



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: Failure to Notify Commander of Serious Incident

1. On 061530OCT21, I was approached by the commander of [REDACTED] CPT [REDACTED] who informed me SGT [REDACTED] of [REDACTED] had struck one of his Soldiers and left her with a black eye. The same day at 1600, I asked 1SG [REDACTED] and SSG [REDACTED], the [REDACTED] Platoon Sergeant, to come into my office and asked if either of them was aware of a problem with SGT [REDACTED]. The goal of this was to see if they had been told anything by SGT [REDACTED] that would help shed light on the situation. 1SG [REDACTED] stated SGT [REDACTED] had informed him of an altercation he had been in with his roommate, which occurred on 04OCT21 at approximately 1700.

2. At no time between the event occurring and me posing the question to 1SG [REDACTED] did he ever bring to my attention that one of our NCOs had had a physical altercation with another service member, even though he had been aware of the situation. So far, this situation has resulted in a CCIR [REDACTED], a police report, and a MPO and could have been addressed hours, if not a full day, before it actually was.

3. Point of contact for this memorandum is the undersigned at [REDACTED] or [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
CPT, [REDACTED]
Commanding