

**UNCLASSIFIED/****Subject:** WEAR OF LEATHER STAIN RESISTANT GREEN BOOTS**Originator:** /C=US/O=U.S. GOVERNMENT/OU=DOD/OU=AF/OU=ORGANIZATIONS/L=PENTAGON WASHINGTON DC/OU=HQ USAF A1 (UC)/OU=HQ USAF A1S(UC)**DTG:** 051930Z Oct 11 **Precedence:** ROUTINE **DAC:** General**To:** /C=US/O=U.S. GOVERNMENT/OU=DOD/OU=AF/OU=ORGANIZATIONS/L=PENTAGON WASHINGTON DC/OU=HQ USAF A1(UC)/OU=HQ USAF A1S(UC)

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REF: WEAR OF BLACK BOOTS WITH ABU IN INDUSTRIAL AREAS - 132024Z FEB 09

1. REFERENCE MESSAGE, PARA 3 STATES "MAJCOM APPROVAL AUTHORITY FOR WEAR OF BLACK BOOTS IN INDUSTRIAL AREAS WILL REMAIN AN OPTION UNTIL STAIN RESISTANT SAGE GREEN BOOTS ARE AVAILABLE."
2. FULL GRAIN LEATHER STAIN RESISTANT GREEN BOOTS BECAME AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE/ISSUE TO AIRMEN IN INDUSTRIAL AREAS IN MAY 2011. AS OF 1 NOVEMBER 2011, BLACK BOOTS WILL NO LONGER BE AUTHORIZED FOR WEAR IN LIEU OF GREEN STAIN-RESISTANT BOOTS IN INDUSTRIAL AREAS.
3. AIRMEN WEARING GREEN STAIN-RESISTANT BOOTS WITH ABUS WILL NOT BE CONFINED TO WEAR ONLY IN THE WORKPLACE.
4. IN ADDITION, THIS MESSAGE EXPANDS AUTHORITY FOR OPTIONAL WEAR OF LEATHER STAIN RESISTANT BOOTS WITH THE ABU TO INCLUDE ALL AIRMEN. AIRMEN NOT WORKING IN INDUSTRIAL AREAS ARE ALSO AUTHORIZED TO PURCHASE AND WEAR THE LEATHER STAIN RESISTANT BOOT.
5. QUESTIONS SHOULD BE ADDRESSED THROUGH YOUR CHAIN OF COMMAND.

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