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CARLISLE, PENNSYLVANIA 17013-5042

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF
ATWC-CHR

MEMORANDUM FOR Department of the Army, Deputy Chief of Staff G1, (DAPE-PRC),
300 Army Pentagon, Washington DC 20301-0300

SUBJECT: BAH Policy Waiver Request

1. Reference ALARACT 101/2003 msg, DTG R302201ZJUL03.
2. I, _____(Rank, First Name, Last Name),
_____(SSAN) request a BAH policy waiver to receive BAH at the With-
Dependent Rate based on (select one):
 - a. Dependent's location at _____(enter location).
 - b. Previous duty station of _____(enter location).

I will depart my current duty station enroute to the U.S. Army War College on or about
_____(enter date). I am _____ I am not _____dual military (initial).

3. I agree to limited PCS entitlements to include without dependent rate dislocation allowance (DLA), temporary lodging expense (TLE), and per diem. I further agree that my shipping entitlement is limited to the unaccompanied baggage weight allowance to include my professional books, papers, and equipment. I understand that I am not entitled to family separation allowance (FSA) or family separation housing (FSH).

4. Request approval/disapproval sent to _____
_____(enter
fax number and mailing address).

(Soldiers signature mandatory)

- 2 Enclosures
1. Copy of Present Duty Station PCS Orders
 2. Copy of PCS Orders to USAWC

INFORMATION PAPER

ATWC-CHR
6 August 2003

SUBJECT: Basic Allowance for Housing (BAH) Waiver

1. Reference: ALARACT 101/2003 msg, DTG R302201ZJUL03.
2. Purpose: To provide information and processing guidance regarding the BAH waiver initiative.
3. Facts: On 26 JUN 03 DoD approved an initiative allowing BAH waiver requests from personnel attending certain short term assignments based on their previous duty station or family members location, whichever is more equitable.
 - a. Effective 26 JUN 03 soldiers departing PCS for 12 months or less for Professional Military Education (PME) or training classes may request BAH at a rate other than the new permanent duty station when the soldier resides separately from their family members. Soldiers may request the With-Dependent BAH Rate at the family member's location or previous duty station.
 - b. In order to be eligible to receive the With-Dependent BAH rate at the family member's location or previous duty station, soldier must agree, in writing, to limited PCS entitlements. Entitlements under these circumstance are: Shipment of authorized unaccompanied baggage weight allowance (Officers: O1-O5 = 600 LBS, O6-O7 = 800 LBS, O8-O10 = 1,000 LBS, Enl = 500 LBS) **to include professional books, papers and equipment**, limited Dislocation Allowance (DLA) at the Without-Dependent Rate, Temporary Lodging Expense (TLE), and Per Diem.
4. Initial local implementation of the BAH initiative is as follows. Soldiers interested in applying for the BAH rate at the family member's location or previous duty station will complete the above memorandum for submission. Soldiers may personally fax, (703) 692-5045 or mail their requests directly to Department of the Army, Deputy Chief of Staff G-1, (DAPE-PRC), 300 Army Pentagon, Washington DC 20301-0300 for approval/disapproval.
5. Upon approval/disapproval of soldier's requests, DAPE-PRC will mail or fax the completed action to the source of submission as designated in paragraph 4 of the application above. Soldiers receiving their approval directly will provide a copy of the signed completed action to their services orders issuing agency for publishing of amendment to PCS orders to USAWC. A copy of amendments will be required to complete in-processing at the USAWC to reflect the limited PCS entitlements as stated above.