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MEMORANDUM FOR 437TH & 628TH WING PERSONNEL

FROM: 437TH AW/CC & 628TH ABW/CC

SUBJECT: Rescission of Local Leave Area Definition Memorandums

1. On 22 May 2020, The Secretary of Defense issued a memorandum entitled *Transition to Conditions-based Phased Approach to Coronavirus Disease 2019 Personnel Movement and Travel Restrictions*. In accordance with AFI 36-3003, *Military Leave Program*, paragraph 4.1.1.7, on 20 May 2020 and again on 18 June 2020, Commanders of the 437th AW and 628th ABW issued joint memorandums defining the local leave areas for the purposes of COVID-19 leave restrictions.
2. On 29 June 2020, The Secretary of Defense issued a memorandum entitled *Exemption of Authorized Leave for Department of Defense Service Members from Coronavirus Disease 2019 Personnel Movement and Travel Restrictions*, permitting unit commanders to approve leave outside of the local area. Accordingly, this memorandum now rescinds all previous local leave area definition memorandums. All leave, including local leave, shall be coordinated and approved at the commander level in accordance with the Joint Travel Regulations (JTR), AFI 36-3003, and subordinate command policies.
3. Our point of contact is Maj Nicholas Cooper, 628 ABW/JA, 843-963-5502.

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