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SQUADRON ORDER 6260.2D

- From: Commanding Officer To: Distribution List
- Subj: Hearing Conservation Program
- Ref: (a) WgO P5100.1I (b) AS(H) 6260.2B
- Encl: (1) Areas and equipment at MCAS (H) New River that are recognized as a "noise hazard".
 - (2) Areas and equipment on naval ships that are recognized as a "noise hazard".

1. <u>Purpose</u>. In accordance with instructions contained in references (a) and (b) this order assigns responsibilities and provides instructions for the implementation of an effective hearing conservation program in this Squadron.

2. Cancellation. Sqdn0 6260.2C

3. <u>Background</u>. This order applies to military and civilian personnel working in areas and operations where hearing hazards exist.

4. Action.

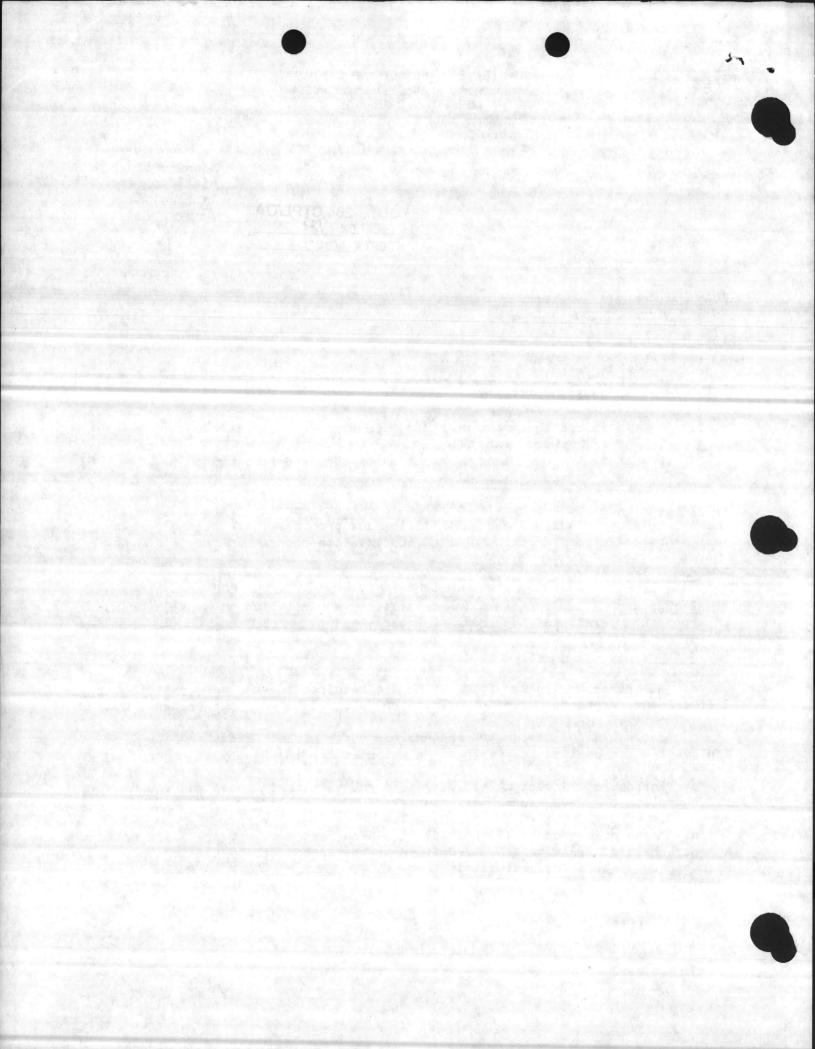
a. All personnel on the flight line are required to wear ear protection. All personnel exposed to gunfire noises are required to wear ear protection.

b. Enclosure (1) designates recognized "noise hazard" areas and the equipment which applies to the Squadron while at MCAS(H) New River.

c. Enclosure (2) designates recognized "noise hazard" areas and equipment which applies to the Squadron while embarked.

d. Based on enclosure (1) and (2), squadron personnel who are employed in a "noise hazard" area, will be identified by the Ground Safety Officer and Maintenance Control for audiometric testing.





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e. Department heads shall monitor the wearing of ear plugs, sound attenuators, and cranial helmets by personnel assigned to and working in designated "noise hazard" areas or operations.

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f. Sound attenuators, cranial helmets, and foam ear plugs are available from flight equipment. Fitted ear plugs are available from the Medical Department.

g. Department heads are responsible for identifying "noise hazard" areas that are within their department.

h. Department heads are responsible for proper protection of their personnel working in "noise hazard" areas.

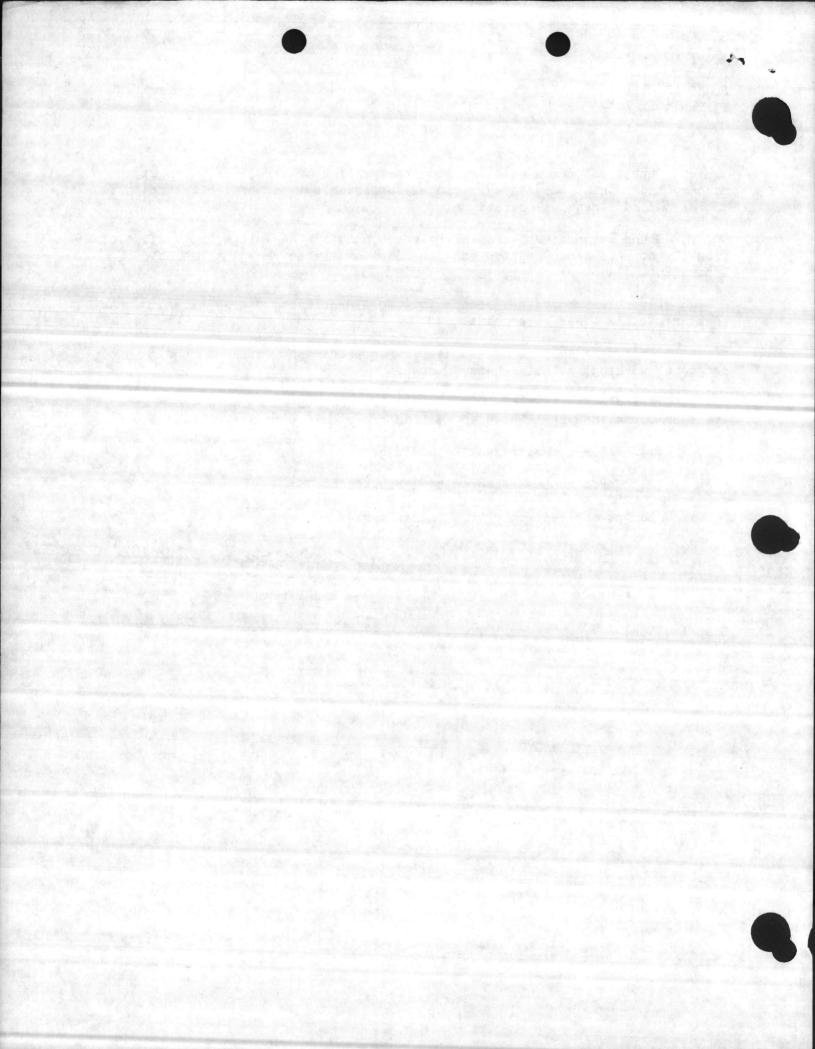
i. Periodic Examinations. Personnel assigned to work in "noise hazard" areas or operations shall have an audiometric examination as follows:

- (1) Prior to assignment in a designated "noise hazard" area.
- (2) Three months after initial assignment.
- (3) At one year intervals thereafter.

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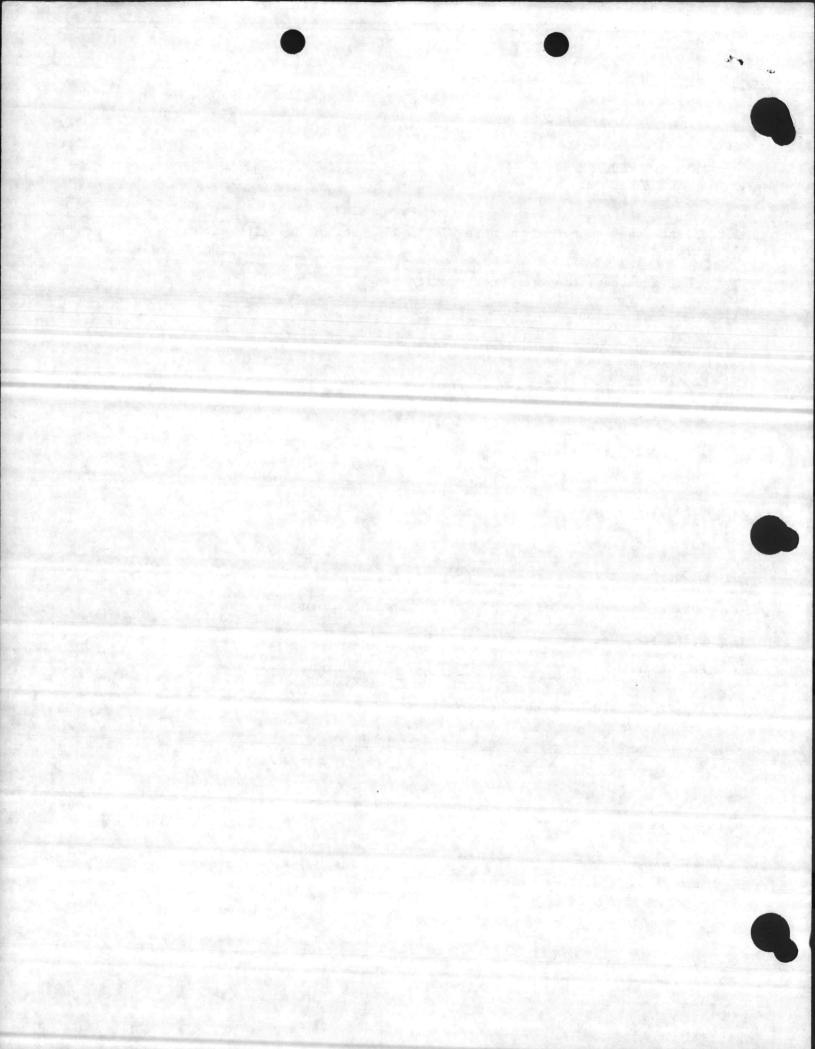
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1.

AREAS AND EQUIPMENT AT MCAS(H) NEW RIVER THAT ARE RECOGNIZED AS A "NOISE HAZARD."

- 1. Flight line and refueling area within 100 feet of any aircraft turning up.
- 2. Small arms qualification and practice range.
- 3. Mobile generator NC-5
- 4. Power supply unit (generator)
- 5. Mobile test tank T-76
- 6. Fiberglass heating gun.
- 7. Pneumatic wrench
- 8. Pneumatic grinding or chipping
- 9. Pneumatic swagger
- 10. Pneumatic hammer
- 11. Rivet gun
- 12. Inside hanger anytime mobile test equipment running
- 13. Hydraulic test machine
- 14. Squadron metal shop employing any of the above equipment
- 15. Inside any aircraft turning up
- 16. Immediate vicinity of an aircraft running an APP

ENCLOSURE (1)



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AREAS AND EQUIPMENT ON NAVAL SHIPS THAT ARE RECOGNIZED AS A "NOISE HAZARD."

- 1. Flight decks at anytime aircraft are turning up
- 2. Engine test stands in operation
- 3. · Mobile generator NC-5
- 4. Power supply unit (generator)
- 5. Mobile test tank T-76
- 6. Woodworking planer, saws, and joiners
- 7. Fiberglass heating gun
- 8. Pneumatic swagger
- 9. Pneumatic wrench
- D. Pneumatic grinding or chipping
- 11. Pneumatic hammer
- 12. Pneumatic shrinking or stretching machine
- 13. Rivet gun
- 14. Sandblasting, seedblasting, or vapor blasting
- 15. Hydraulic test machine
- 16. Ship's carpenter shop
- 17. AIMD metal shop employing any of the above equipment
- 18. Ship's welding shop
- 19. 0-4 and 0-5 level of an LPH/LHA during flight operations
- 20. Immediate vicinity of an aircraft running an APP
- 21. Inside any aircraft turning up
- 22. Ship's engine room

ENCLOSURE (2)

