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Dear NCTC Students,

I am writing to inform you of an important update regarding access procedures to Fort Indiantown Gap (FTIG), effective 1 November 2023.

In order to enhance security measures and ensure the safety of all personnel and resources within the premises, visitors will be required to enter Fort Indiantown Gap military installation by using an Access Control Point (ACP). The ACP is located on the west end of the post closest to Indiantown Gap National Cemetery. Furthermore, FTIG will be implementing new access restrictions for visitors which will require individuals to provide specific forms of identification for entry.

Beginning on 1 November 2023, visitors seeking access to FTIG will be required to present one of the following forms of identification:

1. Department of Defense Common Access Card (DoD CAC)
2. DD Form 2 Series (Armed Forces of the United States Geneva Conventions Identification Card)
3. Credentialed Law Enforcement Identification
4. Driver's License (issued by a state or federal agency)
5. State or Federally Issued Identification
6. DD Form 1173 (Uniformed Services ID Card)
7. Passport

Current and retired military personnel, along with credentialed law enforcement officers possessing the requisite identification, are granted direct access to the access gates without the necessity of stopping at the Visitor's Center. Conversely, individuals utilizing alternative forms of identification will be obligated to visit the Visitor's Center to obtain an access pass prior to advancing through the gates.

In addition to the aforementioned identification requirement, each visitor will undergo screening through the National Crime Information Center III (NCIC-III) to ensure compliance with security protocols.

Furthermore, please note that firearms are authorized while on post, and credentialed law enforcement officers are exempt from the requirement to unload their firearms prior to access. However, the storage of firearms in barracks or dorm rooms is strictly prohibited. Firearms should be securely stored either in department-issued vehicle safes or at the Fort Indiantown Gap Police Department to ensure the highest level of safety and security for all personnel.

We understand that these new measures may represent a change in routine for many of our visitors. However, it is our utmost priority to maintain a secure and protected environment for all personnel and assets within the facility.

We appreciate your cooperation and understanding in this matter. If you have any questions or require further clarification regarding these new access procedures, please do not hesitate to reach out to our office at 717-861-2070.

Thank you for your continued support in upholding the safety and integrity of Fort Indiantown Gap.

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