

HAMMER Weapons Policy

In accordance with MSC-PRO-417, *Controlling Prohibited and Controlled Articles*, Hanford Patrol, Local, State, and Federal Law Enforcement personnel are authorized to transport or bear prohibited/controlled articles necessary to perform official duties.

Local, State, and Federal law enforcement personnel are authorized to carry weapons inside the HAMMER facility provided they remain holstered or slung unless needed in a preserve/save life capacity. Law enforcement personnel must be in uniform or prominently display their agency shield unless they are carrying a concealed weapon.

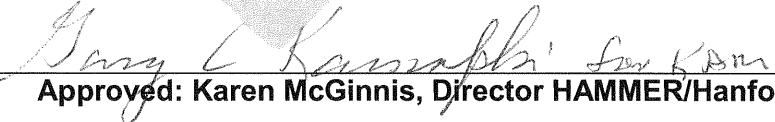
Any exceptions to this policy will be handled on a case by case basis and be approved by the HAMMER Director, Manager of MSA Physical Security, and Commandant of the Hanford Patrol Training Academy.

Live fire weapon training or demonstrations are not authorized at HAMMER.

Simulated Weapons

Engagement Simulation Systems (ESS) (e.g. Dye marking cartridge firearms, multiple integrated laser engagement systems or MILES, blank fire weapons) are permitted at HAMMER. **It is mandatory that live fire weapons are segregated from ESS weapons.** Inert training weapons in the form of blue or red guns are also authorized for use at HAMMER; again the co-mingling of live fire weapons is prohibited. Blue or red guns are solid plastic replicas of live fire weapons incapable by design of firing any type of ammunition.

“Notify HAMMER Work Control at 376-5353 immediately upon discovery of any non-compliance to this policy.”


Approved: Karen McGinnis, Director HAMMER/Hanford Training

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