BOARDs, COMMISSIoNS, AND COMMITTEES

GENERAL STAFF

1.0 General

The Governor will appoint a General Staff which will be an advisory board to the Governor and to The Adjutant General in all military and disaster preparedness affairs of the state. This procedure was established by the General Staff meeting on 8 July 1978 and approved by the Governor on 11 August 1978.

2.0 Membership

The General Staff will consist of The Adjutant General and four active commissioned officers of the National Guard, two each from the Army and Air National Guard above the grade of Captain. The Adjutant General will be the chairman of the General Staff.

3.0 Term of Appointment

The term of each member will be four years except for The Adjutant General. The initial appointments shall be for one National Guard officer, one year; one National Guard officer, two years; one National Guard officer, three years; and one National Guard officer four years; term to expire on 31 January each year. Upon expiration of the term of a member, a successor shall be appointed for a full term of four years. Appointment to fill a vacancy resulting other than from expiration of term, shall be for the unexpired portion of the term only.

4.0 Duties

Duties of the General Staff will include, but not be limited to:

a. Formulate the programs and policies of the National Guard.

b. Make recommendations to the Governor pertaining to the addition, deletion and organization of National Guard units.

This regulation supersedes DEMA Regulation 12-21-1, 15 Feb 86.
c. Make recommendations to The Adjutant General pertaining stationing of National Guard Units.

d. Make recommendations to The Adjutant General pertaining to the organization and functions of disaster preparedness.

e. Approve regulations for the use of National Guard facilities.

f. Approve and authorize the issue of awards and decorations through The Adjutant General.

The proponent of this Regulation is the office of The Adjutant General. Users are invited to send comments and suggested improvements to OTAG, AZ, ATTN: DEMA-RM, 5636 East McDowell Road, Phoenix, Arizona 85008-3495.

BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR:

[Signature]

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

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