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POLICY LETTER FOR ALL SQUADRON COMMANDERS

FROM: Louisiana Wing/CC

SUBJECT: Policy Letter 2007-010 Wearing of LA Wing Patch and Squadron Distinctive Patches

1. On March 15, 2006, Maj Gen Pineda issued a policy letter regarding changes to CAPM 39-1. The following excerpt refers to the wearing of wing patches:

"Removal of Wing/Region/National Patch. The Wing/Region/National patch is no longer worn on the AF-style light blue shirt/blouse or any AF-style blue outer garment (light weight jacket, pullover sweater, all weather coat, etc.) Wing/Region/National patches are now optional on BDUs, flight suits, CAP field and utility uniforms. These patches must be removed from blue AF-style garments by 1 August 2006."

- 2. In accordance with this change, members are directed to immediately remove Louisiana Wing patches from all USAF style blue shirts, service coats, sweaters, and other outer garments. Although the wing patch is allowed as an optional item on the BDUs, utility and field uniforms, and flight suits, Louisiana wing members will not wear the wing patch on any of these uniforms. Members are directed to remove the Louisiana wing patch from these uniforms no later than June 1, 2007.
- 3. Squadron distinctive patches are authorized to be worn on all flight suits and BDUs, and field and utility uniforms. Squadron patches are to be worn centered on the right breast pocket of the BDUs, and field and utility uniforms and in the "optional" patch position on the flight suit which is centered on the right breast pocket below the pocket zipper. Only the CAP MAJCOM patch is to be worn on the right breast above the pocket zipper line.

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