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MEMORANDUM FOR ALL AFIT MILITARY PERSONNEL

FROM: AFIT/CC

SUBJECT: High Risk Activities

- 1. Per AFI 91-202, AETC Sup 1, *The USAF Mishap Prevention Program*, all military personnel participating in a high risk activity must have an AF Form 4391, *High-Risk Activities Worksheet*, on file with the AFIT Safety Office. High risk activities are defined as those activities having a higher potential for personal injury due to the level of competition, speed, risk, or skills needed and requiring greater agility, stamina, and dexterity. The high risk activities approval process for permanent party personnel is outlined below:
- a. Military member informs supervisor of their intent to participate in high risk activities. (Student supervisors are their section leader and academic advisor)
 - b. Military member makes appointment to meet with AFIT Safety
 - c. AFIT Safety meets with member to discuss activities and approve request
- d. Prior to each event thereafter, member informs supervisor(s) where/when they will be participating in activity.
- 2. Students assigned to the AFIT Civilian Institution Programs are governed by AUI 36-2613 para 6.6., Support of Air Force Institute of Technology, Air Force Fellows, and School of Advanced Air and Space Studies Personnel Attending Civilian Institutions by Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps Detachments. Students who do not have an assigned Liaison Officer and/or are not supported by an AFROTC Detachment Commander or if those members are temporarily unavailable, will contact their AFIT Program Manager for assistance and approval. The high risk activities approval process for this student category is outlined below:
- a. Military member emails an AF Form 4391, *High Risk Activities Worksheet*, Section I completed, to their AFIT program manager.
- b. AFIT program manager discusses member's experience and safety protocols of the activity with member.
- c. Program manager approves as appropriate, emails approval to the member and files signed AETC Form 410 in the student's folder.

- 3. Approval of High Risk Activities for personnel in TDY status to CE, CCR, and LS will be the responsibility of each respective course director. Once activity has been approved on the AF Form 4391, *High-Risk Activities Worksheet*, it will be maintained until the student has graduated.
- 4. Following is a list of high risk activities. This list is not all inclusive and will continually be updated as required. If you plan to participate in an activity that is not listed below, but does fall within the definition of high risk activities as identified above, please contact the safety office for further guidance.

All Terrain Vehicles

Auto Racing

Hot Air Ballooning

Boating

Bungee Jumping

Civilian Light Aircraft Flight

Dirt Biking

Experimental Aircraft

Hang Gliding

Helicopter Flight (Civilian)

Hunting

Jet Skiing/Personal Water Craft

Motorcycle Racing

Mountain Climbing/Rappelling

Parasailing

Powered Parachute (Ultralight Aircraft)

Rodeo/Bull-Riding/Bucking Events

Scuba Diving

Snow Skiing

Ski Jumping

Skydiving

Soaring

Snowmobiling

White Water Rafting

5. Please refer questions to Mr. Thomas at 255-6565 ext 3627 in the safety office.

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