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WEARING OF UNIFORM BY CAP PERSONNEL
ON ACTIVE-DUTY ASSIGNMENT

1. All CAP personnel on active duty assignment are required to wear the prescribed CAP uniform. Under the policy governing CAP operations, the cost of which is borne by the War Department, no personnel can be retained on active duty assignment who do not conform with this requirement.

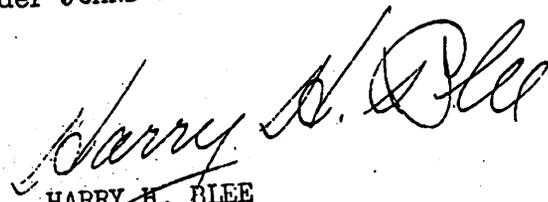
2. The uniform authorized for Civil Air Patrol by the War Department General Staff is the same as the standard service uniform and insignia of grade (officers and enlisted men) used by the Army Air Forces with the following distinctive exceptions:

- a. Red shoulder loops on outer garment, whether it be shirt, jacket, coat, overcoat, or raincoat.
- b. Red sleeve braid on officers' uniforms and red background for grade insignia of enlisted men.
- c. CAP shoulder patch designed by Office of the Quartermaster General for wear on outer half of left sleeve $\frac{1}{2}$ " below shoulder seam.
- d. Silver CAP buttons and insignia, including CAP cap insignia.
- e. Silver CAP pilot and observer insignia designed by Office of the Quartermaster General for wear on left breast instead of AAF pilot and observer insignia.

3. Inasmuch as red shoulder loops are required to be worn on the outer garment, there is no objection to CAP commissioned officers wearing rank insignia on the right side of the shirt collar, providing the silver letters "CAP" are worn on the left side of the shirt collar.

4. Any CAP personnel failing to conform with and abide by the foregoing requirements shall forthwith be relieved from active duty assignment.

By direction of National Commander JOHNSON:



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