

EGYPT

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RULES/GENERAL LAWS

General	1. Law of Military Judgments.
	2. Rules of service in the field.
	Egyptian military personnel are on duty 24/7 when deployed.
	United Nations rules on prevention of sexual exploitation are implemented through rules of service in the field and United Nations rules of conduct.
SEA: military offence?	Egypt does not have any military offences that would be considered as sexual exploitation or sexual abuse.
Powers of the Commanding Officer (CO)	Commanding Officers (CO) are authorized to promulgate rules. COs also derive rules from the Law of Military Judgments, rules of service in the field, and United Nations conduct rules.
	The Commanding Officer has administrative, disciplinary, criminal, and investigative powers. See Law of Military Judgments.

INVESTIGATION

Who can investigate?	The person authorized to investigate allegations of sexual exploitation and abuse in the field is the military investigating officer from Military Judgments Authority.
National Investigation Officer (NIO)	Egypt deploys a national investigations officer in all Egyptian military contingent of a battalion level and send a national investigations officer to investigate any alleged cases at company level.

PROSECUTION

Referral	The national investigations officer refers completed investigations to the Military Judgments Authority for further action.
Who can charge?	Military prosecuting authority/military prosecutor can bring charges of sexual exploitation and abuse against a military person.

JUSTICE

Military justice	Egypt has a military justice system.
Deployable Court Martial?	Egypt has a peacetime deployable Court Martial system.

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