

MILITARY GOVERNMENT—GERMANY
UNITED STATES ZONE

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Ordinance No. 4

PROHIBITION OF WEARING OF GERMAN MILITARY UNIFORMS

ARTICLE I

1. No former member of the German armed forces and no other civilian shall at any time wear or display on his person or clothing any military decorations, medals, insignia or badges of rank or any miniatures thereof.

ARTICLE II

2. From the effective date of this article, no former member, of the German armed forces and no other civilian shall at any time wear a German military uniform, or any part thereof, in its regulation color and pattern.

3. The wearing of garments which have been produced by dyeing a uniform a color other than blue or olive drab or by remodeling it into a civilian pattern will be permitted, provided such dyed or remodeled garment may not be readily identified as a uniform. This provision does not apply to headgear of any German military uniform, which will in no event be worn.

ARTICLE III

4. The term "German military uniform" shall mean any uniform of
- (a) any branch of the German armed forces, including any German armed forces prior to 16 March 1935,
 - »(b) the National Socialist German Labor Party, its formations or affiliated or supervised organizations, and
 - (c) any German paramilitary organization,
- and any police uniforms similar thereto, and shall include all outer garments including shirts and headgear but not including boots, shoes or socks.