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1. References:

- a. 5 U.S. Code § 552a.
- b. Department of Defense (DoD) System of Record Notice, N05520-6 DoD, Law Enforcement Defense Data Exchange, 6 May 2010, 75 FR 24931.
- c. DoD Instruction 1325.02 (Desertion and Unauthorized Absence (UA)), 16 November 2012.
 - d. Army Regulation (AR) 25-1 (Army Information Technology), 25 June 2013.
 - e. AR 190-45 (Army Law Enforcement Reporting), 30 March 2007.
 - f. AR 360-1 (The Army Public Affairs Program), 25 May 2011.
- g. National Crime Information Center (NCIC) 2000 Operating Manual, 30 July 2013, Federal Bureau of Investigation Criminal Justice Information Services.
- 2. This directive authorizes the establishment of a publicly accessible Web site offering information about the Army's Wanted Fugitives. For the purposes of this directive, Army "Wanted Fugitives" are defined as Soldiers in Title 10 status, who:
- a. without authority go or remain absent from their unit, organization or place of duty with the intent to remain away permanently; and
- b. are wanted for alleged commission or convictions for violation of offenses that aggravate desertion, as listed in enclosure 3, paragraph 4c of reference 1c; and
 - c. have warrants for their apprehension posted in the NCIC database.
- 3. The Provost Marshal General will establish a publicly accessible Web site that publishes the name, aliases, age, date of birth, height, weight, race, hair color, eye color, physical identifiers (such as descriptions of tattoos), photographs and occupational/vocational skills of fugitives. The site will also include brief descriptions of the alleged offenses and/or convictions the Army wants the fugitives for and contact

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information for the Army law enforcement or civilian investigative agency leading the investigation.

- 4. The Web site will not contain personally identifiable information related to victims, witnesses and Family members, or the wanted individuals' Social Security number and last known address.
- 5. The Office of the Provost Marshal General will monitor compliance with the guidance in this directive and ensure the continuous review and validation of the data on Army fugitives before it is posted to the site. Additionally, the office will ensure that site operators comply with the guidance in references 1d and 1f concerning External Official Presence sites, including conduct of a quarterly operational security review.
- 6. The Provost Marshal General is the proponent for this policy and will incorporate the provisions of this directive into the next revision of reference 1e. This directive is rescinded upon publication of the revised regulation.

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