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COMMANDING GENERAL'S POLICY LETTER 7-19

From:

Commanding General

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VACCINATIONS AND TESTING OF PRIVATELY OWNED HORSES ABOARD MARINE CORPS

BASE, CAMP PENDLETON

Ref:

(a) SECNAVINST 6401.1, Veterinary Health Services

(b) DA SOP CPVTF AM-02, Standing Operating Procedure Equine Herd Health

- 1. Per references (a) and (b), privately owned horses boarded at Stepp Stables, aboard Marine Corps Base, Camp Pendleton (MCB CamPen), shall be in compliance of required vaccines and Coggins testing. In order to ensure a safe and healthy boarding facility, horses are required to receive Eastern and Western Equine Encephalomyelitis, West Nile Virus, Rabies, Tetanus, Influenza, and Rhinopneumonitis vaccinations annually. Additionally, horses are required to have an annual Coggins test.
- 2. <u>Cancellation</u>. Commanding General's Policy Letter 2-18.
- 3. Stepp Stables vaccination and testing compliance:
- a. All boarders shall provide record of vaccinations and testing to the Stepp Stables Manager prior to arrival at Stepp Stables.
 - b. All boarders shall vaccinate and test their horses annually.
- c. All boarders shall remain in good standing and compliance with annual requirements set forth by Stepp Stables management while boarding with Stepp Stables.
- d. All boarders will be responsible for maintaining accurate and timely recordkeeping of vaccinations and testing for their horses with the Stepp Stables office.
- e. Failure to comply with the above requirements will result in termination of boarding.
- 4. This Policy is applicable to all commands, organizations, units, and activities located aboard MCB CamPen.

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