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MEMORANDUM FOR COLORADO ARMY NATIONAL GUARD (COARNG)

SUBJECT: Motorcycle Safety Training

1. Effective 20 May 2018, this memorandum supersedes all COARNG Motorcycle Safety Training memorandums.
2. In accordance with (IAW) the DODI 6055.04 Department of Defense Traffic Safety Training Program (DoDTSP) and AR 385-10 the Army Safety Program, paragraph 11-9b, all Soldiers who ride motorcycles shall complete a Motorcycle Safety Foundation (MSF) approved Basic Rider Course (BRC). Based on the type motorcycle(s) owned and operated, Soldiers complete either Experienced Rider Course (ERC)/BRC-II or Advanced Riders (ARC) Course within 12 months of completing the BRC. Motorcycle sustainment training is required within five years of completing an ERC/BRC-II or ARC training. Please coordinate with the POC listed below for clarification on the type of motorcycle training required.
3. IAW the DoDTSP, no full time COARNG will be charged leave to attend the BRC. MDAY Soldiers shall obtain permission from their commander to attend the BRC during drill, however, no additional travel or meals will be paid. MDAY Soldiers may receive retirement points without pay for attending motorcycle training.
4. Authorized Dependents (ID Card) may also attend the BRC and follow on MSF courses when funds are available by coordinating prior with the State Safety & Occupational Health (SOH) Office.
5. Signing Up For Class - Motorcycle Training Locations:
 - a. This link connects to a localized list of Motorcycle Safety Foundation (MSF) authorized schools and locations in Colorado, by zip code entry: <https://www.msf-usa.org/>
 - b. Most locations offer courses free of charge to COARNG Soldiers, but coordination must be made with the SOH Office prior to attending for billing purposes.
 - c. COARNG members on orders over 90 days (AGR, ADSW, etc) are funded by the National Guard Bureau (NGB), and may attend the BRC held on Fort Carson or Buckley Air Force Base at no charge. Contact the SOH Office for further information.

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6. Upon completion of the Basic Rider Course, contact the POC below and provide a copy of your Basic Rider Card.
7. To cancel a class after enrolling:
 - a. Call the school directly and coordinate cancellation or rescheduling.
 - b. You will be considered a No Show if you do not call and cancel or reschedule.
 - c. No Shows will be charged for their missed course, and required to attend motorcycle safety training at their own expense, and their chain of command will be notified.
8. Point of contact for this memorandum is SGT Robert Arthur at robert.j.arthur20.mil@mail.mil.

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