

Legal Blotter
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1 February 2019 to 31 March 2019

30th Space Wing Office of the Staff Judge Advocate
(30 SW/JA)

Courts-Martial

None.

Upcoming Proceedings

The following proceedings are open to the public:

None at this time.

Article 15 Actions (Nonjudicial Punishment)

An airman assigned to a mission partner received forfeiture of \$119.00 pay and a reprimand for committing larceny, in violation of Article 121, UCMJ, for stealing an Xbox One S Controller from the Base Exchange.

An airman first class assigned to the 30th Space Wing received a reduction to the grade of airman suspended through 13 August 2019, 45 days of extra duty, and a reprimand for wrongfully communicating a threat to injure a person, and failing to obey a no contact order, in violation of Articles 115 and 92, UCMJ, respectively.

An airman first class assigned to the 30th Space Wing received a reduction to the grade of airman, forfeiture of \$439.00 pay suspended through 10 August 2019, and a reprimand for adultery, and having sexual intercourse while on duty, in violation of Articles 134 and 92, UCMJ, respectively.

An airman first class assigned to the 30th Space Wing received a reduction to the grade of airman suspended through 5 August 2019, forfeiture of \$100.00 pay per month for two months, restriction to base for 30 days, and a reprimand for failing to go to appointed places of duty, in violation of Article 86, UCMJ.

Involuntary Discharges

An airman assigned to a tenant unit was administratively discharged for failure to adapt to the military environment with an Entry Level service characterization.

An airman first class assigned to the 30th Space Wing was administratively discharged for failure to meet minimum fitness standards with an Honorable service characterization.

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An airman first class assigned to a tenant unit was administratively discharged for a mental disorder interfering with military service with an Entry Level service characterization.

Administrative Demotions

A staff sergeant assigned to the 30th Space Wing was reduced to the rank of senior airman for failure to keep fit.

An airman first class assigned to the 30th Space Wing was reduced to the rank of airman for failure to fulfill responsibilities, drunk driving.

From the 30th Space Wing's Office of the Staff Judge Advocate: The Uniform Code of Military Justice authorizes commanders to exercise personal discretion in evaluating each case. Commanders consider the nature of the offense, the record of the servicemember, the needs for good order and discipline, the effect of punishment on the servicemember, and the servicemember's record. Every case is unique and is evaluated independently. The Manual for Courts-Martial reminds us that military law promotes justice, assists in the maintenance of good order and discipline in the armed forces, promotes the efficiency and effectiveness of the military establishment, and strengthens the national security of the United States.