



**DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS 9TH RECONNAISSANCE WING (ACC)
BEALE AIR FORCE BASE CALIFORNIA**

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MEMORANDUM FOR BEALE AFB

FROM: 9 RW/CC

SUBJECT: Exemptions to Health Protection Condition (HPCON)-Driven Workplace Occupancy Limit

References: (a) Undersecretary of Defense Memorandum, "Consolidated Department of Defense Coronavirus Disease 2019 Force Health Protection Guidance," April 4, 2022
(b) Secretary of the Air Force, "Department of the Air Force (DAF) Guidance for Commander's Risk-Based Responses and Implementation of the Health Protection Condition Framework during the Coronavirus Disease 2019 Pandemic," May 19, 2021

1. The health and welfare of our Total Force team at Beale AFB is of utmost importance. We must take all measures necessary to mitigate the risks of the spread of COVID-19. At the same time, we will continue to execute our missions in support of national defense.

2. Reference (a) outlines measures for reduced workplace occupancy with corresponding HPCON level changes. However, there are multiple units at Beale AFB that are exempt by the Secretary of the Air Force in reference (b) from these limits. The following units and their workspaces are exempt from HPCON-driven workplace occupancy limits:

- a. 9th Reconnaissance Wing: Command Post, Advance Programs
- b. 9th Operations Group: all units
- c. 9th Maintenance Group: all units
- d. 9th Medical Group: all units
- e. 9th Mission Support Group: all units
- f. Tenant units: 940 ARW, 195 WG, 548 ISRG, 7 SWS

3. All other public health protection measures, as directed in the HPCON change message (such as mask wear or reduced visitor access), are not exempt.

4. Direct any questions or comments to the 9 RW/CCX at 9rw.ccx@us.af.mil.

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