This publication supplements AFI 36-2903 PACAF Supplement, 17 March 2017, concerning the proper dress and personnel appearance required of personnel assigned to Eielson AFB, Alaska. This supplement applies to all host, associate, and TDY organizations on Eielson AFB, including Air National Guard and US Air Force Reserve members. Refer recommended changes and questions about this publication to the office of primary responsibility (OPR) using the AF Form 847, Recommendation for Change of Publication. Ensure that all records created as a result of processes prescribed in this publication are maintained in accordance with Air Force Manual 33-363, Management of Records, and disposed of in accordance with the Air Force Records Disposition Schedule (RDS) located in Air Force Records Information Management System (AFRIMS) at Air Force (AF) Portal: https://www.my.af.mil/afrims/afrims/afrims/rims.cfm.

**SUMMARY OF CHANGES**

This document has been revised and the following changes have been made. Added authorization to wear Air Force issued cold weather gear not listed in AFI 36-2903. Replaced "Physical Training Uniform" with "Physical Training Gear" (PTG) IAW AFI 36-2903, 9 February 2017 guidance memorandum. Added mandatory unit requirement to provide initial cold weather gear issue IAW Attachment 2 of this supplement. Added rank and nametape requirement for GEN III-Layer 7 Extreme Cold Weather Parka. Updated no-hat no-salute areas.
1.2.1.1 During winter months all approved black winter footwear (e.g., Danner, Max Trax, or equivalent boots) may be worn with blues during outdoor activities to include when traversing from a vehicle to a building.

2.8.4. Reflective Belt: Mandatory when in uniform while on or off base during periods of darkness or reduced visibility. Exception: Reflective belts are not required when attending official functions or ceremonies (e.g., ALS graduation) while wearing the Class A, semi-formal, formal, or mess dress uniform only if no streets are crossed while proceeding to the event (e.g., walking directly from the parking lot). On-duty Security Forces and augmentees performing base defense activities will wear reflective belts or reflective vests at the discretion of the Security Forces Commander. Reflective belts will be plain in color and/or conservative in nature (e.g., two tone or checkered reflective belts are authorized if it was the original design) and will be worn smartly around the waist without sagging. The only authorized marking on the reflective belt is the AF emblem. Individuals whose duties require flightline access must wear reflective belts IAW AFI 21-101, 354 FW SUP, para 3.10.3 and AFI 91-203, para 14.5.10.2. Personnel are authorized to write their names on the inside of the reflective belt only.

2.8.11. Personnel are exempt from wearing headgear while on the flight line and loop area. Winter style headgear such as the watch cap may be worn during the established winter period (1 October – 31 March). Additionally, the table below outlines no-hat and no-salute areas as indicated:

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6.1.10. Sage Green Fleece: The sage green fleece jacket is authorized for wear indoors.

6.2.7. Black Watch Cap: The black watch cap (knit or fleece) is authorized for wear with any blue uniform combination in conjunction with outer garments as well as the Flight Duty Uniform (FDU). Blue uniform combinations include the blue service uniform, service dress, and PTG. Watch caps will be worn snuggly over the top of the head and present a tight fit appearance. Adjust cap so it fits squarely on the head. No bunching or sagging is authorized.

6.2.8. Sage Green Watch Cap: The sage green watch cap (knit or fleece) is authorized when wearing the PTG, FDU, or ABU authorized outer garments. Watch caps will be worn snuggly over top of head and present a tight fit appearance. Adjust cap so it fits squarely on the head. No bunching or sagging is authorized.
7.1.13. **Headphones:** Headphones are authorized in the fitness center, at the par course, on the quarter mile track, and on the half mile track near the dormitories. Headphones are also authorized at Bear Lake when the course is in use for official testing. Headphones are not authorized while engaged in organized group PT programs.

8.1.2.1. **Functional Winter Clothing Items:** The wear of issued specialized winter flight clothing to include black undergarments with the FDU is authorized during the established winter period.

8.1.2.2. **(Added) Air Force Issued Cold Weather Gear:** Personnel are authorized to wear Air Force issued cold weather gear not listed in AFI 36-2903. Cold weather items must be consistent with Air Force uniform color and pattern. Wear is only authorized during the established winter period.

9.1.1. **Established Winter Period:** The established winter period at Eielson AFB is designated as 1 October through 31 March. The following paragraphs through 9.1.1.9 outline wear provisions for arctic clothing.

9.1.1.1. **Cold Weather Parka:** The green cold weather parka with a fur-edged hood and GEN III-Layer 7 Extreme Cold Weather Parka are authorized for use at Eielson AFB during the established winter period. When weather conditions warrant, the green cold weather parka and GEN III-Layer 7 Extreme Cold Weather Parka may be worn with all uniform combinations. When the cold weather parka hood is worn over the head, a hat is not required.

9.1.1.2. **(Added) The GEN III-Layer 7 Extreme Cold Weather Parka will have a Velcro ABU print last name tape with dark blue block lettering centered between the zipper and sleeve seam on the wearer’s right chest. It will also have a 2 inch squared Velcro subdued cloth rank with a solid sage green background flushed and centered above the last name tape on the wearer’s right chest. A Velcro ABU print U.S. Air Force tape with dark blue, block lettering will be even with the last name tape and centered between the zipper and sleeve seam on the wearer’s left chest. When deployed or TDY, Airmen must comply with local rules for wear/use.

9.1.1.3. **Quilted Thermals:** Quilted thermal shirts and trousers are functional clothing items worn as an undergarment. While actively engaged in the work area quilted thermal shirts are authorized for wear uncovered.

9.1.1.4. **Ski/Face Mask:** The black or sage ski/face mask is authorized for wear during the established winter period. The mask portion will be removed when entering any base facility unless specifically authorized by the individual’s commander.

9.1.1.5. **Arctic Wear:** Arctic coveralls/jackets (e.g., Carhartts) and work gloves are functional clothing items designed for protection from the extreme cold. The gloves can either be sage green or black with a small conservative logo. They are authorized for wear only during the established winter period. Arctic coveralls will only be worn in the performance of duties that require a significant level of protection. They will not be worn when traveling to and from work or for extended periods when in the work center.

9.1.1.6. **Polypropylene Socks:** Polypropylene socks are authorized for wear during the established winter period. The colors of socks authorized for wear with the ABU are sand, sage or green. Black socks are authorized for wear with the blue uniform.
9.1.1.7. **Footwear:** Winter style footwear (e.g., Mukluk, Danner, ski, Sorel, or vapor barrier boots) are authorized for wear with the PTG when traversing from a vehicle or dormitories to the gym. Appropriate footwear tread and/or traction devices should be used during icy conditions. Traction devices will be removed upon entering any facility.

9.1.1.8. **(Added) Unit Initial Cold Weather Gear Issue Guidelines:** Due to the extreme temperatures experienced during the winter period at Eielson AFB, units will be responsible to outfit members with appropriate clothing to allow mission completion. At a minimum, units will be responsible to issue the items listed in Attachment 2. Note: At unit’s discretion, a Cold Weather Parka may be issued via AF IMT 1297 and required to be returned upon completion of tour.

9.1.1.9. **Eielson Unit-Issued Safety and Cold Weather Gear:** Individual issued gear is not authorized for off-duty use except in emergencies. Issued gear is intended to facilitate the ability to complete the Air Force and base mission. Wearing this gear for off duty purposes adds unnecessary wear and tear and increases replacement costs to the unit. Transiting to and from work or TDY is considered duty for the purposes of this restriction.

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Attachment 1

GLOSSARY OF REFERENCES AND SUPPORTING INFORMATION

References
AFMAN 33-363, Management of Records, 1 March 2008
AFI 21-101, EIELSON AFB SUP, Aircraft and Equipment Management, 21 February 2012
AFI 91-203, Air Force Consolidated Occupational Safety Instruction, 15 June 2012

Abbreviations and Acronyms
ABU—Airman Battle Uniform
AF—Air Force
AFB—Air Force Base
AFI—Air Force Instruction
AFRIMS—Air Force Records Information Management System
ALS—Airman Leadership School
CCC—Command Chief
CV—Vice Commander
FDU—Flight Duty Uniform
FW—Fighter Wing
IAW—In Accordance With
OPR—Office of Primary Responsibility
PACAF—Pacific Air Forces
PTG—Physical Training Gear
RDS—Records Disposal Schedule
TDY—Temporary Duty
USAF—United States Air Force

Terms
Parka—When used in this instruction, “parka” refers to a green cold weather parka with a fur-edged hood or GEN III-Layer 7 Extreme Cold Weather Parka.
Established Winter Period—1 October through 31 March
Attachment 2

MINIMUM CLOTHING ITEM ISSUE

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