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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

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MEMORANDUM FOR All Personnel Assigned or Attached to U.S. Army
Cadet Command

SUBJECT: Policy Memorandum 12 - Prevention of Sexual Assault and
Treatment of Victims

1. Reference memorandum, HQ TRADOC, 26 April 2004, subject:
Commander's Statement on Prevention of Sexual Assault and
Treatment of Victims.

2. Policy.

a. Sexual assault is a violation of Army core values and standards and constitutes a criminal act. All offenses of sexual assault must be reported to the Criminal Investigation Command (military and DA Civilians) and local law enforcement (cadets and other civilians). Leaders will take an active role in eradicating sexual assault in the Army. The chain of command will provide a safe and secure environment to ensure victims know their concerns are being addressed while protecting the rights of the accused.

b. Sexual assault is defined as any behavior of a sexual nature performed against another person against their will. Prevention of sexual assault and responsiveness to victims requires an integrated effort by Commanders at all levels and cooperation between all agencies. This effort is everyone's responsibility.

3. Commanders and supervisors will post a copy of this memorandum on the unit/workplace bulletin board and other locations deemed appropriate and conduct annual training on Prevention of Sexual Assault and Treatment of Victims.

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