BUPERS INSTRUCTION 1640.18G CHANGE TRANSMITTAL 2

From: Chief of Naval Personnel

Subj: U.S. NAVY DESIGNATED PLACES OF CONFINEMENT

Encl: (1) U.S. Navy Designated Places of Confinement

1. Purpose. To transmit change 2, revised enclosure (1), to the basic instruction, which updates
the rated capacity for the Naval Air Station Jacksonville, FL pre-trial confinement facility.

2. Action. Remove enclosure (1) of the basic instruction and replace with enclosure (1) of this
change transmittal.

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From: Chief of Naval Personnel

Subj: U.S. NAVY DESIGNATED PLACES OF CONFINEMENT

Encl: (1) U.S. Navy Designated Places of Confinement

1. **Purpose.** To transmit change 1 to the basic instruction. Enclosure (1) updates the rated capacity for Naval Consolidated Brig Chesapeake, VA and Naval Consolidated Brig Miramar Detachment Pearl Harbor, HI.

2. **Action.** Remove enclosure (1) of the basic instruction and replace with enclosure (1) of this change transmittal.

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From: Deputy Chief of Naval Personnel

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Ref: (a) DoD Instruction 1325.07 of 11 March 2013
     (b) SECNAVINST 1640.9C
     (c) BUPERSINST 1640.22
     (d) NAVPERS 15560D, Naval Military Personnel Manual (MILPERSMAN)
     (e) NFPA 101, Life Safety Code (NOTAL)

Encl: (1) U.S. Navy Designated Places of Confinement

1. Purpose. To identify designated places of shore confinement within the Navy corrections system.

2. Cancellation. BUPERSINST 1640.18F.

3. Background

   a. Navy brigs are established at shore commands to support local and system-wide confinement needs and shall be authorized by the Secretary of the Navy (SECNAV) as a naval place of confinement. Naval brigs shall conform to the requirements of references (a) through (c) to retain their authority to operate.

   b. Per reference (a), Department of Defense (DoD) post-trial military confinement facility designations (Levels I, II, and III) are based upon a number of factors to include, but not limited to, length of confining sentence and required correctional programs. For the U.S. Navy, facility designation, capabilities and rated capacity are the responsibility of the Bureau of Naval Personnel (BUPERS), Office of Corrections and Programs (BUPERS-00D), and assigned after on-site assessment by qualified corrections specialists.

   c. Reference (d), identifies the types and DoD classification of Navy brigs with associated parameters consistent with the provisions of references (a) through (c). Enclosure (1) provides a list of Navy shore brigs authorized by
SECNAV as naval places of confinement and identifies facility
gender capability and rated capacity.

4. **Designation Criteria**

   a. Physical plant, major property, designation parameters,
   staff criteria, and minimum acceptable program requirements for
   naval brigs, by facility type, are contained within references
   (b) and (c).

   b. All Navy brigs shall conform to the fire, life, safety,
   security and berthing requirements of references (b), (c), and
   (e) and shall not normally exceed the rated capacity without
   BUPERS-00D authority.

5. **Capacities**

   a. Rated capacity is BUPERS-00D assigned berthing capacity
   (e.g., number of gender-based beds or capacity spaces) that can
   be accommodated at the facility based on a facility's staffing
   level, existing programs and services, and physical structure
   features, taking into account a reduction for disciplinary
   segregation and any unfurnished cells.

   b. Per references (b) and (c), BUPERS-00D is responsible for
   determining the "rated capacity" for Navy brigs. Such capacity is
   determined by on-site application of berthing space criteria,
   while also accounting for local considerations, special needs,
   manning, and the provisions of references (b), (c), and (e).

   c. The brig commander determines the facility operational
   capacity. The operational capacity is the rated capacity, minus
   any berthing space associated with loss of function (cell/dorm,
   or portion thereof, unable to be occupied due to maintenance
   needs). The operational capacity can only be equal to or less
   than the rated capacity, unless authorized to exceed the rated
   capacity by BUPERS-00D per references (b) and (c).

   d. Per references (b) and (c), brig officers shall ensure
   notification to BUPERS-00D, as well as their chain of command,
   whenever the facility's population is expected to exceed rated
   capacity by 10 percent, or when the operational capacity is
   expected to reduce the rated capacity by 10 percent.
6. **Action**

   a. Requests for designation of an ashore facility as an authorized naval place of confinement shall be submitted via the chain of command and BUPERS-00D to SECNAV. Such requests shall include full justification, copies of floor plans, site plans, and a description of the space utilization, security, and safety equipment to be used. Approval shall be based on demonstrated need and ability to meet criteria for functional adequacy defined in references (b) and (c), Commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command publications, and standards of the American Correctional Association.

   b. Requests for temporary waivers of the provisions of references (a) and (b) shall be submitted with justification to BUPERS-00D through the chain of command and, if approved, will normally be granted for only the period of time necessary to complete corrective action. Waivers shall not be granted for facilities with major life threatening, fire, or safety violations.

7. **Records Management.** Records created as a result of this instruction, regardless of format and media, shall be managed per SECNAV Manual M-5210.1.

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   Rear Admiral, U.S. Navy  
   Deputy Chief of Naval Personnel

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