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From: Commanding Officer, Training Squadron SIX
To: All Hands

Subj: ALCOHOL ABUSE AWARENESS POLICY

1. Purpose. To reinforce existing standards and policies and implement the alcohol abuse awareness policy within TRARON SIX.
2. Alcohol abuse hurts our squadron, families, undermines our core values, causes useless loss of life and degrades our ability to accomplish the mission. It takes the commitment of each and every member of this squadron to guard against this very real threat.
3. I expect every Shooter to take personal responsibility for their conduct and I expect Officers within this command to be vigilant and hold themselves and others in this squadron accountable. Alcohol Related Incidents and conduct unbecoming an Officer within TRARON SIX will not be tolerated. All incidents will be dealt with accordingly through judicial and or administrative processes. As leaders we must be attentive to the signs of alcohol abuse - driving under the influence, smell of alcohol, defiant of authority, poor attitude, legal problems, social problems, and other misconduct.
4. As stated in my command philosophy, as professional Officers it is our duty to be self-regulating and take action to intervene if we notice a fellow Officer not meeting the standard. I expect all personnel, at every level, to become involved and to take immediate action when they see a fellow squadron member who has had too much to drink or who appears to have a drinking problem. Shooters take care of each other, even when it's the tough or unpopular thing to do. To be clear:
 - a. No Shooter will operate any motorized or non-motorized vehicle while under the influence of alcohol.
 - b. Shooters that choose to consume alcohol must do so in a responsible manner. Those who fail to do so will be held accountable.
 - c. All alcohol related incidents will continue to be investigated and reported to the Commanding Officer.
5. High performance, trust and accountability are the cornerstone of our profession. I have high and unwavering expectations for the Officers in this command, on or off duty.


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