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Maintenance



**TRANSPORTATION OF MUNITIONS IN
METRO TYPE VEHICLES**

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This instruction implements Air Force Policy Directive (AFPD) 21-2, *Nonnuclear and Nuclear Munitions*. It establishes policies and procedures for using metro type vehicles for transporting impulse cartridges, and Aircraft Time Change Munitions (Cartridge Activated Device)/Propellant Actuated Devices (PAD) for local delivery as prescribed by AFMAN 91-201, *Explosive Safety Standards*. These procedures apply to all personnel assigned to the 442d Operations and Logistics Groups. Supervisors, superintendents and flight chiefs are responsible for ensuring compliance with this instruction.

1. Explosive Limits. The quantities of class/division 1.4, 1.3, and 1.2 explosives transported in these vehicles are kept to the minimum necessary to accomplish the daily mission.

2. Personnel Limits. If it is necessary to transport personnel together with the explosive items in the cargo portion of the vehicle, personnel shall have seats provided for them and these personnel shall be kept to a minimum.

3. Location of Operations. Travel will be limited to that necessary to accomplish the mission. Explosives will be removed from the vehicle when they are no longer necessary and when fueling the vehicle.

4. Safety Requirements:

4.1. Smoking in the vehicle is prohibited.

4.2. The transportation of explosives is restricted to Whiteman Air Force Base.

4.3. Aircraft seats or survival kits with explosive devices installed must contain all of the required safety pins and devices, and all seats or survival kits are secured to prevent movement during transit.

4.4. Vehicles shall be properly placarded in accordance with AFMAN 91-201 and WAFB Supplement.

4.5. The vehicle shall be equipped with at least two portable fire extinguishers, each rated at least 2A:10BC. It is preferred that one fire bottle be mounted on the outside of the cab on the driver's side and the other in the cab.

4.6. Explosives shall be packed separately from other items and packed in a closed, clearly identified metal or wooded container and properly secured in the vehicle body.

4.7. The vehicle will not be left unattended.

5. Sequence Of Operations. Not applicable.

6. Emergency Procedures. In the event of an emergency, notify the Maintenance Control Function (MCF), the fire department and Explosive Ordnance Disposal (EOD) by the most expedient means possible, if applicable.

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Attachment 1

GLOSSARY OF REFERENCES AND SUPPORTING INFORMATION

References

AFPD 21-2--Nuclear and Nonnuclear Munitions

AFMAN 91-201--Explosive Safety Standards