



**WELCOME TO MARINE CORPS AIR  
STATION (MCAS) YUMA AZ  
(MISSION ASSURANCE DEPARTMENT)**

You have taken an oath to defend our National Security of the United States of America. Defending our national security takes your conscience and continual efforts! All of our lives are worth saving! Failure to do your **best** work for us means that by inaction or default – you are working for our enemies. Safeguarding both classified information and sensitive unclassified information is one of your obligations to the Marine Corps team and your country. Safeguarding both classified and sensitive unclassified information requires you to be alert and vigorously apply the principals concerning security.

- There are Foreign Intelligence Operatives in Arizona!
- Never discuss your personal information or any classified or sensitive unclassified information on any phone, fax or computer.
- **YOU** are a **TARGET** of foreign intelligence operatives. Their methods are subtle and varied. You must be alert to and cautious in dealing with all persons who are inquisitive about your personal life and especially your military duties and information.
- As a vital member of the Marine Corps team, you have the irrecusable responsibility to immediately report **ANY** contact, incidents or situations which could jeopardize the freedom of our great nation and the security of the Marine Corps or DoD. Listed are a few examples of contacts or incidents that you **MUST REPORT** to the Station Security Manager at the Mission Assurance Department at 928-269-2252 or 1-800-543-NAVY:



Attempts by any person to obtain either classified or sensitive unclassified information from you.



If you are concerned that you may be the target of exploitation by a foreign entity.



Any attempts to obtain any information from you which are prying, intrusive or make you uncomfortable or suspicious. Any elicitation attempts.



Any attempts by individuals to cultivate your friendship or to place you under obligation for the purpose of providing any information.



Threats to expose your past or present misdeeds or to exploit your personal life's problems.



Any information concerning **SABOTAGE, SEDITION, SUBVERSION, TERRORIST THREATS** or information that may pose a direct threat to U.S. personnel, facilities, activities or resources.

• When approached, do not take any action to exploit, apprehend, restrict or encourage the situation. Do not attempt to conduct any investigation on your own. You may endanger your own life and the lives of your friends and family by doing so.

- When in a foreign travel status, report to the nearest U.S. military Attache, Embassy or Consulate. Any information you furnish them will be held in strict confidence.
- The penalties for the loss or the unauthorized use of classified or sensitive unclassified information can range from 10 years imprisonment and/or a \$10,000 fine.
- Espionage is a crime. Committing espionage makes you a Traitor to your country and the Marine Corps. It is said that, "...being a traitor is perhaps the ultimate of all crimes."
- **MARINES**....the penalty for peacetime espionage is punishment as a court martial may direct. The penalty for peacetime Capital espionage is **DEATH**.
- **CIVILIANS**....the penalty for peacetime espionage include imprisonment or a fine under 18 USC SECTION 3591 or an offense under SECTION 794, 'Gathering or delivering Defense Information to aid Foreign Governments' as determined by a federal court. You could also be sentenced to **DEATH**.

- You are reminded that you must maintain the highest standards of conduct required of persons holding a position of trust. You must avoid personal behavior which could make you ineligible to access classified information or any assignments to sensitive duties.

- If you should have any questions or comments regarding any of this vital information and you will be assigned to and checking into Headquarters & Headquarters Squadron (H&HS) of MCAS Yuma, please contact the Mission Assurance Department by calling us, Commercial: 928-269-3149 or 928-269-6750 or by DSN: 269-3149 or 269-6750. The Mission Assurance Department is located in Bldg. T-461.

- If you are assigned to and checking into any other command located here at MCAS Yuma, please contact the appropriate S-2 Department.

