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HEADQUARTERS 34TH OPERATIONS GROUP

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This mission directive prescribes the mission, organization, and responsibilities of the Headquarters 34th Operations Group, Headquarters United States Air Force Academy.

SUMMARY OF REVISIONS

This document is substantially revised and must be completely reviewed.

- 1. Authority.** AFI 38-101, *Air Force Organization*, as implemented by DAF/PE 680r, letter, 30 September 1994, Organization Actions Affecting Certain United States Air Force Academy Units, and Special Order Number GS-2, Headquarters US Air Force Academy, 21 October 1994.
- 2. Mission.** Provides management and oversight of USAFA Airmanship Programs involving 4,000 cadets at the Air Force's busiest airfield, with 30,000 sorties and 150,000 events logged annually.
- 3. Organization.** The Headquarters 34th Operations Group is assigned to the Headquarters 34th Training Wing. The Headquarters 34th Operations Group is comprised of the 34th Operations Support Squadron, 94th Flying Training Squadron, 98th Flying Training Squadron, and 557th Flying Training Squadron.
- 4. Responsibilities.** The 34th Operations Group Commander:
 - 4.1. Ensures soaring, parachuting, and powered flight course standards and objectives contribute measurably to motivation, leadership, and character development of officer candidates and introductory flight training (IFT).
 - 4.2. The 34th Operations Group Commander or the Headquarters 34th Training Wing Commander may impose non-judicial punishment on military members assigned to the 34th Operations Group.
 - 4.3. The Headquarters 34th Training Wing provides administrative and orderly room support for assigned personnel.
 - 4.4. Integrates operational risk management principles, techniques, and tools into policy, planning, education, and training to induce application by personnel at all levels and in all functional areas.

5. Relationship to Other Units or Agencies. Direct communication with other US Air Force Academy agencies, Headquarters US Air Force, Secretary of the Air Force, other US Air Force 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 AFMAN 37-139, *Records Disposition Schedule*, for maintenance and disposal of records.

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