



**DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS 628TH AIR BASE WING (AMC)
JOINT BASE CHARLESTON SC**

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Weapons Registration for Joint Base Charleston

References: (a) Title 18 Sections 926B and 926C, *LEOSA Conceal Carry Authorization*
(b) AFI 32-7064, *Joint Base Charleston Hunting and Fishing Program*

1. Personnel requesting to bring firearms on base, weapons registration packages may be picked up at the following locations and returned for processing:

JB CHS-WS

Visitor Control Center, Bldg 3
MWR, IT Bldg 1700
628 SFS, Bldg 1978, Reports & Analysis

JB CHS-AB

Housing Office, Bldg 323
628 SFS, Bldg 254, Armory
628 SFS, Bldg 254, Reports & Analysis

2. **LEOSA GUIDANCE**: LEOSA credentialed personnel are authorized to conceal carry their Privately Owned Firearm (POF) onto the installation and in government facilities. Qualified members will register their POF with 628 SFS by signing an agreement, which outlines policies and procedures and is endorsed by 628 SFS/CC. Members are not permitted to conceal carry a POF into facilities with signs indicating “**No Firearms Allowed**”. When firearms are stored in an unattended vehicle, the vehicle must be locked and firearm must be secured in a locked container concealed from public view.

3. **HUNTERS**: Prior to purchasing a base hunting permit, firearms must be registered with 628 SFS by completing and submitting an AF Form 1314, *Firearms Registration* and a DD Form 2760, *Qualification to Possess Firearms or Ammunition*. These documents are available at the above listed facilities. Hunters are authorized to transport firearms to/from scheduled hunts. A completed firearm registration form, verified by 628 SFS, must accompany applications for Recreation Badges.

4. **TRANSPORTING POES**: If stopped by SFS, advise the patrolman that you have a firearm, where it is located and where you are taking the firearm. If not LEOSA qualified, the firearm and ammunition must be stored separately and out of reach. You cannot store a firearm in enlisted dormitories, unaccompanied housing, visiting quarters or temporary lodging facilities. The AB Armory, is the only authorized storage facility for POFs for personnel residing in the above listed facilities. The AB Armory only stores handguns and long guns. Bows, Crossbows, BB Guns and paintball guns are not required to be registered, however, they are not authorized to be stored within the living facilities listed above. Individuals storing authorized weapons and ammunition in Housing will ensure firearms and ammunition are stored with a locking trigger device and must be inaccessible to unauthorized persons and minors and must reduce the vulnerability of theft. Weapons owners must report all missing or stolen firearms to 628 SFS and local law enforcement agencies as soon as possible. **Rifles may only be used at North Auxillary Field. Black powder muzzleloaders are the exception.** Hand-loading ammunition and large quantities of ammunition are not allowed on JB CHS.

AFI 1314, *Firearms Registration*, must be in your possession whenever your weapon is present, except for LEOSA credentialed personnel. Commanders are responsible for endorsing **all** weapons under their command are registered and must ensure serial numbers for weapons are correct.

Violations of these orders can and will be prosecuted with up to one year imprisonment under Title 50 U.S.C. Section 797, or through Article 92, "Failure to Obey Order Regulation." For any questions you may contact Sherrel Lawson, 794-7521 or Anthony Montgomery, 963-3638.