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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: Policy Letter - Affirmative Procurement Program (APP)

1. In an effort to comply with the affirmative procurement requirements of Section 6002 of RCRA, Section 9002 of the "Farm Bill," DoD Green Procurement Policy, and Executive Order 13101, the Command strongly promotes the use of recycled-content and bio-based products. These policies directly supports Fort Campbell's 25-year sustainability goals, based on the premise that all waste generators, including governments, tenants, and citizens, take responsibility for the life-cycle environmental impacts of products and services through their production, purchasing, and waste management decisions.
2. The purchase and use of products and services can have a profound impact on the environment. Fort Campbell recognizes the positive impact that it can make on the environment through the purchasing decisions that are made locally. It is the intent of Fort Campbell to integrate environmental considerations into every aspect of acquisition. Although the environment may not be the core of our professional mission, the integration of these factors will result in economic, health, and environmental gains that will further the interrelated principles of APP to sustainability and mission accomplishment.
3. Overall Statement of Policy:
 - a. All agency personnel should seek to reduce the environmental damages associated with their purchases by increasing their acquisition of environmental preferable products and services to the extent feasible, consistent with price, performance, availability, and safety considerations.
 - b. Environmental factors should be taken into account as early as possible in the acquisition planning and decision-making process.
 - c. Responsibility for environmentally preferable purchasing should be shared among the program, acquisition, and procurement personnel.
 - d. Environmentally preferable purchasing represents one important component of this installation's commitment to pollution prevention.
4. By adopting these principles, Fort Campbell will be sustaining the environment for a secure future. Environmental and procurement offices across the installation will support organizations in meeting the Department of Defense goal to achieve 100% compliance with mandatory Federal affirmative procurement programs in all acquisition transactions.


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