

mander, Air University, in accordance with the policies established by Headquarters USAF.

§ 846.3 What the IT will do.

(a) The IT will plan, organize, conduct, and/or administer educational and training programs in residence and at selected civilian educational institutions and industrial organizations in accordance with directives from Headquarters USAF.

(b) In developing IT educational programs, the following policies will prevail:

(1) Programs will be established to improve the professional competence of career officers in specific Air Force Career Areas, Utilization Fields, and Specialties.

(2) Programs will be planned and developed in terms of the Air Force requirement for which they were established. The Air Force Educational Requirements Board will provide information for the development of educational programs in residence and in cooperation with civilian institutions.

(3) Programs will provide sufficient flexibility to allow each officer's experience and academic background to be considered in the development of his curriculum.

(4) The curriculum followed by each officer will enable him to reach the proficiency required by the Air Force need for which he is being educated in the minimum period of time.

(5) Programs will be planned so as to provide for the admission of all officers selected by Headquarters USAF.

(6) An academic degree will be an objective when the foregoing criteria have been met and when the educational program developed in support of an Air Force requirement is degree worthy. In view of the recognized value of the degree, minor modifications that do not compromise the requirement, or increase the cost or length of a program, may be made in an officer's curriculum.

(c) Admission standards for IT programs will be developed in terms of the policies established by Headquarters USAF for the operation of the programs and the educational background and experience of the officer corps from which the students are drawn. The problem of admission will further be considered in terms of the adult officer corps, and the particular career officers within the corps whom it is most desirable to educate from an Air Force viewpoint. Full use will be made of tests and other measures of aptitude and achievement to determine officers' qualifications for further education.

(d) Headquarters USAF will establish quotas for the various fields of study for IT programs unless otherwise specified by §§ 846.0 to 846.7.

(e) Civilian institutions will be utilized to provide education and training required by the Air Force when they are able to meet the needs of the Air Force.

(f) When education or training authorized under §§ 846.0 to 846.7 is conducted in a resident program, priority will be given to filling resident program quotas.

(g) The Commandant, IT, will make all agreements and contractual nego-

tiations with civilian educational and industrial organizations to provide education and/or training authorized by §§ 846.0 to 846.7. Agreements and negotiations with Government-operated schools will be carried out in accordance with instructions furnished by Headquarters USAF.

(h) Only career officers, Regular and Reserve, will be entered into the IT Professional Education Program. Reserve officers with an established date of separation may be issued letters of eligibility for training by the Commandant, IT. To determine their availability for training these officers may complete applications and forward them to Headquarters USAF. When Headquarters USAF selects such officers for schooling, each officer must elect to sign a career reserve statement and be approved for career Reserve status before entrance into an educational program. All officers selected to attend the IT will be required to indicate knowledge of the service commitment they will incur. This acknowledgment will be included as part of the officer's application.

(i) Headquarters USAF will control the initial assignment of Air Force officers completing IT programs other than those classed as TDY courses. These officers will be assigned to periods of directed duty appropriate to Air Force training programs.

(j) The maximum length of each educational program authorized by §§ 846.0 to 846.7 will be established by Headquarters USAF at the time the program is authorized. Students will complete their study within the period of time authorized for the particular program to which they are assigned or in a lesser period of time when they can do so. Headquarters USAF may extend an academic tour when a student's work has been interrupted due to illness or other circumstances beyond his control. In no instance will an officer be retained in an IT program beyond the length of time specified for the program without prior approval of Headquarters USAF. An officer may be eligible for a second tour in IT programs after completing an interim duty assignment of at least 3 years. The total time a student may be in IT education, including prior training-with-industry programs and extensions, will not exceed 48 months. Tours of duty of officers of the Medical Service engaged in residency training in any of the medical or dental specialties will not be limited by the foregoing but will be established by the Surgeon General, USAF, to conform to requirements of the appropriate national accrediting agencies.

§ 846.4 Academic degrees.

(a) Section 9314, title 10, United States Code, authorizes the Commander, Air University, to confer appropriate academic degrees on persons who meet established requirements for degrees in fields of study conducted by the IT Resident Program.

(b) The academic requirements for obtaining degrees at the IT parallel the requirements for similar degrees in colleges and universities. Degree requirements are established by the IT and

approved by Air University and Headquarters USAF.

§ 846.5 Professional education and training-with-industry programs.

(a) *Description.* (1) The IT offers undergraduate and graduate level educational programs at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base and in civilian institutions. Courses of study authorized vary from year to year as determined by Air Force requirements.

(2) The IT School of Engineering, School of Logistics, and Civil Engineering Center offer educational training programs that are peculiar to the needs of the Air Force. Programs are established, as directed by Headquarters USAF.

(3) Training-with-Industry programs provide Air Force officers with on-the-job training at various industrial concerns so that they may gain an understanding of their operations in support of the national defense effort. Students assigned to these programs receive training similar to that provided executives of industrial organizations.

(b) *Eligibility.* Eligibility criteria normally applicable to IT Resident Programs, and Civilian Institutions and Training-with-Industry Programs are:

(1) Applicants must be officers serving in the grade of lieutenant colonel or below. (The term "officer" or "officers" as used in §§ 846.0 to 846.7 includes warrant officers.)

§ 846.6 Special short courses.

These courses are of less than 20 weeks duration and are designed to provide concentrated instruction in specialized subjects related to an officer's duty assignment. Headquarters USAF authorizes the establishment and tailoring of these courses to meet specific needs of the Air Force.

§ 846.7 Medical postgraduate courses.

Such courses are of less than 20 weeks duration and are established and conducted by civilian institutions. They provide concentrated instruction in many subject areas and are announced by the institution conducting the program. Qualified Air Force medical service officers may be authorized to enroll when a need for training in a particular field is established within the major air command. Quotas are not established or allocated for these courses by Headquarters USAF.

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SUBCHAPTER F—RESERVE FORCES

PART 861—OFFICERS' RESERVE

USAF Officer Training School (OTS)

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§ 861.1 Purpose.

Sections 861.1 to 861.22 tell how to apply for USAF Officer Training School and explain the disposition of eliminatees and graduates of the school.

§ 861.2 Mission of the OTS.

The USAF OTS trains selected personnel to meet the fundamental requirements for newly commissioned officers in the Air Force and to perform collateral missions as directed.

§ 861.3 Explanation of terms.

(a) *Officer training program.* A program established to assure the Air Force a complement of career-minded officers well educated in subjects related to essential positions. Graduates are tendered appointments as Reserve officers of the Air Force.

(b) *Officer trainee.* A selected applicant on active duty enrolled in OTS.

(c) *Civilian applicants.* United States male or female citizens who are not in the military service or members of AFRes Units. The term "civilian" includes all other members of Reserve components of the Armed Forces and the National Guard.

(d) *Preliminary processing.* An all-inclusive procedure to determine if an applicant meets the basic eligibility requirements before he is referred for final testing.

(e) *Final processing.* A series of tests designated by Headquarters USAF for final qualification of officer trainee applicants.

(f) *Tentatively qualified applicant.* An applicant (male or female) who has successfully completed the required examinations and whose applications has been forwarded to Lackland Military Training Center (OMS), Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, for further processing.

(g) *Fully qualified applicant.* An applicant who has successfully completed all qualifying examinations and has been notified in writing of his eligibility to compete for selection by the Lackland Military Training Center.

(h) *Selection board.* A board appointed by the Commander, Lackland Military Training Center, to make the final selections. The board will be chaired by a senior officer. When female

applicants are being considered, a WAF officer of field grade will be a member of the Board.

(i) *Selected applicant.* A fully qualified applicant who has received written notice from the Lackland Military Training Center of his selection and class assignment.

(j) *Air Force Academy and Aircrew Examining Center (AFAAEC).* A Headquarters USAF designated facility, centrally located with respect to source of applicants and having facilities adequate for final examination of such applicants.

§ 861.4 Information sources.

Information concerning OTS may be obtained from:

- (a) Air Force recruiting offices.
- (b) Air Force bases.
- (c) Professor of air science at any AFROTC unit.
- (d) Air National Guard (ANG) or AFRes units.

§ 861.5 How training is conducted.

Air Training Command will procure, select, train, and commission applicants for this program. Applicants will undergo rigid examinations before they are selected for officer training; when selected, they will be required to complete a pre-commission training course. After successfully completing this course, the officer trainee will be commissioned a second lieutenant, Reserve of the Air Force, in Career Reserve status. The graduating male officer will be assigned direct to duty or will pursue a pilot, navigator, or technical training course. The graduating female officer will be assigned direct to duty or will pursue a technical training course. The training course selected for each individual will be based on his desire and qualifications correlated with the needs of the Air Force.

This section outlines the basic eligibility requirements and requisite qualifications which must be met when applying. Normally, waivers of the provisions of this section will not be granted. However, before processing at an AFAAEC, applications from female applicants which are disapproved by subordinate commanders or examining officers because the applicant exceeds the maximum age criterion but is not more than 30 will be forwarded through the major air command to Hq USAF (AFPTR) for final determination of eligibility.

(a) *Age and citizenship.* Applicants must be United States male or female citizens between 20½ and 27½ years of age when applying. However, they must be commissioned before reaching their 28th birthday. Applicants who desire flying training must be United States male citizens between the ages of 20½ and 26½ years of age when applying, but must be enrolled into flying training before reaching their 27th birthday.

(b) *Marital restrictions.*—(1) *Males.* No restrictions.

(2) *Females.* Must be unmarried and have no dependents when applying and must agree in writing to remain unmarried during the training program.

(c) *Air Force base or place of residence.* When applying, civilian appli-

cants must be residing in the United States, Puerto Rico, or the Panama Canal Zone.

(d) *Educational qualifications.* (1) Applicants must be college graduates with a baccalaureate or higher degree from an accredited college or university. The school from which the degree is granted must be listed in the latest issue of part 3, "Higher Education," Education Directory, published by the Office of Health, Education and Welfare, and must bear a level-of-training classification of II, III, or IV and a type-of-program classification of b, c, d, e, f, h, i, j, or k. In addition, the school must be accredited by a regional association for accrediting professional curricula. Graduates of schools bearing a type-of-program classification of g may be accepted, dependent upon the needs of the Air Force for the professional skill of the individual applicant.

(2) Applications from students enrolled in their senior year of college may be submitted 135 days before the applicant's scheduled graduation date. These persons will be processed as college graduates. Applicants will not be enlisted until documentary evidence has been submitted showing they have been awarded their degree. This document will be returned to the individual and will not be part of his enlistment file.

(3) If otherwise qualified, an applicant who is a graduate of a nonaccredited American college or university, or who is a graduate of a foreign college or university, may meet the educational requirements by submitting a statement signed by the appropriate official of an accredited college or university offering graduate degrees certifying that the applicant meets the educational requirements for entrance into the graduate school or graduate division of that college or university.

(e) *Moral character.* Applicants must be of the highest moral character.

(f) *Medical standards.* (1) Male applicants will be examined for Flying Class I regardless of the training desired or for which selected. Each physically qualified examinee will be listed in accordance with the standards he meets.

(2) Female applicants will be given a commissioning-type physical examination.

(3) Applicants must meet the medical standards for the training they desire and for which they are selected.

§ 861.7 Who is ineligible to apply.

The following persons are ineligible to apply for this training:

(a) A person not eligible for enlistment or reenlistment in the Air Force, excepting dependency and grade restrictions.

(b) For pilot training, a person who holds or has held the aeronautical rating of pilot, or comparable rating in any of the Armed Forces of the United States. (Army aviation is not comparable for this purpose.)

(c) For navigator training, a person who holds or has held the aeronautical rating of navigator or comparable rating in any of the Armed Forces of the United States.

(d) Persons who have been eliminated from a course of training leading to commissioned officer status are governed by the following policy and procedures. This policy does not pertain to those who were disenrolled or eliminated from the basic phase of any ROTC course.

(1) **Policy.** (i) Persons who either resign or are dismissed from officer training programs of the Army, Navy, or Air Force because of military inaptitude, indifference, undesirable traits of character, or for disciplinary reasons, will not be enrolled into an Air Force training program leading to commissioned officer status; nor are they eligible to apply for Air Force commissions. Superintendents of Military Academies and Commanders of Officer Training Programs may recommend waivers of this policy only in exceptional cases worthy of consideration.

(ii) Persons having been eliminated for lack of academic progress or a breach of the Honor Code, may apply for enrollment in Air Force training programs leading to commissioned officer status; however, their applications will be referred to Hq USAF for review and approval before their enrollment.

(iii) AFROTC cadets having been eliminated from a civilian operated military institution by the educational authorities because of minor violations of the institution's Honor Code may apply for Air Force officer training programs; however, such applications will also be referred to Hq USAF as indicated in subdivision (ii) of this subparagraph.

(e) A person in the active military service of the United States other than the Air Force.

(f) An enlisted member of a Reserve Force of the United States who has received orders calling him to active military service with any of the Armed Forces other than the Air Force.

(g) A member of a Reserve Force other than the ResAF who has not obtained a conditional release from the specific service.

(h) A person currently enrolled in a training program conducted by any of the Armed Forces of the United States leading to commissioned status, unless his application is approved and further training is recommended by an authorized official of the parent service conducting the training.

(i) A person who:

(1) Has or has held a commission in any of the Armed Forces of the United States.

(2) Holds a certificate of completion of a course leading to a commission in any of the Armed Forces of the United States, and the commission is to be granted at a later date.

(j) A person who is undergoing board action directed toward resolving information indicating the applicant possesses undesirable personal qualities, or a person concerning whom a personnel security clearance has been denied or revoked.

(k) A person who has a record of conviction by any court-martial or civilian court, other than for a minor traffic violation, except that, if appropriate, a request for waiver of a minor offense

not considered prejudicial to the performance of duty as an officer may be considered in accordance with § 861.8. Punishment imposed under Article 15, Uniform Code of Military Justice, is non-judicial punishment and will not be considered conviction by court-martial. A general guide for determining whether an offense may be considered "minor" is contained in paragraph 128b, Manual for Courts-Martial, 1951. A waiver will not be granted for an offense that involves moral turpitude.

(l) A person who is a conscientious objector.

(m) A person whose entry into or retention in the Air Force may not be clearly consistent with the interest of national security.

(n) A Selective Service System registrant who has been ordered to report for active military service with any of the Armed Forces.

(o) Minor applicants (below age 21) without the written consent of either parent or guardian (DD Form 373, Consent, Declaration of Parent or Legal Guardian).

(p) An applicant who has failed to obtain the minimum qualifying score on the officer quality portion of the AFOQT is ineligible to reapply or be re-examined for 1 year from date of last written examination.

§ 861.8 Waivers of minor offenses.

(See § 861.7(k).)

A civilian applicant may submit a request for waiver of a minor offense to any USAF Recruiting Detachment. Each request for waiver will contain complete information regarding the offense and circumstances involved and will be considered on its own merits as substantiated by the following documents:

(a) Copy of court record if applicant has a record of conviction by any military or civilian court.

(b) Applicant's detailed statement concerning the offense and circumstances involved.

(c) Any additional documentary evidence substantiating the applicant's statement or justifying the request, such as statements from other persons, records of outstanding achievements, and awards.

§ 861.9 How to apply.

Application will be made on AF Form 56, in duplicate. The applicant's attention will be directed to item 24, AF Form 56, whereby he agrees that, on completion of the training course, he will accept an appointment as an officer, Reserve of the Air Force, in Career Reserve status. Further, he agrees to remain on extended active duty as a commissioned officer with a minimum 4-year active duty commitment unless sooner relieved by competent authority. He agrees to accept the current active duty commitment for the training undertaken after being commissioned. For a minor, such agreement will be signed with the consent of either parent or guardian (DD Form 373). An officer or non-commissioned officer assigned to the USAF Recruiting Service may verify the signatures on both copies

of the DD Form 373, however, the verifying official must be present when the form is signed by the applicant's parent or legal guardian. Each application will contain:

(a) Evidence of date of birth, which may be in the form of a birth certificate, an authenticated copy thereof, or other documentary evidence.

(b) Evidence of citizenship, if the applicant is not a citizen by birth, in the form of a certificate, signed by an officer, notary public, or other person authorized by law to administer oaths, giving the following information:

I certify that I have this date seen the original certificate of naturalization No. _____ (or certified copy of court order establishing citizenship) stating that _____

_____ was admitted to _____ (Full Name) United States citizenship by the _____ Court of _____

_____ (District or county) _____ on _____ (State) _____ (Date)

NOTE: Facsimiles or copies, photographs or otherwise, will not be made of naturalization certificates under any circumstances. (Such is a criminal offense under Act of June 25, 1948, 62 Stat. 767, 18 U.S.C. 1426(h).)

(c) An official transcript of college credits indicating the undergraduate or graduate degree awarded. A student enrolled in his senior year of college will provide a statement attesting to that fact, the date he is scheduled to graduate, and the degree to be awarded.

(d) Completed DD Form 98, Armed Forces Security Questionnaire. If, after proper instruction, the applicant fails to complete this form, or completes it with qualifications, or makes entries thereon which indicate that his appointment would not be clearly consistent with best interests of national security, his file will then be forwarded, together with the application, to Hq USAF, Washington 25, D.C., for action and decision.

(e) Completed DD Form 369, Police Records Check. An additional DD Form 369 will be required for the period between initial application and enlistment.

(f) A minimum of three character references, on DD Form 370, Request for Report from (Employer) (School) (Personal Reference), for all applicants from clergymen, past employers, or college officials such as the dean of the college.

§ 861.10 How clothing is provided.

Officer trainees selected from civilian status will be provided clothing under the clothing monetary allowance system.

§ 861.11 Preliminary processing.

(a) **All applicants.** Male applicants must indicate on the application form their preference for pilot, navigator, or other specialized training or for all three programs. Female applicants may apply for specialized training. If an applicant who has applied for all three programs is found disqualified for the training of his first choice, he will continue his processing to determine if he is qualified for his second or third choice. Applicants are required to undergo two phases of processing—preliminary and final qualifying examinations.

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(1) Preliminary processing is administered locally at an Air Force recruiting detachment for civilian applicants and at Air Force base of assignment for airmen. Preliminary processing procedures include:

(i) Completion of AF Form 56, in duplicate, by the applicant. The following statement will be entered in the Remarks Section of the AF Form 56, "I (will) (will not) accept flying training if selected for the Officer Training School. The service commitment for personnel selected for flying training has been explained to me." Applicant will be required to place his initials immediately following the statement.

(ii) A check to insure that applicant meets the eligibility requirements and has necessary supporting data, such as birth certificate and scholastic records.

(iii) An interview to counsel the applicant and to determine whether he should be considered for testing.

(iv) A notice to the applicant, if not recommended for testing, of the reasons for his disqualification.

(b) *Civilians.* A civilian applicant normally will apply at a USAF Recruiting Service Office, or in remote areas, at the nearest Air Force base.

§ 861.12 Air Force Academy and Aircrew Examining Centers (AFAAEC).

Each tentatively qualified male applicant referred to an AFAAEC for final processing will be given the AFOQT, a complete medical examination for flying, Class I, and such other examinations as may be directed by Headquarters USAF. A male applicant will be qualified in the highest physical category that he attains regardless of the training that he desires. In no instance will this be less than commissioning standards, and waivers for failure to meet these standards will not be granted. Female applicants will be given selected portions of the AFOQT and a medical examination for commission standards. Waivers for failure to meet the physical standards will not be granted. Applicants who have previously qualified on AFOQT will not be retested provided official record scores are available. The written examination will be given and scored before scheduling the medical examination. An applicant who fails to attain the minimum qualifying score on the officer quality portion of the AFOQT will not be processed further. A person will not be retested under any circumstances on the AFOQT before 1 year from the date he was last tested.

§ 861.13 Information furnished applicants.

(a) *Fully qualified applicant.* When an applicant has successfully completed all qualifying examinations, Lackland Military Training Center (OMS) will notify him in writing of his eligibility to compete for selection.

(1) *Changes affecting status of fully qualified applicants.* Fully qualified applicants need not take any further action regarding their applications unless requested to do so. However, Lackland Military Training Center (OMS) must be informed of any changes which affect an applicant, such as:

(i) Enlistment in the Regular Air Force or any of the other military services.

(ii) Change of address.

(iii) Modification of physical status which would be disqualifying for training.

(iv) Change of desire for training.

(v) Receipt of notification from the Selective Service System ordering him into the active military service of the United States.

(vi) Receipt of orders to enter the active military service by a fully qualified applicant who is a member of a Reserve Force of the United States other than the Air Force.

(b) *Selected applicant.* (1) A selected applicant is a fully qualified applicant who has written notification of his selection and assignment. Lackland Military Training Center (OMS) will notify the applicant of his selection. Acceptance in the program will be contingent on the civilian applicant's signed agreement to accept the training course for which he has been selected.

(2) The applicant will be considered by the selection board for a minimum of two classes. If he has been considered for one class and not selected, he will be notified that his application is being retained for further consideration. If the applicant is not selected, he will be notified of the nonselection and his personal documents will be returned. If eligible, a nonselected applicant may reapply 1 year from the date of his last application.

(3) A draft-eligible civilian applicant who subsequently is notified of his acceptance for officer training will not be furnished a draft deferment. If an applicant is ordered to report to active military service by the Selective Service System before he has received written notification of his selection, his application for officer training will be canceled.

(4) After notification of selection and class assignment, selected civilian applicants will be required to enlist in the Regular Air Force as E-1 (basic airman) for 2 years unless authorized under current enlistment directives to enlist in a higher grade. Upon enlisting, the selected applicant will be promoted to grade E-5 (staff sergeant).

(c) *Disqualified applicants.* Disqualified applicants will be advised as soon as possible of the reason for disqualification. An applicant who fails to attain the minimum qualifying score on the AFOQT will not be told the scores made on the tests, but only that he failed to attain the minimum qualifying score.

§ 861.14 Procedures for Reserve personnel.

Members of Air Reserve Forces, other than those assigned to Air Force Reserve units, and members of other services who are neither in nor alerted for active military service may apply for officer training and will be processed as civilian applicants in accordance with § 861.11 (b). Reservists other than Air Force Reservists must obtain a conditional release from the service in which they hold Reserve status. Air Force policy pertaining to enlistment of personnel of Reserve Forces will apply.

§ 861.15 Disqualified applicants.

(a) When an applicant is found disqualified for other than medical reasons, personal documents will be returned. Other documents will be destroyed.

(b) *Notifying disqualified applicants.* If an applicant is found disqualified for officer training during preliminary processing at recruiting agencies, he will be notified verbally of the reasons by the USAF Recruiting Detachment Commander or the Officer Selection Specialist. If the disqualification becomes apparent during the final processing phase at the examining center, he will be notified in writing, or verbally by the officer in charge of the AFAAEC. When civilian applicants are rejected by the Selection Board, the appropriate recruiting detachment will be furnished a copy of the letter of non-selection.

§ 861.16 Selection and assignment to training.

Fully qualified applicants will be selected for training by Lackland Military Training Center (OMS) who will furnish letters of acceptance and class assignments to fully qualified and selected applicants. Letters of acceptance will authorize selected applicants to enlist in the Regular Air Force for 2 years. After enlisting and being promoted to grade E-5 (staff sergeant), the selected applicant who has received class assignment instructions will be assigned to the Air Force OTS.

§ 861.17 Termination of training.

When the faculty board of an Air Force school determines that an officer trainee is no longer qualified to continue in his course of training, the commandant or Air Force supervisor, as applicable, will suspend the student from training. Upon final approval of the faculty board proceedings, the commandant will terminate the student's appointment as an officer trainee. In all instances, the faculty board proceedings will indicate whether the student is recommended for further training leading to a commission at a later date. The faculty board proceedings will give specific reasons for failure to recommend. At the time of elimination, responsible commanders will insure that the student is given a thorough and proper hearing and that all extenuating circumstances have been completely reviewed.

§ 861.18 Students relieved from training.

(a) *Grade.* For an officer trainee eliminated from training, the commandant will publish orders on the eliminated student as follows:

(1) *Civilians, to E-1 (airman basic).* Members of the ResAF processed as civilians will revert to the grades held before enlistment in the Air Force for the OTS Program.

(b) *Service credited.* Periods of service as an officer trainee will be credited as time spent in the airman grade held at time of appointment as an officer trainee and will be credited in computing the service remaining under the original contract.

(c) *Reassignment.* Eliminated or disqualified students, other than those dis-

charged or released from active duty in accordance with paragraph (d) of this section will be reassigned.

(d) *Separation from the Air Force.* (1) An eliminated trainee whose current enlistment is specifically for OTS will be afforded the opportunity to elect, in writing, to complete his enlistment contract on active duty or to be immediately separated. Should he elect to complete his enlistment contract on active duty, he will not again be permitted to request relief from active duty or discharge under this authority. Eliminated students who request release from active duty and who have a remaining military service obligation, will be transferred to the AFRes for the remainder of their military service obligation, and they will be initially assigned to the Ineligible Reserve Section, Air Reserve Records Center, Denver, Colorado. Personnel who become members of the AFRes are deferred or exempt from induction provided they meet participation requirements.

§ 861.19 Reinstatement of former students.

(a) *Academic deficiency.* Students eliminated from training because of academic deficiency will not be reinstated at a later date unless recommended for further officer training by the faculty board. At least 1 year must elapse from the date of termination of student status before reapplication.

(b) *Military deficiency.* Students eliminated from training because of military deficiency will not be reinstated.

(c) *Medical.* Students eliminated from training because of medical disqualification may reapply, if a later medical examination indicates that the previous disqualification has been corrected or no longer exists. However, the former student must meet all other requirements for appointment and must have been recommended for reinstatement by the eliminating authority.

(d) *Resignation.* A student who resigns from the training program will not be reinstated.

(e) *Emergency leave.* A student may be granted emergency leave under regulations issued by Lackland Military Training Center (OMS). In such instance, he will be held over for succeeding classes, if necessary. The length of time involved or the number of "hold-overs" granted any one student will be determined by Lackland Military Training Center (OMS).

§ 861.20 Appointment as an Officer, Reserve of the Air Force.

(a) *Tendering appointment.* A student who successfully completes the prescribed officer training course and who is mentally, morally, and physically qualified will be tendered appointment as second lieutenant, Reserve of the Air Force, for an indefinite term. Each graduate so appointed will be ordered into active military service as a career Reserve officer. He will serve for a minimum of 4 years from the date of graduation from officer training unless sooner relieved by orders of competent authority. In addition,

officers undergoing training after commissioning will incur active duty service commitments for training. Each graduate will be assigned direct to duty or will be given additional training appropriate to his qualifications and desires correlated with Air Force requirements. The type of training the graduate will pursue will be determined by Lackland Military Training Center (OMS) in accordance with quotas established by Headquarters USAF.

(b) *Review.* Before graduation, the faculty board of the school will review the qualifications of each student and will prepare for each one a report indicating that he is or is not mentally, morally, physically, and professionally qualified for appointment in the grade of second lieutenant, Reserve of the Air Force, with appropriate recommendations for appointment. The physical qualifications for appointment will be determined by using any medical examination sufficiently detailed for each determination, completed within 12 months immediately preceding the date of appointment as an officer, Reserve of the Air Force, unless re-examination is indicated because of a serious intervening illness or injury. If the recommendation is negative, appropriate elimination action will be initiated.

(c) *Graduates who decline to accept appointment.* A graduate who declines to accept an appointment as an officer Reserve of the Air Force, will be disposed of as an eliminated student. His appointment as an officer trainee, or status as an eliminated student, will be terminated as outlined in § 861.17 and he may be reassigned within the Air Force in accordance with § 861.18.

§ 861.21 Discharge.

When commissioned in accordance with § 861.20, student will be discharged from his airman status. The commandant will prepare a discharge certificate and report of acceptance of appointment as a commissioned officer. The discharge certificate and report of separation will not be delivered to the graduate until after the Oath of Office as a commissioned officer has been administered. The reason and authority for discharge will be entered on the report of separation.

§ 861.22 Assignment of graduates.

(a) The Commander, ATC, will assign graduates to pilot and navigator training in accordance with existing criteria. Graduates who will enter technical training schools or who will be assigned direct to duty will be assigned by ATC in consonance with instructions provided by Headquarters USAF.

(b) Graduates of flying training or technical training schools will incur the active duty service commitment for the type of training received with a minimum of 4 years' active duty. Officers desiring release must request release from extended active duty in accordance with existing directives.

(c) Graduates who are assigned direct to duty will incur a directed duty in the

occupational field containing the AFS in which initially assigned.

R. J. PUGH,
Colonel, U.S. Air Force, Deputy
Director of Administrative
Services.

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Title 43—PUBLIC LANDS: INTERIOR

Chapter I—Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior

APPENDIX—PUBLIC LAND ORDERS

[Public Land Order 2272]

[Anchorage 052775]

ALASKA

Partly Revoking Executive Order 1919½ of April 21, 1914, Executive Order No. 7448 of September 12, 1936, and Executive Order No. 8102 of April 29, 1939

By virtue of the authority vested in the President by section 1 of the act of June 25, 1910 (36 Stat. 847; 43 U.S.C. 141) and section 1 of the act of March 12, 1914 (38 Stat. 305; 48 U.S.C. 303) and otherwise, and pursuant to Executive Order No. 10355 of May 26, 1952, it is ordered as follows:

Executive Order No. 1919½ of April 21, 1914, reserving certain lands in Alaska for townsite purposes; Executive Order No. 7448 of September 12, 1936, and Executive Order No. 8102 of April 29, 1939, reserving lands for use of the War Department, are hereby revoked so far as they affect the following-described lands:

SEWARD MERIDIAN

T. 13 N., R. 3 W.,

Commencing at the ¼ corner common to Sections 6 & 7, thence East 822.37 feet to Corner No. 1; thence S. 0°08' E., 878.36 feet; S. 30°43'41" W., 1005.02 feet; S. 81°49'38" W., 309.87 feet; N. 0°08' W., 1786.34 feet to the point of beginning.

Containing approximately 27.94 acres.
2. Until 10:00 a.m. on May 25, 1961, the State of Alaska shall have a preferred right to select the lands in accordance with and subject to the limitations and requirements of the act of July 28, 1956 (70 Stat. 709; 48 U.S.C. 46-3b) and section 6(g) of the Alaska Statehood Act of July 7, 1958 (72 Stat. 339), and the regulations in 43 CFR 76.1-76.18. Thereafter the lands will not be subject to disposition under the public land laws unless and until it is so provided by order of an authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management.

JOHN A. CARVER, Jr.,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

FEBRUARY 23, 1961.

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

[Public Land Order 2273]

ALASKA

Revoking Certain Withdrawals for Indian School and Hospital Purposes

By virtue of the authority vested in the President and pursuant to Executive Order No. 10355 of May 26, 1952, and as Secretary of the Interior it is ordered as follows:

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1. The Executive Order of May 4, 1907, so far as it reserved not to exceed forty acres of public land at Fort Yukon for educational purposes pending survey and segregation, is hereby revoked. The lands have not been surveyed or segregated.

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2. The departmental order of May 10, 1940, reserving a tract of land containing 4.71 acres in the Saxman Indian Village, Alaska, for hospital purposes, is hereby revoked. The lands are subject to disposition only under laws relating to Indian townships in Alaska.

JOHN A. CARVER, JR.,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

FEBRUARY 24, 1961.

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[Public Land Order 2274]

[Juneau 011210]

ALASKA

Withdrawing Land for Use of the Forest Service as an Administrative Site and Public Campground

By virtue of the authority vested in the President and pursuant to Executive Order No. 10355 of May 26, 1952, it is ordered as follows:

Subject to valid existing rights, the following-described public lands in Alaska are hereby withdrawn from all forms of appropriation under the public land laws, including the mining but not the mineral-leasing laws nor disposals of materials under the act of July 31, 1947 (61 Stat. 681; 30 U.S.C. 601-604), as amended, and reserved for use of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, as an administrative site and public campground:

SITKA VICINITY

Lot 5A of U.S. Survey 2748 and a small unsurveyed parcel described as follows:

Beginning at Corner No. 4 of Lot 10 of U.S.S. 2418; thence S. 60°00' W., 1.11 chains to line of mean high tide of Sitka Sound; Northwestward, along the mean high tide line to Corner No. 1 of U.S. Survey 2748; N. 56°46' E., 0.77 chains to Corner No. 2 of U.S.S. 2748; S. 73°41' E., 1.544 chains to point of beginning.

The area described totals 1.86 acres.

JOHN A. CARVER, JR.,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

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[Public Land Order 2275]

[Anchorage 049949]

ALASKA

Reserving Lands for Use of the Public Health Service as an Addition to the Arctic Health Research Center. Revoking Public Land Orders No. 855 and No. 1671

By virtue of the authority vested in the President by section 1 of the act of March 12, 1914 (38 Stat. 305, 307; 48 U.S.C. 303), and otherwise, and pursuant to Executive Order No. 10355 of May 26, 1952, it is ordered as follows:

1. Subject to valid existing rights, the following-described public lands are hereby withdrawn from sale or other disposal, and reserved for use of the Public Health Service, Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, as an addition to the Arctic Health Research Center:

EAST ADDITION TO ANCHORAGE TOWNSITE

U.S. Survey No. 408 (amended plat), Block 32-C.

Containing 2.06 acres.

2. Public Land Order No. 855 of July 17, 1952, which reserved the lands described in paragraph 1 hereof for use of the Department of the Army in connection with the activities of the Alaska National Guard, is hereby revoked.

3. Public Land Order No. 1671 of June 27, 1958, which reserved the following-described lands for the purposes recited in paragraph 1 of this order, is hereby revoked:

ANCHORAGE AREA

U.S. Survey No. 408, East Addition—Original Townsite, Block 31-B, lots 1 to 8, incl.

Containing 1.43 acres.

The lands are withdrawn by Executive Order No. 2242 of August 31, 1915, for townsite purposes.

JOHN A. CARVER, JR.,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

FEBRUARY 24, 1961.

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[Public Land Order 2276]

[Sacramento 058168]

CALIFORNIA

Withdrawing Lands for Reclamation Purposes (Central Valley Project)

By virtue of the authority contained in section 3 of the act of June 17, 1902 (32 Stat. 388; 43 U.S.C. 416), it is ordered as follows:

Subject to valid existing rights, the following described public lands are hereby withdrawn from all forms of appropriation under the public land laws, including the mining but not the mineral leasing laws, and reserved for use of the Bureau of Reclamation in connection with those reserved by Public Land Order No. 2225 of December 16, 1960, for the Auburn Dam and Reservoir Project,

American River Division, Central Valley Project:

MOUNT DIABLO MERIDIAN

T. 13 N., R. 10 E.,
Sec. 30, lot 11.

Containing 36.36 acres.

JOHN A. CARVER, JR.,
Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

FEBRUARY 24, 1961.

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[Public Land Order 2277]

[Oregon 010213]

OREGON

Order Providing for Opening of Public Lands (Power Project No. 1585)

1. The Federal Power Commission, in an order issued April 28, 1959, vacated the withdrawal created pursuant to the filing, on May 5, 1939, of an application for a license for Project No. 1585, pertaining to the following-described lands:

WILLAMETTE MERIDIAN

All portions of the following subdivisions lying within 20 feet of the center line of the survey embracing the ditch, flumes, pipe lines, power house, and transmission line locations, all as shown on a map designated Exhibit "F" and entitled "Map to Accompany Power Application Cal-Ore Mining & Development Co., Josephine County, Oregon, Township 25 South, Range 8 West, W.M.", and filed in the office of the Federal Power Commission on May 5, 1939:

T. 35 S., R. 8 W.,
Sec. 2, lot 2, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 3, E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$;
Sec. 10, lot 1, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$.

The areas described contain 10.45 acres.

2. The lands in section 10, are national forest lands in the Siskiyou National Forest. The remainder are re-vested Oregon and California Railroad grant lands, of which lot 2, section 2, is withdrawn for power purposes in Power Site Classification No. 143, Oregon No. 10, of May 8, 1926.

3. Until 10:00 a.m., on May 26, 1961, the lands shall be open only to application by the State of Oregon for the reservation to it or to any of its political subdivisions, under any statute or regulation applicable thereto, of any lands required as a right-of-way for a public highway, or as a source of materials for the construction and maintenance of such highways, in accordance with the provisions of section 24 of the Federal Power Act, as amended.

4. Commencing at 10:00 a.m., on May 26, 1961, the lands shall be open to such other forms of disposition as may by law be made of national forest and re-vested Oregon and California Railroad grant lands, subject to valid existing rights and to the provisions of existing withdrawals.

Inquiries concerning the lands should be addressed to the Manager, Land Office,