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Directorate of Public Works

HUNTING AND FISHING REGULATIONS

<u>Summary</u>. This regulation outlines rules governing hunting and fishing activities at the Pine Bluff Arsenal, Arkansas.

<u>Applicability</u>. All individuals permitted to hunt, fish, or participate in outdoor recreational activities on the installation will comply with this regulation.

<u>Proponent and Exception Authority</u>. The proponent of this regulation is the Director of Public Works (DPW).

<u>Suggested Improvements</u>. Send comments and suggested improvements on a DA Form 2028 (Recommended Changes to Publications and Blank Forms) or a written letter through channels to Department of the Army, Pine Bluff Arsenal, Attn: JMPB-PW, Natural Resource Management, 10020 Kabrich Circle, Pine Bluff, AR 71602-9500 or email to usarmy.pinebluff.usamc.list.nrm@mail.mil.

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- 1. <u>Purpose</u>. This regulation sets forth policies and procedures that govern hunting, fishing, and other recreational activities such as off-road vehicles, and boating.
- 2. <u>References</u>. A list of required and related publications and prescribed and referenced forms are in Appendix C.
- 3. <u>General Introduction</u>. The Installation Commander intends to maximize hunting and fishing opportunities on the PBA consistent with mission requirements, sound environmental and natural resources management practices, and the PBA Integrated Natural Resources Management Plan. Hunting, fishing, and other outdoor recreation activities are permitted when consistent with the military mission and no safety hazard is created. Be aware that the PBA Regulations may be more restrictive than the Arkansas State Hunting and Fishing Regulations.
- 4. Natural Resource Office (DPW).
- a. Manages fish and wildlife resources consistent with governing laws, regulations, and the Pine Bluff Integrated Natural Resources Management Plan as amended by the Sikes Act, 1997.
 - b. Sell and Issue Natural Resource Permits and Identification Cards.
- c. Ensure that only those individuals entitled to hunt and fish on the installation are issued permits.
 - d. Operates and Maintains the PBA Game Check Station Building 24-570.
- e. Develops policies and determines the direction of the wildlife program and is the proponent of this regulation.
 - f. Coordinates the funding and implementation of the wildlife program.
 - g. Supervises and manages the wildlife program.
 - h. Develops and updates PBA Hunting and Fishing Maps on an annual basis.

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- i. Acts as the Hearing Officer to conduct administrative appeals of suspensions or revocations of hunting and fishing privileges.
- j. Receives comments, suggestions, and concerns from soldiers and other personnel authorized to hunt and fish on the PBA and represents their interests to improve hunting and fishing on the installation.
- k. Maximizes (IAW CG intent) the opportunities for hunting and fishing on the PBA consistent with training requirements, safety, and governing laws, regulations, and the Pine Bluff Integrated Natural Resources Management Plan.
- I. Annually reviews and provides the installation Commander, with proposed changes to Army Regulation 200-1, Environmental Protection and Enhancement.
 - m. Conduct safety briefings for hunting.
- n. All hunting incidents are to be reported to local Chain of Command for reporting to higher Headquarters.
- 5. Director of Emergency Services (DES).
 - a. Enforces the provisions of this regulation.
 - b. DES will be the proponent for law enforcement reporting IAW AR 190-45.
- c. Reports violations of this regulation to the Permit Issuing Agency and the Hearing Officer (Natural Resource Specialist).
 - d. Maintains records of sportsmen involved in hunting and fishing violations.
- e. Conduct Antiterrorism/Force Protection Background Checks and HSPD12 requirements.
 - f. Registering sportsmen's weapons.

6. Sportsmen and Recreational Users.

- a. Understand and comply with all laws, policies, and regulations concerning recreational activities and authorized activities, including those related to personal weapons and hunting and fishing on the installation.
- b. The PBA and the state of Arkansas honor the home state hunter education cards of nonresidents. This includes hunter education courses certified or mandated by any state wildlife agency or Canadian province.
 - c. Hunter's 18 years of age and older must obtain the following to hunt on PBA:
 - (1) Driver's license or other picture ID.
 - (2) Hunter Safety Card (Including those born before Dec 1969).
 - (3) Valid Arkansas Hunting License.
 - (4) PBA Weapons Registration certificate.
 - (5) Natural Resource picture Identification Card / Permit.
- d. Any civilian or Family member under the age of 18 is prohibited from the use of firearms, unless accompanied and supervised by a parent or legal guardian over the age of 18. Hunter's 16 and 17 years of age must obtain the following to hunt on PBA:
 - (1) Driver's license / picture ID.
 - (2) Hunter Safety Card.
 - (3) Valid Arkansas Hunting License.
- (4) Natural Resource picture Identification Card (for installation access purposes only).
 - e. Report hunting and fishing violations to the DES Security Desk (540-3501).
- f. Immediately report findings of uncovered munitions to the Consolidated Dispatch and Monitoring Center (540-3501 or 540-3505).

g. Recommend changes to the Natural Resource Specialist in accordance with "Suggested Improvements" section to improve the management of hunting and fishing on the PBA. (Call or email suggestion to: 540-3257 / usarmy.pinebluff.usamc.list.nrm@mail.mil).

7. General Restrictions.

- a. The PBA Hunting and Fishing Map is used to control recreational use of training areas, including hunting and fishing activities. Sportsmen will familiarize themselves with the most recent Hunting and Fishing Map prior to hunting or fishing. Hunting may be closed or curtailed without advance notification, as deemed necessary by the Installation Commander. The Installation Commander will determine the appropriate action to be taken IAW AR 190-11. This action may include the immediate evacuation of all hunters from the PBA, or the exclusion of a particular group of participants as necessitated by safety and/or security concerns.
- b. Hunters shall adhere to the policies contained in PBAR 190-3(F) related to the possession, registration; transport, use, and discharge of firearms (see paragraphs 5-5 and 5-6 below).
- c. Hunting and fishing is prohibited in areas and facilities posted as "no hunting or fishing".
- d. PBA Security and other authorized personnel may search or inspect vehicles entering, traveling through, occupying, or exiting hunting and fishing areas, training areas, and all other areas on the installation.
 - e. Littering or dumping on the PBA is prohibited.

8. Personnel Authorized to Hunt and Fish on the PBA.

- a. The following personnel are authorized to hunt and fish on the PBA when Force Protection Condition Code is Normal, Alpha and Bravo:
 - (1) United States Armed Forces active duty personnel.
 - (2) United States Armed Forces active duty dependents.

- (3) United States Armed Forces retired personnel.
- (4) Current Civilian Employee personnel.
- (5) Current Civilian Employee dependents.
- (6) Retired Civilian personnel.
- (7) Multi-Year Contract personnel.
- (8) Multi-Year contract dependents.
- (9) National Guard/Reserve personnel.
- (10) National Guard/Reserve dependents.
- (11) General Public Community.
- b. The PBA will be closed to hunting and fishing when Force Protection Condition Code is Charlie and Delta.
- c. Participants who are listed in paragraphs 3-2 (a-f) must pass an Antiterrorism/ Force Protection background check to hunt or fish on the PBA. An Antiterrorism/Force Protection background form is enclosed as Appendix F. Participants who wish to hunt on PBA must complete this form and submit to the Natural Resource Office to initiate the background check. Applicants must print their names clearly/legibly on the AT/FP Background Check Form.
- 9. <u>General Check-In and Out Procedures</u>. The Game Check Station, building 24-560, located south of Plainview Gate, will be open during all approved hunting seasons. PBA hunting seasons will conform to the published Arkansas Game and Fish commission regulations for Deer Zone 12 unless otherwise instructed during hunters safety briefings. All hunters must check-in and check-out at the Game Check Station using software program that is available at the Game Check Station. If an area has been closed to hunting it will be recorded as such at the Game Check Station.

10. Authorized Hunting Areas.

a. PBA Hunting and Fishing Map. The updated PBA Hunting and Fishing Map is ELECTRONICALLY CONTROLLED – PRINTED FOR INFORMATION ONLY

located above computers at the Game Check Station Bldg 24-560. This map supersedes all previous editions.

- b. Hunting Compartments (Appendix A). Hunting/fishing compartments on PBA are divided and listed as alphanumeric designations.
 - (1) RED SHADED– Areas shaded in Red are closed for all hunting.
- (2) RED NUMBEREDAREAS— Areas open for hunting. Acceptable weapons in these areas are archery, shotgun, and muzzleloaders during approved seasons.
- (3) WHITE NUMBERED AREAS- Areas open for hunting. Acceptable weapons in these areas are ARCHERY ONLY (long bows, recurve bows, compound bows, and crossbows).
- (4) Arkansas River and Named Ponds Areas open for hunting/fishing. The Arkansas River, Yellow Lake, the River Slough adjacent to the river and the back water adjacent to buckshot pit are the ONLY AREAS authorized for waterfowl hunting. On a first come first serve basis Hunters must check into the location that they desire to hunt/fish.
 - c. Hunting areas may be closed at any time per mission requirements.
 - d. Some areas may be closed to foot traffic only.
 - e. Hunting, fishing, and/or parking in designated restrictive areas are prohibited.
- 11. Check-in, check-out and Report Harvest Procedure.
 - a. Review the PBA Hunting and Fishing Map and identify the area you will hunt.
- b. Swipe appropriate Natural Resource ID Card under computer scanner and follow computer prompts requiring the Sportsman to select the area he/she will hunt/fish.
- c. The computer will print out a parking receipt identifying the area in which the Sportsman has selected. This parking receipt is to be place on the front dash of the Sportsman's vehicle. If two or more sportsmen carpool to the hunting/fishing area, all hunters in the vehicle will place their parking receipt on front dash of the vehicle the hunters are in.

- d. If a sportsman changes hunting/fishing areas he/she must return to Game Check Station check-out of original hunting area and check-in to new hunting area.
- e. All Hunters must check-out from Game Check Station software system when leaving a hunting area.
- f. Hunters checking into a hunting area will indicate whether they will be installing an elevated stand. Upon check-out of the hunting area hunters will indicate whether they left the stand in place. Hunting privileges will be revoked if stands are not removed by December 31st.

12. Motorized Land Vehicles.

- a. All vehicles accessing PBA must meet state applicable safety, licensing, insurance, and registration requirements.
- b. Privately owned motorized off-road vehicles (ORV) and all-terrain vehicles (ATV) of any type (two, three or four-wheel) are prohibited on PBA.
- c. Individuals shall not block roads or park a vehicle in a manner so as to prevent another vehicle from passing on either a maintained or unimproved road.
- 13. Boats. Boats may be used to fish on the PBA, subject to the following conditions:
- a. Privately owned motorboats must be registered and meet all requirements in accordance to the State of Arkansas.
 - b. A personal flotation device (PDF) is required for each passenger in the boat.
- c. This device must be U.S. Coast Guard approved and the appropriate size for the passengers.
- d. Any person operating any watercraft on the waters of the installation shall comply with the applicable Federal and Arkansas safety rules and regulations relative to boat equipment, operation, lights, and navigation rules.
- e. All lakes, ponds, rivers, and streams on the installation are off-limits to recreational swimming, water skiing, aquaplaning, and scuba diving.

14. <u>General Safety and Policy</u>. To avoid injuries and possible loss of life, hunting, fishing, and all other recreational activities must be accomplished in a safe and responsible manner. Many restrictions on hunting and fishing activities are based upon safety considerations. Anyone discovering or having knowledge of an accident or incident occurring on the installation will notify the DES Security Desk (540-3501).

15 Safety.

- a. Hunter Orange Requirements.
- (1) Hunter orange, chartreuse or blaze camouflage must be worn by all hunters during modern gun or muzzleloader deer season and meet requirements set by the State of Arkansas.
- (2) This requirement to wear hunters orange extends to all hunters including archery hunters during muzzleloader/modern gun (shotgun) seasons except when hunting waterfowl. Waterfowl hunters must wear the prescribed amount of hunter orange only when walking to or from a waterfowl hunting site.
- (3) Persons accompanying a hunter must meet the same hunter orange requirements as the hunter.
- (4) Hunters are not required to wear hunter orange when traveling in a vehicle or when on foot no more than twenty (20) feet from a vehicle.
- (5) While not required, turkey hunters are encouraged to wear hunter orange when changing locations in the field or when carrying a harvested turkey out of the field.
 - b. Hang-on Stands, Climbing Stand, or Climbing Aids.
- (1) The safe use and operation of elevated hunting stands is the sole responsibility of the user. Only commercial stands that are manufactured, certified, or tested to industry standards may be used. Elevated stand equipment must be used in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. Owners' identification must be clearly marked on elevated stand equipment. Homemade elevated stand equipment shall not be used.
- (2) Always use a fall-arrest system (FAS) that is manufactured to industry standards and includes a full body harness. Attach the FAS to the tree while at ground level, and keep it attached throughout the hunt-from the time you leave the ground until you get back down.

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16. Policies.

- a. Inspections. All individuals must have valid Arkansas state hunting or fishing licenses, PBA weapons registration certificate, Natural Resource picture identification card, PBA Natural Resource hunting or fishing permit, driver's license or other picture ID, and Hunters Safety Card. These documents must be made available, upon request, to any enforcement or Natural Resource Representative. Sportsmen will not leave their Hunting/Fishing Access Pass in a parked vehicle if they ride in another vehicle to a hunting area.
- b. Alcohol and drugs are not permitted. Sportsmen will not be intoxicated, possess alcohol on their person, or consume alcoholic beverages while hunting/fishing.
 - c. Game cameras on PBA are prohibited.
- d. It is unlawful to park within 50 feet of a boat ramp or in such a fashion that will impede others from either launching or retrieving their boat.
- e. Cultural Resources. Individuals may not disturb archeological sites on the PBA. The use or possession of metal detectors or any other device to locate or collect artifacts is prohibited.
 - f. Endangered and threatened species.
- (1) In accordance with AR 200-1, Environmental Protection and Enhancement, it is unlawful for any person subject to the jurisdiction of the U.S. to harass, harm, or capture any endangered species within the U.S.
- (2) The PBA is home to the American Alligator, classified as threatened by association. Sportsmen must be aware that it is a serious violation of federal law to infringe upon the habitat of an endangered or threatened species. Violators will be prosecuted in federal court. Hunters are urged to be sensitive to environmental concerns and ensure that their actions are consistent with good wildlife management practices. Sportsmen should report violations of this or any other regulation to DES Security Desk (540-3501).
- (3) All sportsmen in vehicles must keep a watchful eye for Gopher Tortoises and try to avoid them if they are encountered while crossing roadways.

17. Weapon Registration and Transport.

- a. All firearms and bows introduced, carried, used, or stored on PBA must be registered with Pass and Registration Office (bldg #17-130) annually.
 - b. All firearms shall be transported in the following manner:
 - (1) Unloaded and cased.
 - (2) Inaccessible to the driver and passengers within the vehicle.
 - (3) Ammunition shall not be in the same container as the firearm.
 - (4) Crossbows and bows shall be transported cased and un-cocked.
 - c. Prohibited Weapons
- (1) Center fire rifles, rim fire rifles, air rifles, and pistols are prohibited on the PBA. The only legal weapons for hunting are shotguns, muzzleloaders, and archery.
- (2) Individuals are not authorized to carry concealed firearms (licensed or unlicensed) on PBA.

18. General Hunting Regulations.

- a. Baiting is not allowed on the PBA with the exception of trapping.
- b. Vehicles must remain on primary (paved) and secondary roads (gravel) ONLY!
- c. Individuals will not remove, destroy, or mutilate the head of a deer until it is processed or delivered to a facility for storage and processing.
- d. It is unlawful to capture, take, or possess any game bird or animal for use as a pet. It is unlawful to release into the wild or import any wildlife without first coordinating with the Natural Resource Office, DPW, and obtaining a permit from the appropriate state agency. Individuals may use Falcons or other birds of prey on the PBA provided they comply with applicable Arkansas law.

- e. Waterfowl Hunting. Arkansas River, Yellow Lake, the River Slough adjacent to the river and the back water adjacent to buckshot pit are the ONLY AREAS authorized for waterfowl hunting. Hunting hours in these areas shall end at 12:00 pm. Waterfowl hunting on the PBA after 12:00 pm is prohibited.
- f. Turkey hunting will be in accordance with PBA Turkey Hunting Drawing Procedures (Appendix B).
 - g. Organized deer drives are not authorized on PBA.
- h. Guiding hunts and guided fishing in exchange for money or other compensation on the PBA is prohibited.
- i. Scouting and Hanging Stands. Scouting and hanging stands are allowed once Sportsmen have received their Natural Resource ID Card for the coming season. All deer stands must be removed by December 31st. NO metal objects (such as screw-in steps) are to be screwed or driven into trees. Stands left past this date will be removed and disposed of. All hunters are required to use a safety strap or harness while hunting off the ground in stands, trees, and other structures where applicable. For tree stand safety refer to Section 6-2/2b.
- j. All stands must have owners name, address and phone number permanently attached.
- k. Permanent structures such as buildings, free standing, or lean-to type tree stands are prohibited. A permanent stand is defined as any stand that cannot be safely moved by one (1) sportsman.
- I. Stand placement does not guarantee a sportsman right to a hunting area. All areas are first come first serve.
- m. Tagging game. Immediately upon taking a deer (before moving it), remove the appropriate deer tag from the AGFC license and complete all information, except Check #, legibly and in ink. Fasten the tag to the leg, ear or antler of a deer. The tag must remain with the animal until final processing and storage.
- (1) Hunters with disability licenses, 62 Plus Lifetime hunting license, and hunters under 16 years of age may use the game tags in the AGFC guidebook or substitute a piece of paper with their name, the date, time and Zone 12 written legibly in ink.

- (2) Call 866-305-0808, visit <u>www.agfc.com</u> or use iPhone app to check your deer.
 - (3) Record the check number on your tag.
- (4) Entrails must be removed in field, but evidence of the animal's sex must remain until checked at the PBA Check Station.
- (5) Check game at the PBA Game Check Station and complete required data on Game check-in data sheet.
- n. Persons transporting a deer or turkey harvested by another hunter must possess, in writing, the complete name, address, telephone number, Arkansas Hunting License Number and permit number of the person who harvested the deer or turkey.
- o. Training and hunting with dogs. Dogs are prohibited from use in hunting deer or feral swine on the installation. However, dogs may be used for other legal forms of

hunting associated with small game and waterfowl. Dogs must wear a collar at all times bearing the owner's name, phone number, and proof of vaccination.

- p. Trapping (other than feral hogs) on the PBA will be in accordance with the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission trapping regulations. Game wardens and installation wildlife management personnel may trap for predator control and medical purposes only. Game wardens may trap dogs and other domestic animals, as required.
- q. Trapping feral hogs. Feral hogs are not native to North America, but many feral hogs live in Arkansas because of illegal releases and high reproductive success. Hogs compete directly with many native game and animals for food and destroy habitat for many other wildlife species. Hogs are responsible for habitat destruction, damage to plant and/or animal communities, disease, and direct competition with native wildlife. The Arkansas Game and Fish encourages the eradication of feral hogs on PBA. Therefore, the trapping of feral hogs is approved year-round on PBA. Sportsmen must be in compliance with all regulations. **NOTE:** Baiting for feral hogs. No bait may be placed outside traps during deer or turkey seasons.
- r. The use or possession of any electronic call is prohibited (except that electronic calls may be used to hunt crows, coyotes and feral swine.)

- s. Hunters may use cell phones, pagers, two-way radios, Global Positioning Satellite (GPS) position location devices, and bionic ear devices while hunting.
 - t. Taking a deer while it is in a river, lake, stream, or pond is prohibited.
- u. Use of electronic or mechanical decoys for turkey hunting is prohibited on the installation.
- v. The only site in which game is allowed to be processed is at the game check station.
- 19. <u>Mandatory Deer Check</u>. All deer harvested must be brought to the Game Check Station located at building #24-560 complete mandatory game check in sheet and procedures. All deer harvested must be checked with AGFC.
- 20. <u>Season Dates and Bag Limits</u>. Season dates and bag limits may be more restrictive than those set by the State of Arkansas. It is the sportsman's responsibility to make themselves familiar with and comply with the hunting and fishing seasons, regulations, and bag limits, for PBA.
 - Season Dates.

(1) White-Tailed Deer Season
Archery
Youth (November Only)
Muzzleloader (October Only)
Shotgun (modern gun)
Start/End Date
Same as State through December 31st
Same as State
Same as State – 2nd Sunday of Season
Same as State – 2nd Sunday of Season

NOTE: The late modern gun, muzzle loading, and youth hunt are not part of the PBA hunting program.

(2) Small Game Seasons Start Date
Rabbit & Squirrel January 1st – February 28th Only

- b. Season Bag Limits.
 - (1) A doe must be harvested and legal tagged before harvesting a legal buck.
- (2) All deer harvested on PBA must be correctly tagged and count against bag limit set by the state of Arkansas.

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(3) The Private Land Antlerless Only Modern Gun Season will not be acknowledge on PBA.

21. Special Youth Hunts.

- a. Only youths 6 to 15 years old may harvest deer during the special youth modern gun deer hunt.
- b. Youth must be accompanied and supervised by a parent or legal guardian over the age of 18.
 - c. A buck may be harvested before a doe only during the special youth hunts.
- d. Youth may only harvest one buck per season. (NOTE: Antler-point restrictions for bucks do not apply to youth hunters any time during this hunt or the rest of deer season.)
 - e. All deer harvested count toward the youth's seasonal bag limit.
- 22. <u>Hunting Hours</u>. The legal hunting hours for hunting on the PBA are one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset with the following exceptions: Legal hours for migratory bird hunting (such as, duck and dove) will be determined by the appropriate federal agency. Hunting waterfowl on Arkansas River, Yellow Lake, the River Slough adjacent to the river and the back water adjacent to buckshot pit shall end at **12:00pm**.

23. General Fishing Regulations.

- a. Night fishing, bow fishing and frog gigging is prohibited on PBA.
- b. All persons wishing to fish on PBA 16 years and older will be required to have an Antiterrorism Background Protection Check in order to be approved.
- c. Children less than 16 years of age are not required to purchase a PBA Natural Resource Permit; however, they must be under the direct supervision of an adult sponsor 18 years old or older.
- d. Ponds will be closed to fishing two weeks after being stocked. Signs will be posted prior to ponds being stocked and when these ponds are closed to fishing.

24. Fishing Methods.

- a. Only rod and reel sport fishing is permitted in PBA waters. Trotline use in any pond or slough areas is prohibited.
 - b. Seining in streams or ponds is prohibited.
- c. Use of fish traps, snatch hooks, or spears are prohibited and will not be used on or around any of the ponds and streams on the PBA.
- d. Bow-fishing for the take of non-game fish (during daylight hours only) is legal if fisherman has a Natural Resource Permit signed by Commander and bow is legally registered through the Pass and Registration Office (Bld #17-130).
- e. Hand-held throw nets for bait collection are permitted. Any game fish caught while collecting bait will be released.

25. Creel Limits.

- a. Creel limits will comply with Arkansas Regulations. However, the PBA Natural Resource Manager may further restrict creel limits as necessary to protect/enhance fish productivity.
- b. All creel limits apply on a daily basis. At no time will an individual continue to fish once the limit has been attained.
- 26. <u>Fishing Seasons</u>. All ponds and streams on the PBA are open to fishing throughout the year, unless closed for management or training purposes. The RCRA Surface Impoundment in Area 3R is closed to fishing permanently. If need arises that other ponds should be closed "No fishing" signage will be placed around the pond.

27. General Licenses, Permits, and Fees.

- a. When hunting or fishing on the PBA, you must have the appropriate licenses, permits, and personal identification in your possession at that time.
- b. A quick information reference is provided in Appendix E, Point of Contact (POC) Information.

- 28. <u>Federal License</u>. If hunting migratory birds, then you must have a Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation Stamp (federal duck stamp) and the Migratory Bird Harvest Information Program Permit (HIP). The Federal Duck Stamp must be signed in ink across the face and be in your possession at the time you are hunting.
- 29. <u>State License</u>. All Sportsmen must obtain valid hunting and fishing licenses/stamps from Arkansas and must comply with state laws, when hunting or fishing on PBA.
- 30. <u>PBA Permits</u>. Personnel authorized to hunt and fish on the PBA in accordance with (IAW) paragraph 3-2 above, and who possess a valid State license, may purchase annual hunting and fishing permits.
- 31. <u>Fee and Permit Prices</u>. The cost of hunting and fishing fees and are subject to change. Natural Resource Permits for hunting must be purchased before October 31st. After this date no hunting permits will be sold.

a. Sportsman	\$100 Public
b. Hunting	 \$50 PBA Employee & Active/Retired Duty Military \$75 Public \$35 PBA Employee & Active/Retired Duty Military
c. Fishing	\$45 Public \$15 PBA Employee & Active/Retired Duty Military

- 32. <u>Game Enforcement</u>. Arkansas Game and Fish Commission Wildlife Officers will enforce Game and Fish Laws and Regulations in accordance with the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission Code Book. This applies to both Federal and State Laws and Regulations.
- 33. Game Enforcement Policies.
- a. Report of violations. Sportsmen are encouraged to report any observed violations of this regulation and/or State and Federal laws to the DES Security Desk (540-3501).
 - b. Administrative actions.
- (1) Individuals observed or reported to be violating any regulation or law relating to hunting and fishing on the PBA, will receive a notice of suspension of installation

hunting and/or fishing privileges from citing officials. Upon receipt of this notice, the individual's hunting and fishing privileges are immediately suspended for the period of time specified in the notice. If the individual disagrees and believes that they did not commit an offense, he must, within seven (7) days, file an appeal with the Installation Hearing Officer, Natural Resource Office (540-3257). Failure to contact the Installation Hearing Officer within seven (7) days will constitute waiver of the right to appeal and the suspension will stand.

- (2) If an individual files an appeal, they may request a hearing with the Installation Hearing Officer. At this hearing, an individual may present evidence that could help in considering the appeal.
- (3) Although an appeal is filed, the suspension remains in effect until the matter is decided.
- (4) The Installation Hearing Officer will consider each case and recommend a decision within two weeks. This recommendation will be forwarded through the Staff Judge Advocate for review and then to the Installation Commander for action. The Installation Hearing Officer will provide notice of the Commander's decision to the individual and to the Permit Issuing Activity, the Natural Resource Office, DPW, and the Provost Marshal. While there is no further right to appeal this decision, the hearing officer and the Installation Commander, may, for good cause shown and in their complete discretion, consider requests for reconsideration.
- (5) If the appeal is denied, the suspension will run for the time specified in the original notice. The period of suspension is calculated from the date the notice is issued, not the date of final action.
- (6) A list of the standard Administrative Penalties for various infractions is found in Appendix D, Violations and penalties.
- 34. Access for Disabled Veteran, Military Dependents with Disabilities, and Other Persons with Disabilities. In developing facilities and conducting programs for public outdoor recreation PBA shall ensure, to the extent reasonably practicable, that outdoor recreation opportunities (including fishing, hunting, trapping, wildlife viewing, and boating) made available to the public also provide access for persons in the prescribed paragraph when topographic, vegetative, and water resources allow access for such without substantial modification to the natural environment. Suggested Improvements

to current facilities and programs should be sent to the Natural Resource Office. Send suggestion by calling 540-3257 or email to: usarmy.pinebluff.usamc.list.nrm@mail.mil.

35. <u>Publication History</u>.

- a. Revision 1, 1 July 2018, the following changes were incorporated:
- (1) Changed Director of Law Enforcement ad Security (DES) to Director of Emergency Services (DES) throughout regulation.
 - (2) Corrected formatting throughout.
 - b. Revision 2, 1 July 2019, the following changes were incorporated:
- (1) Changed <u>pine.nrm@conus.army.mil</u> to <u>usarmy.pinebluff.usamc.list.mrn@mail.mil</u> throughout regulation.
- (2) Changed hppt:www.pba.army.mil/ to https:www.pba.army.mil throughout document.
- (3) Changed DES Directorate of Law Enforcement and Security and SS Law Enforcement and Security to DES Directorate of Emergency Services throughout regulation.
 - (4) 10.a, Corrected building number to 24-560.
 - (5) Changed the revision date.
 - (6) Corrected formatting throughout.
 - c. Revision 3, 1 July 2020, the following changes were incorporated:
 - (1) Changed the revision date.

APPENDIX A PBA Hunting Areas and Boundaries

1. <u>Number of Hunters per Hunting Area.</u> To ensure a safe physical separation between hunters in hunting areas there will be no more than one (1) hunter per seventy acres. The listed hunting areas, acreage and maximum number of hunters per area are listed below.

Archery Only		Sł	notgun & Muzzl	eloader	
		No. of			No. of
Area ID	Acres	Hunters	Area ID	Acres	Hunters
1F	68	1	1A	383	5
1D	148	2	1B	275	4
3B	41	1	1C	351	5
3C	151	2	1G	177	3
3D	160	2	3A	254	4
3E	354	5	3G	304	4
3F	197	3	3H	251	4
31	195	2	3J	181	2
3L	44	1	3K	176	3
3N	158	4	3P	377	5
5D	254	3	3R	203	3
7C	596	5	3W	463	7
7S	135	2	30	327	4
7W	819	5	3S	54	1
			5A	364	5
			5B	342	5
			5E	468	6
Total	3,320	38	Total	4,950	70

Note: Hunting Areas 3G, 3J & 3K are closed when firing range is in use.

Hunting Areas 7C, 7S & 7W are walk-in areas only for PBA Badge Holders with Access to Depot Area.

2. Archery ONLY Areas.

1D - Sibert Road and the gravel road from Sibert road to the PBA Waterfowl Refuge is the East boundary and divides hunting area 1D from 1C and the PBA Waterfowl Refuge. The PBA boundary fence is the West boundary. The gravel road from Sibert road to the railroad tracks is the North boundary.

- 1F The gravel road from Warbritton Gate to the back access road of the Production Area is the West boundary and divides hunting area 1F and 1B. The PBA boundary fence is the East and North boundary.
- 3B The small wooded area across from road to Yellow Lake boat ramp between Hoadley road and the Production Area fence.
- 3C Hoadley road is the South boundary. Sibert road is the West boundary. McCoy road is the East boundary. The "No Hunting" signs and blue painted boundary line is the North boundary.
- 3D The North boundary runs from the parameter road along cut-through road toward golf maintenance building to old logging road. Then runs along old logging road to Fleming extension "T" road. The boundary turns and then runs southeast along paved road until it reaches the Reserve Unit boundary fence and then runs southwest along old housing road back to parameter road. The West boundary runs along parameter road north back to cut-through road.
- 3E The sewer line right-of-way is the West boundary. The power line right-of-way from McCoy road to the Commander's quarters is the East boundary and divides hunting area 3E from 3I. The back access road into the NCO Capehart Housing Area is the South boundary and divides hunting area 3E from 3C. The "No Hunting" signs and blue painted boundary line is the North boundary.
- 3F McCoy road is the South and West boundary. The Yellow Bluff drop-off is the East boundary and divides hunting area 3F from 3G. The vehicle trail from McCoy road to the bluff is the North boundary and divides hunting area 3F from 3J.
- 3I The powerline right-of-way from McCoy road to the Commander's quarters is the West boundary and divides hunting area 3E from 3I. McCoy road is the South and East boundaries. Wise road from the Commander's quarters to the Tulley Lake Picnic Area is the North boundary.
- 3L The small wooded area adjacent to DPW parking lot between Hoadley road and the Production Area fence.
- 3N The old logging trial from Atkisson Road to Horseshoe Pond to McCoy Road is the North boundary and divides hunting areas 3N and 3P. The East boundary runs from old logging road and McCoy Road intersection South along McCoy road to culvert under

McCoy Road then turns and runs along creek back to Tulley Lake shoreline. The South boundary continues along the North side of Tulley Lake shoreline and continues along creek back to Clear Pond and on out to Atkisson Road. The West boundary runs north along Atkisson road back to old logging trial.

3S – The north boundary starts at Rideout Road and runs along Webster Road to the Surface Impoundment Road. The east boundary runs along the Surface Impoundment Road to yellow gate. The south boundary runs from the yellow gate to the containment fence to the rear of warehouses and turns back to Rideout Road.

5B – The north boundary runs from the intersection of Roemer Road and NCTR boundary road to Wintergreen Road. The east boundary runs along the gravel portion of Wintergreen Road to the Haul Road. The south boundary follows Haul road west to exclude the 93-XXX parking area and structures to 504th Street. The west boundary runs north along 504th Street to Roemer Road and from Roemer Road back to PBA boundary intersection.

5D – The north boundary runs from the intersection of Roemer Road and 504th Street along 504th Street to 6242 Avenue. The south boundary from 6242 Avenue to the BREA fence line and then turns northwest along the BREA fence line to Roemer Road. The boundary turns northeast and follows Roemer Road back to 504th Street.

3. Archery Area for Badge Holders with D Access Only

7C -- The boundary for this area include all area within the BREA fence.

7S – The north boundary runs along 6242 Avenue to the BREA fence line and then turns south to runs to Bond Road. The east boundary runs along Atkisson Road to 500 Avenue and from 500 Avenue back to 6242 Avenue.

7W – The west boundary runs along boundary fence south to Wise Road. The south boundary runs along Wise Road to Atkisson Road. From Atkisson Road back to BREA fence line and then runs north along BREA fence line to Roemer Road.

4. Shotgun and Muzzleloader Areas.

1A - The PBA boundary fence is the boundary on the East and South sides. Williams road from Warbritton to the Production Area fence is the North boundary. The stream from Production Area fence to the PBA Boundary fence is the West boundary and divides hunting 1A and 1C.

- 1B Williams road from Warbritton to the Production Area fence is the South boundary. The Production Area fence and back access road into the Production area is the North Boundary. The gravel road from Warbritton Gate to the back access road of the Production Area is the East boundary and divides hunting area 1B and 1F.
- 1C The stream from the Production Area fence to the PBA boundary fence is the East boundary of the hunting area and divides hunting area 1C and 1A. Roadway in front of the PBA Waterfowl Refuge is the South boundary. Williams road is the North boundary. The gravel road from Williams road to the PBA Waterfowl Refuge is the West boundary and divides hunting area 1C from 1D.
- 1G The back access road into the Production Area is the South boundary. The Production Area fence is the West boundary. The PBA boundary patrol road and fence is the East boundary.
- 3A The PBA boundary fence is the South boundary. White Creek is the East boundary. McCoy road is West boundary. Yellow lake levee road is the North boundary.
- 3G The Yellow Bluff drop-off is the West and North boundary and divides hunting area 3G from 3F, 3J and 3K. The dirt road from the flag pole on Yellow Lake road to Yellow Bluff is the East boundary and divides hunting area 3G from 3H. Yellow Lake is the South boundary.
- 3H The dirt road from the flag pole on Yellow Lake road to Yellow Bluff is the West boundary and divides hunting area 3H from 3G. The PBA boundary fence is the East boundary. The Yellow Lake road is the South Boundary and divides hunting area 3H from 3W. Triplett's creek is the North boundary.
- 3J McCoy road is the West boundary. Tulley Creek is the North boundary. The Bluff is the East boundary and divides hunting area 3J and 3G. The vehicle trail from McCoy road to Yellow Bluff is the South boundary and divides hunting area 3J from 3F.
- 3K –The north boundary of this area is from the intersection of Tulley Creek and Phillips Creek west along Phillips Creek to McCoy Road. The west boundary follows McCoy Road south to Tulley Creek. The southeastern boundary runs along Tulley Creek to the point in which in intersects Phillips Creek.

- 30 The Surface Impoundment Road from unnamed tributary of Phillips Creek north to Webster Road is the west boundary. The north boundary runs from the Surface Impoundment Road east along Webster Road to Doolittle road. The east boundary runs along Doolittle road south to the unnamed tributary of Phillips Creek. The south boundary runs west along unnamed tributary of Phillips Creek to the Surface Impoundment Road.
- 3P The old logging trail from Horseshoe Pond to McCoy road is the South boundary and divides hunting area 3P from 3N. The stream drainage from the Surface Impoundment pond to McCoy road is the East boundary and divides hunting area 3P from 3Q. The Surface Impoundment road from the Surface impoundment pond to the big drainage ditch at the head of the Surface Impoundment pond is the North boundary. McCoy road is the South boundary and divides hunting area 3P from 3K.
 3R The Surface Impoundment road is the East and South boundary. Webster road is the North boundary. The access road into the Secondary Surface impoundment pond and the Hazardous Waste Borrow Pit field is the West boundary.
- 3W White Creek is the Southwest boundary and separates hunting area 3W from 3A. Yellow Lake levee road to the Arkansas River is the West and North boundary. The Arkansas River is the East boundary.
- 5A The north boundary runs from old duck pond road gate along PBA boundary fence to the Arkansas River. The east boundary runs along river shoreline to painted line and then turns west and runs back to Doolittle Road. The east west boundary runs along Doolittle road buffer area and then follows buffer area back out to Wintergreen road. The south boundary follows Wintergreen road along Haul road back to old duck pond road gate.
- 5E The north boundary runs from the power lines just north of 507th Street along Haul Road to old Demil boundary fence. The east boundary runs along old demil boundary fence to Webster Road. The south boundary runs west along Webster Road turning south onto Rideout Road and continues along Rideout Road to 507th Street. The west boundary follows 507th Street north to the power line turning north and following the power line to Haul Road.
- **5.** Wounded Warrior Only Hunting Area This area be used for special hunts only (Wounded Warrior Special Hunt). It will be considered a no hunting area except during special hunts. This areas west boundary would start at the Stark Entrance and continue along the PBA boundary until reaching Roemer Road on the east side of the tract. The

southeast boundary of the area would run along Roemer Road back to the Stark Entrance. The CLA is to be included within these boundaries.

APPENDIX B Pine Bluff Arsenal Turkey Hunting Drawing Procedures

Firearms: TBA

Permit Required: One bearded turkey; NO JAKES

To prevent overcrowding, the PBA limits some hunting opportunities through a permit draw system. Lowering hunter numbers not only regulates harvest, it offers a better hunting experience for the hunters who draw the tags.

All Sportsmen who wish to participate in the drawing will submit their request online through the PBA Natural Resource Website. https://www.pba.army.mil/ Participants may begin to submit names on March 1 and selected participants will be emailed my March 20 (or the following Monday if the 20th falls on a weekend) if selected. Selected applicants will be authorized to hunt turkey on PBA during the PBA turkey season.

Applying is free, but successful applicants must pay \$15 to receive PBA hunt permits. An Antiterrorism/Force Protection Background Check must have been performed within the last year.

Participation is open to all persons who wish to enter the drawing. All successful applicants will be required to attend PBA safety briefing, have a valid Arkansas hunting license, proof of an acceptable hunter's safety course, a PBA Natural Resources Permit and a picture badge before being allowed to hunt turkey on PBA.

PBA turkey season will consist of two hunts that last three days. The first hunt will occur on the first Saturday, Sunday and Monday of the regular Arkansas turkey season and the second hunt will occur on the second Saturday, Sunday and Monday of the regular Arkansas turkey season. Five (5) Sportsmen will be selected per hunt.

Applicants that are selected under the age of 16 must meet all requirements in PBAR 200-1 to participate in hunt.

The PBA turkey season will be as follows:

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All turkey harvested on PBA must be legally checked through the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission and recorded properly at PBA Check Station before leaving post. *Participants must comply with all Arkansas Game and Fish Commission gaming regulations.

APPENDIX C REFERENCES

Section I

Required and Related Publications

Sikes Act Improvement Act, 16 U.S.C. 670a-670o

AR 200-1, Environmental Protection and Enhancement

ACSIM Memorandum DAIM-ED-N (200-1a)

AR 190-11, Physical Security of Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives

AR 190-56, Army Civilian Police and Security Guard Program

AR 190-45, Law Enforcement Reporting

PBAR 190-3, Pass and Registration Visitor Control Center

AR 190-13, The Army Physical Security Program

Section II

Prescribed and Referenced Forms

SF Form 50 (Notification of Personnel Action)

FB (SD) Form 18 (Pine Bluff Arsenal Hunter Education Card) (referenced in para 7-3 c (2))

FB (MPA) Form 66 (Temporary Vehicle Permit).

Glossary

Section I **Abbreviations**

ALERTS	Army Law Enforcement Reporting and Tracking System
AR	Army Regulation
CVB	Central Violation Bureau
DFMWR	Directorate of Morale, Welfare and Recreation
DoD	Department of Defense
DES	Directorate of Emergency Services
DPW	Directorate of Public Works
IAW	In Accordance With

IDIdentification

NRS Natural Resource Specialist

ORV.....Off-road vehicle PBA......Pine Bluff Arsenal

PFD	Personal Floatation Device
POC	Point of Contact
POV	Privately Owned Vehicle
RRE	Risk Management and Environmental Division
	Staff Judge Advocate

Section II Terms

Accompany. To meet this requirement, the sponsor and guest must be properly checked-in through Hunter Control, the sponsor must be physically present and/or participating in the hunt and be signed into the same area or areas as the guest. If signed into multiple areas and both sponsor and guest are not occupying the same area, the areas must share a common boundary and be adjacent to each other.

Active status. The term "active status" means the status of a member of a reserve component who is not in the inactive Army National Guard or inactive Air National Guard or on an inactive status list.

Baited area. Any place which contains or has contained within the previous ten (10) days feed, grains, salt licks, or other substances capable of luring game.

Big game. Deer and turkey. Feral swine are not classified as big game animals.

Bow. A long bow, recurve bow, compound bow, or a crossbow. Bows must have a minimum pull of 40 lbs.

Buck. A male deer.

Cooperative Agreement. The agreement entered into by PBA, the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission, and the United States Fish and Wildlife Service.

Direct adult supervision. Under the command and control of a person 18 years old or older, with the minor being within sight or hearing distance of such person.

Family member. A son/daughter, brother/sister, or father/mother.

Fish or fishing. To catch, capture, take, or kill fish and all seafood and includes all lesser acts such as attempting to catch, capture, or kill by any devise or method.

Guide hunting. Receiving compensation for assisting an individual in the pursuit and taking of game.

Hunt or hunting. The act of pursuing, shooting, killing, and/or capturing wildlife or using any device in an attempt to take wildlife. Hunting shall include every action of

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assistance to any person in taking or attempting to take wildlife, however accompanying a hunter as a spectator, maintaining or placing stands, or assisting a hunter to locate, track, or recover wounded or harvested game is not considered hunting. Any individual possessing a bow, gun, or gun and dogs in any area where hunting is normally conducted is presumed to be hunting, except that traveling through or along a closed or exclusion area while going to or from an open area is not considered hunting. Possessing a loaded weapon under any conditions is considered hunting. Therefore, hunters entering an area before legal shooting hours, or exiting an area after legal shooting hours must unload their weapons or they will be presumed to be hunting. The only exception to this is for authorized night hunters.

Hunting season. That period of time when hunting a specific game bird or animal is permitted under the law.

Illegal possession. Possession of any wildlife or parts thereof, at any time other than during the authorized hunting season for that wildlife.

Maintained road. Maintained roads are those roads with a base consisting of pavement, concrete, gravel, or improved dirt that receive regular or periodic maintenance and are wide enough to allow at least two-way vehicular traffic. Roads that are not maintained consist of small roads and trails with a dirt or clay base that receive little or no maintenance and that are only wide enough for one-way vehicular traffic or narrower.

Open area. Training areas that are available for recreational use, subject to fulfillment of an individual's permit, license, and area access pass requirements.

Size limit. The minimum length allowable for a fish in a person's possession. Fish smaller than this size must be returned to the water unharmed as soon as they are landed.

Sportsman. Any person engaged in hunting, fishing or other outdoor recreation activities on the Pine Bluff Arsenal military installation. This includes those engaged in any out of season activity that would support latter hunting or fishing.

Storage of weapons: A weapon is "stored" at the normal or temporary place the hunter keeps his/her weapon. A hunter does not improperly store a weapon in a vehicle by placing the weapon in the vehicle, if he/she intends to hunt on post that day or has already hunted and will remove the weapon from the vehicle later that day. The rule

also applies to other legitimate recreational, sport shooting, or other recognized functions involving the weapon.

To take an animal. To harass, harm, pursue, hunt, shoot, wound, kill, trap, capture, or collect, or to attempt to do any of the above.

Unloaded weapon. A shotgun, centerfire or rimfire rifle, or handgun that does not have any ammunition in the chamber, or a loaded magazine/clip affixed to the weapon. A muzzleloader weapon that does not have a percussion cap, flint, powder or other firing device affixed to or resting on the weapon's nipple or flash pan. An uncocked crossbow with the bolt removed from the platform.

Weapons. Firearms, bows, air or CO2 rifles or pistols, and slingshots are considered to be weapons on PBA.

Appendix D The follwing VIOLATION result in Permanent Revocation of PBA Hunting Privledges and Notification of Arkansas Game & Fish Commission of Offense. Hunting out of season Possession of illegally shot game [table 10-1] Discharging a weapon from a vehicle [5-6,d,(5), (c)] Hunting/Fishing without a valid state license, stamps or PBA permit [7-3] Illegal use of artificial light for locating game or hunting [table 10-2, 6] The follwing VIOLATION result in Permanent Revocation of PBA Hunting Privledges. Possession on person or use of drugs or alcoholic beverages while hunting [4-2,d] Possession of illegally shot game (To include harvesting a buck before a doe is tagged and legally checked) [table 10-1] Hunting in a closed hunting area [3-4,b] Permitting another to fraudulently use your PBA hunting/fishing permit Possession of an Unauthorized weapon to include a concealed weapon [5-6,c] Transporting a loaded weapon in a motorized vehicle [5-6,d,(3),(a-c)] Hunting/Running deer or hogs with dogs [5-1,1] Guide Hunting for compensation [5-1,h] Unauthorized use of trap, snares, pitfalls, or similar devices to take game [5-1,m] Exceeding creel/bag limits (To include more than one buck per hunting season)[table 10-1] Failure to check and record all required harvest data at the Game Check Station (To include falsifying Jawbone collection or recording weights) [5-1,i] Falsify check-in procedures through software system at the Game Check Station [Chapter 11] Unauthorized use of off-road all-terrain (i.e., 3 or 4 wheelers, etc.) vehicle [3-3,b] The follwing VIOLATION result in penalties listed and Notification of Arkansas Game & Fish Commision of Offense.. Hunting without the prescribed amount of fluorescent orange [4-2,a] 3 years Failure to complete Arkansas License regarding deer harvest after a kill and before moving the carcass 3 years Removal of deer head prior to processing [5-1,c] 3 years Shooting before or after legal hours [5-4,a-b] 3 years The follwing VIOLATION result in penalties listed. Failure to display and/or present Vehicle Access Permit [7-4,a,(3)] 30 days Failure to check-out of an area before leaving post through software system at the Game Check Station [Chapter 11] 30 days Littering and/or dumping [3-1,e] 1 year Knowingly hunting over or taking of game from a baited area [5-1,a] Bypassing a roadblock, cable, or gate with a vehicle [3-4,c] 1 year Possession of firearms while hunting in bow only area Discharging a weapon across or within 200 feet of a maintained road or building or within 200 yards in the direction thereof [5-6,d,(5),(e)] 3 years Taking of fish by unauthorized means [6-2, a-b] 3 years Improper/inadequate safety equipment on boats [9-1,c] 2 years Illegal use of game cameras 2 years * If a sportsmen is caught assisting another sportsmen in a violation the same penalites applies to both sportsmen.

Violations and penalties (referenced in para 8-2,c,(6)&(7))

APPENDIX E Point of Contact Information Sheet

Information	Office	Phone
Check in/out of hunting	Game Check Station Bldg	
and fishing areas.	#24-560	(870)540-3225
	Directorate of Public Works	
Natural Resources	Bldg #17-130	(870)540-3257
Natural Resources	Directorate of Public Works	(870)540-3234
Representative(s)	Bldg #34-980	(870)540-3804
Security Desk (report	Consolidated Dispatch &	
hunting and fishing	Monitoring Center Bldg	(870)540-3501
violations/incidents)	#60-021	
Emergency	911	
Pass & Registration	Pass & Registration	
(Weapons Registration)	#17-130 (870)540-3795	
Arkansas Game and	1) Hotline Number = (800)482-9262	
Fish Commission	2) AT&T Cellular Phone Stop Poaching Hotline = #847	
Report Game Violation	3) Text a Tip = 847411	