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Office of the Military Department Inspector General

Honorable Toni G. Atkins, President pro Tempore of the Senate

Honorable Anthony Rendon, Speaker of the Assembly

Honorable Bob Archuleta, Chair, Senate Military and Veterans Affairs Committee

Honorable James Ramos, Chair, Assembly Military and Veterans Affairs Committee

Pursuant to Military and Veterans Code Section 55, this letter constitutes the Military Department Inspector General's quarterly report regarding investigations and assistance cases completed by the Inspector General's office.

This reporting quarter, January 1, 2023, through March 31, 2023, the Military Department Inspector General completed one (1) investigation, report enclosed. The Military Department Inspector General completed 10 assistance cases.

The Office of the Military Department Inspector General has five (5) open assistance cases and three (3) open investigations.

Please direct any questions or comments concerning this quarterly report to the Military Department Inspector General at (916) 854-3483.

Sincerely,

Melissa A. Matthews Master Sergeant (CA) Military Department Chief of Inspections

Report of Results of Investigation CMD-IG-23-011

- 1. **PURPOSE AND AUTHORITY**: The California Military Department Inspector General (CMD-IG) Office received a complaint regarding a State Active Duty (SAD) MG, on or around (o/a) 20 November 2022. The complainant alleged that a MG made offensive remarks as identified by the complainant. On 9 December 2022, the Office of Governor Newsom directed the CMD-IG to investigate and report on the allegation that a MG made offensive remarks.
- 2. COMPLAINANT STATUS: MG, SAD
- **3. ALLEGATION**: Determine whether a SAD MG made offensive remarks in violation of Army Command Policy (AR 600-20), Chapter 6-2(b), CMD Regulation 600-1, Chapter 14-4, TAG Policy memorandum 2020-08, 2020-11, and 2020-13.

SUMMARY AND FINDINGS: The allegations that a SAD MG made offensive remarks in violation of Army Command Policy (AR 600-20), Chapter 6-2(b), CMD Regulation 600-1, Chapter 14-4, TAG Policy memorandum 2020-08, 2020-11 and 2020-13 were not substantiated. This office determined that there was insufficient evidence to support the allegation(s) that a SAD MG made offensive remarks.