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MEMORANDUM FOR: All NYG Soldiers

SUBJECT: New York Guard Appearance and Grooming Policy

1. References:

- a. NYG Directive 1304- Enlistment and Appointments
- b. NYG Directive 1305- Promotions
- c. NYG Directive 1334- Wear and Appearance of Uniforms
- d. AR 670-1, 10 April 2015

2. The memorandum will confirm existing NYG policy for Appearance and Grooming. The purpose of this memorandum is to ensure that soldiers present a professional image at all times that is consistent with those of the other components of New York State Division of Military and Naval Affairs, primarily the Army and Air National Guard.

3. The standards for Appearance and Grooming for the New York Guard are contained in the current version of AR- 670-1, dated 10 April 2015.

4. These standards apply to hair and fingernail standards and grooming policies while on NYG duty, whether in uniform or civilian attire.

5. The reference to these standards will be incorporated in future updates to NYG Directives 1304, 1305 and 1334.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Stephen A. Bucaria".

STEPHEN A. BUCARIA
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Commander