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ATTENTION OF:

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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Command Policy Memorandum G3-04 - MC6 Parachute Usage

1. Purpose: To provide guidance on the use of the MC6 parachute for airborne operations.

2. Applicability: This policy applies to all Soldiers assigned or attached to JRTC and Fort Polk.

3. General: The JRTC and Fort Polk airborne units are not authorized to use the MC6 parachute during airborne operations. Exceptions are as follows:

(1) Soldiers assigned to Special Operations Training Detachment (SOTD)

(2) Soldiers assigned to the JRTC and Fort Polk Rigger Detachment

(3) Jumpmasters that are trained on the MC6 parachute at Jumpmaster schools or by the Jumpmaster New Equipment Training (NET) Mobile Training Team

4. Soldiers will complete the following prior to their first MC6 jump:

(1) receive Basic Airborne Refresher from a current MC6 Jumpmaster

(2) observe the Product Manager /NET training video on maneuverability and canopy control of the MC6 parachute

(3) training on the parachute simulator (Parasim)

5. Units must submit request for exceptions to this policy through the ACofS, G3, G3 Air Office, to the Commander, JRTC and Fort Polk.

6. This policy remains in effect until superceded or rescinded.

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