannheim vicinity (Appendix A and Appendix B, respectively).

3. Applicability. This policy applies to all military members, DOD civilians, and their family members assigned or employed within the geographic boundaries of the United States Army Garrison (USAG) Mannheim.

4. General.

a. A swimming or bathing area is authorized when:

(1) Qualified lifeguards are on duty. The lifeguards will possess a current American Red Cross (ARC) Advanced Lifesaving Certificate or ARC Water Safety Instructor Certification or equivalent host country certification (i.e. German Red Cross, Wasserwacht or DLRG Leistungsabzeichen).

(2) Sufficient lifesaving equipment, communications equipment, first aid facilities, protective devices, etc. are available.

(3) The area is considered reasonably safe for swimming and bathing.

(4) The area meets sanitary standards prescribed in TB MED 575.

b. Swimming and bathing areas that do not meet the minimum criteria in para 4a are off limits, even if not listed in Appendix B.

5. Responsibilities:

a. Commanders will:

(1) Direct personnel to swim only in authorized swimming areas.

(2) Inform personnel about safe swimming and boating practices.

(3) Ensure a list of local authorized and off limits swimming areas is posted on unit bulletin boards.

b. This subject also must be included in initial orientations of newly assigned personnel.

c. Sponsors must inform their family members accordingly.

d. Personnel using public, approved swimming facilities will ensure proper and safe behavior of themselves, their family members, and guests.

6. The proponent of this policy is the USAG Mannheim Safety Office, DSN 385-3453/CIV 0621-730-3453.

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A – List of Approved Swimming Facilities
B – List of Off Limits Water Areas

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APPENDIX A: Approved Swimming Facilities in the Mannheim Area

Bürstadt	- Städtisches Schwimmbad, Wasserwerkstraße (outdoor pool)
Eisenberg	- Waldschwimmbad (outdoor pool)
Frankenthal	- Strandbad (outdoor pool)
Frankenthal	- Hallenbad, Straße am Kanal (outdoor pool)
Grünstadt	- Allwetterbad (in- and outdoor pool)
Heddesheim	- Lake, Sportzentrum
Heddesheim	- Hallenbad, Sportzentrum (indoor pool)
Hemsbach	- Lake, Lindenstraße (near the Autobahn)
Ilvesheim	- Hallenbad, Heddesheimer Straße (indoor pool)
Kirchheimbolanden	- Freibad Thielwoog, Am Thielwoog (outdoor pool)
Kirchheimbolanden	- Hallenbad, Fischbachweg (indoor pool)
Ladenburg	- Freibad, Neckarstraße, (outdoor pool)
Lampertheim	- Städtisches Schwimmbad, Am Weidweg (outdoor pool)
Lampertheim	- Hallenbad, Rheinstraße (indoor pool)
Limburgerhof	- Hallenbad, Rheinstraße (indoor pool)
Lorsch	- Freibad, Waldstraße (outdoor pool)
Ludwigshafen	- Hallenbad, Stadionstraße (indoor pool)
Ludwigshafen	- Hallenbad, Pettenhoferstraße (indoor pool)
Ludwigshafen-Friesenheim	- Freibad, Am Willersinn (outdoor pool)
Mannheim	- Herschelbad, U3, 1 (indoor pool)
Mannheim	- Städtisches Sommerbad, Herzogenriedbad, Max-Joseph-Straße (outdoor pool)
Mannheim-Gartenstadt	- Carl-Benz-Bad (between Lampertheimer-Straße and Baldurstraße), (outdoor pool)
Mannheim-Neckarau	- Aufeld-Straße (indoor pool)

APPENDIX A: Approved Swimming Facilities in the Mannheim Area cont.

Mannheim-Rheinau	- Städtisches Sommerbad Pfingstberg, Riedbergerstraße (outdoor pool)
Mannheim-Waldhof Ost	- Hallenbad, Offenbacher Straße (indoor pool)
Mannheim-Vogelstang	- Hallenbad, Weimarer Straße (indoor pool)
Mannheim-Sandhofen	- Städtisches Sommerbad (outdoor pool)
Mutterstadt	- Hallenbad (indoor pool)
Neckarhausen	- Hallenbad (indoor pool)
Schifferstadt	- Freibad, Mutterstadter Straße (outdoor pool)
Schifferstadt	- Hallenbad (indoor pool)
Speyer	- Städtisches Freibad (outdoor pool)
Speyer	- Hallenbad, Buttenschönstraße (indoor pool)
Viernheim	- Waldschwimmbad, Industriestraße (outdoor pool)
Weierhof	- Schwimmbad Crayenbühlstraße (outdoor pool)
Weinheim	- Städtisches Strandbad, Waidsee (outdoor pool)
Weinheim	- Hallenbad, Miramar, Weidallee (indoor pool)
Weinheim	- Hallenbad, Mannheimer Straße (indoor pool)
Worms	- Hallenbad, Alzeyer Straße (indoor pool)
Worms	- Städtisches Schwimmbad, Alzeyer Straße (outdoor pool)
Worms/Pfeddersheim	- Freibad, Am Schwimmbad (outdoor pool)

APPENDIX B: Major Off-Limits Water Areas in the Mannheim Area

Altrip	- Lakes Blaue Adria Area - Lake Silbersee (near Altrip) - Lake Kief'scher Weiher (near Altrip)
Böhl-Iggelheim	- Lake Niederwiesen-Weiher (between Böhl and Iggelheim)
Frankenthal	- Lake Kräppelweiher (near B-9)
Bobenheim-Roxheim	- Lake Silbersee and Gravel Pits
Ludwigshafen	- Lake Große Blies, Bruchwiesenstraße
Ludwigshafen-Friesenheim	- Lake Willersinnweiher - Lake Großparth, Langgartenstraße - Lake Begüten, Langgartenstraße
Ludwigshafen-Oggersheim	- Lake, Strandbad Melm
Mannheim-Neckarau	- Strandbad, (Rhein River) Strandbadweg - Lake, Stollenwöhrt, Rheingoldstraße.
Mannheim-Pfingstberg	- Lake, Pfingstberg, Wachenburgstraße
Mannheim-Rheinau	- Lake, Stengelhof, Stengelhofstraße - Lake, Rheinauer See
Mannheim-Vogelstang	- Lake, Vogelstang South - Gravel Pit, Vogelstang South
Mannheim-Käfertal	- Lake, Karlstern
Neuhofen	- Lake, In der Schlicht
Speyer (North)	- Lake, Binsfeld-Weiher - Lake, Bonnet-Weiher
Wachenheim	- Gravel Pit, Camping Area
Waldsee-Otterstadt	- Lake and Rhein River Arms (Grüner Süden)