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**50TH EDUCATION SQUADRON**

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This mission directive prescribes the mission, organization, and responsibilities of the 50th Education Squadron, Headquarters United States Air Force Academy, Colorado.

**SUMMARY OF REVISIONS**

**This document is substantially revised and must be completely reviewed.**

This name of the 50th Training Squadron is changed to the 50th Education Squadron. This document has been substantially revised and must be completely reviewed. A bar ( | ) indicates revisions from the previous edition, USAFAMD21, 8 May 2001.

- 1. Authority.** AFI38-101, *Air Force Organization*, as implemented by DAF/PE 680r, letter, 14 December 2001, Organization Actions Affecting Certain United States Air Force Academy Units, and Special Order Number GS-1, Headquarters US Air Force Academy, 13 January 2002.
- 2. Mission.** To produce officers schooled in the application of air and space power.
- 3. Organization.** The 50th Education Squadron is assigned to the Headquarters 34th Education Group. The 50th Education Squadron is comprised of the Air Warfare Division, Space Warfare Division, and Security Applications Division.
- 4. Responsibilities.** The 50th Education Squadron Commander:
  - 4.1. Provides all cadets with a motivational exposure to Air Force and sister service air and space operations.
  - 4.2. Develops curriculum and course materials, presents courses, and evaluates students in 9 university-level academic courses taken by 1,600 students annually.

4.3. Instructs in and maintains four T-4, five T-241 and 24 Aviation Flight Trainers (AFT) application devices used by 1,400 cadets annually.

4.4. Trains, schedules, and evaluates 24 assigned and 25 attached instructors in classroom and T-4, T-241, AFT and T-41 qualifications.

4.5. Schedules and conducts training in T-41 aircraft provided by 94 FTS--300 flights annually.

4.6. The 50th Education Squadron Commander or the Headquarters 34th Education Group Commander may impose nonjudicial punishment on military members assigned to the 50th Education Squadron to the extent that the commander offering punishment meets the requirements of AFI51-201, *Administration of Military Justice*, paragraph 2, so long as this authority has not been withheld in accordance with AFI51-201 paragraph 2.6.

4.7. The Headquarters 34th Training Wing provides administrative and orderly room support for assigned personnel.

**5. Relationship to Other Units or Agencies.** Direct communication with other USAF Academy agencies, Headquarters US Air Force, Secretary of the Air Force, other USAF MAJCOMs, and other Department of Defense agencies and activities is authorized.

**6. Records Disposition.** Units who create paper or electronic records are to comply in accordance with AFMAN37-139, *Records Disposition Schedule*, for maintenance and disposal of records.

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