

POLICY JUSTIFICATION**Turkey—AIM-9X-2 SIDEWINDER Missiles**

The Government of Turkey has requested a possible sale of 117 AIM-9X-2 SIDEWINDER Block II All-Up-Round Missiles, 6 AIM-9X-2 Block II Tactical Guidance Units, 6 Dummy Air Training Missiles, 130 LAU-129 Launchers, containers, missile support and test equipment, provisioning, spare and repair parts, personnel training and training equipment, publications and technical data, U.S. Government and contractor technical assistance and other related logistics support. The estimated cost is \$140 million.

Turkey is a partner of the United States in ensuring peace and stability in the region. It is vital to the U.S. national interest to assist our North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) ally in developing and maintaining a strong and ready self-defense capability that will contribute to an acceptable military balance in the area. This proposed sale is consistent with those objectives.

The Turkish Air Force is modernizing its fighter aircraft to better support its own air defense needs. The proposed sale of AIM-9X-2 missiles will improve Turkey's capability for self defense, modernization, regional security, and interoperability with the U.S. and other NATO members, making it a more valuable partner in an increasingly important area of the world. Turkey will have no difficulty absorbing these missiles into its armed forces.

The proposed sale of this weapon system will not alter the basic military balance in the region.

The prime contractor will be Raytheon Missile Systems Company in Tucson, Arizona. There are no known offset agreements in connection with this potential sale.

Implementation of this proposed sale will require travel of U.S. Government or contractor representatives to Turkey on a temporary basis for program technical support and management oversight.

There will be no adverse impact on U.S. defense readiness as a result of this proposed sale.

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Notice of Proposed Issuance of Letter of Offer Pursuant to Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act

Annex

Item No. vii

(vii) *Sensitivity of Technology:*

1. The AIM-9X-2 SIDEWINDER Block II Missile represents a substantial increase in missile acquisition and kinematics performance over the AIM-9M and replaces the AIM-9X-1 Block I missile configuration. The missile includes a high off bore-sight seeker, enhanced countermeasure rejection capability, low drag/high angle of attack airframe and the ability to integrate the Helmet Mounted Cueing System. The software algorithms are the most sensitive portion of the AIM-9X-2 missile. The software continues to be modified via a pre-planned product improvement (P³I) program in order to improve its counter-countermeasures capabilities. No software source code or algorithms will be released.

2. The AIM-9X-2 will result in the transfer of sensitive technology and information. The equipment, hardware, and documentation are classified Confidential. The software and operational performance are classified Secret. The seeker/guidance control section and the target detector are Confidential and contain sensitive state-of-the-art technology. Manuals and technical documentation that are necessary or support operational use and organizational management are classified up to Secret. Performance and operating logic of the counter-countermeasures circuits are classified Secret. The hardware, software, and data identified are classified to protect vulnerabilities, design and performance parameters and similar critical information.

3. If a technologically advanced adversary were to obtain knowledge of the specific hardware and software elements, the information could be used to develop countermeasures that might reduce weapon system effectiveness or be used in the development of a system with similar or advanced capabilities.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**Office of the Secretary****Revised Non-Foreign Overseas Per Diem Rates**

AGENCY: Per Diem, Travel and Transportation Allowance Committee, DoD.

ACTION: Notice of revised non-foreign overseas per diem rates.

SUMMARY: The Per Diem, Travel and Transportation Allowance Committee is publishing Civilian Personnel Per Diem Bulletin Number 287. This bulletin lists revisions in the per diem rates prescribed for U.S. Government employees for official travel in Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands and Possessions of the United States. AEA changes announced in Bulletin Number 194 remain in effect. Bulletin Number 287 is being published in the **Federal Register** to assure that travelers are paid per diem at the most current rates.

DATES: *Effective Date:* January 1, 2013.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mrs. Sonia Malik, 571-372-1276.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This document gives notice of revisions in per diem rates prescribed by the Per Diem Travel and Transportation Allowance Committee for non-foreign areas outside the continental United States. It supersedes Civilian Personnel Per Diem Bulletin Number 286. Distribution of Civilian Personnel Per Diem Bulletins by mail was discontinued. Per Diem Bulletins published periodically in the **Federal Register** now constitute the only notification of revisions in per diem rates to agencies and establishments outside the Department of Defense. For more information or questions about per diem rates, please contact your local travel office. The text of the Bulletin follows: The changes in Civilian Bulletin 287 are updated rates for Alaska.

Dated: December 31, 2012.

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Maximum Per Diem Rates for official travel in Alaska, Hawaii, the Commonwealths of Puerto Rico and the Northern Islands and Possessions of the United States by Federal Government civilian employees.

LOCALITY		MAXIMUM LODGING AMOUNT (A)	+	MEALS AND INCIDENTALS RATE (B)	=	MAXIMUM PER DIEM RATE (C)	EFFECTIVE DATE
ALASKA							
[OTHER]							
	01/01 - 12/31	110		118		228	1/1/2013
ADAK							
	01/01 - 12/31	120		79		199	7/1/2003
ANCHORAGE [INCL NAV RES]							
	05/16 - 09/30	213		119		332	1/1/2013
	10/01 - 05/15	99		107		206	1/1/2013
BARROW							
	01/01 - 12/31	159		95		254	10/1/2002
BETHEL							
	01/01 - 12/31	179		101		280	1/1/2013
BETTLES							
	01/01 - 12/31	135		62		197	10/1/2004
CLEAR AB							
	01/01 - 12/31	90		82		172	10/1/2006
COLDFOOT							
	01/01 - 12/31	165		70		235	10/1/2006
COPPER CENTER							
	09/16 - 05/14	99		80		179	1/1/2013
	05/15 - 09/15	149		85		234	1/1/2013
CORDOVA							
	01/01 - 12/31	95		117		212	1/1/2013
CRAIG							
	10/01 - 03/31	80		72		152	1/1/2013
	04/01 - 09/30	129		77		206	1/1/2013
DEADHORSE							
	01/01 - 12/31	170		68		238	8/1/2012
DELTA JUNCTION							
	01/01 - 12/31	129		54		183	1/1/2013
DENALI NATIONAL PARK							

LOCALITY		MAXIMUM LODGING AMOUNT (A)	+	MEALS AND INCIDENTALS RATE (B)	=	MAXIMUM PER DIEM RATE (C)	EFFECTIVE DATE
	05/01 - 09/30	159		95		254	1/1/2013
	10/01 - 04/30	89		89		178	1/1/2013
DILLINGHAM							
	05/15 - 10/15	185		111		296	1/1/2011
	10/16 - 05/14	169		109		278	1/1/2011
DUTCH HARBOR-UNALASKA							
	01/01 - 12/31	121		102		223	2/1/2012
EARECKSON AIR STATION							
	01/01 - 12/31	90		77		167	6/1/2007
EIELSON AFB							
	09/16 - 05/14	75		88		163	1/1/2013
	05/15 - 09/15	154		96		250	1/1/2013
ELFIN COVE							
	05/15 - 09/10	175		46		221	1/1/2013
	09/11 - 05/14	150		44		194	1/1/2013
ELMENDORF AFB							
	05/16 - 09/30	213		119		332	1/1/2013
	10/01 - 05/15	99		107		206	1/1/2013
FAIRBANKS							
	05/15 - 09/15	154		96		250	1/1/2013
	09/16 - 05/14	75		88		163	1/1/2013
FOOTLOOSE							
	01/01 - 12/31	175		18		193	10/1/2002
FT. GREELY							
	01/01 - 12/31	129		54		183	1/1/2013
FT. RICHARDSON							
	10/01 - 05/15	99		107		206	1/1/2013
	05/16 - 09/30	213		119		332	1/1/2013
FT. WAINWRIGHT							
	05/15 - 09/15	154		96		250	1/1/2013
	09/16 - 05/14	75		88		163	1/1/2013
GAMBELL							
	01/01 - 12/31	105		39		144	1/1/2011
GLENNALLEN							

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	05/15 - 09/15	149		85		234	1/1/2013
	09/16 - 05/14	99		80		179	1/1/2013
HAINES							
	01/01 - 12/31	107		101		208	1/1/2011
HEALY							
	10/01 - 04/30	89		89		178	1/1/2013
	05/01 - 09/30	159		95		254	1/1/2013
HOMER							
	05/05 - 09/15	159		103		262	1/1/2013
	09/16 - 05/04	89		98		187	1/1/2013
JUNEAU							
	05/16 - 09/15	149		100		249	1/1/2013
	09/16 - 05/15	135		99		234	1/1/2013
KAKTOVIK							
	01/01 - 12/31	165		86		251	10/1/2002
KAVIK CAMP							
	01/01 - 12/31	150		69		219	10/1/2002
KENAI-SOLDOTNA							
	11/01 - 04/30	79		108		187	1/1/2013
	05/01 - 10/31	99		110		209	1/1/2013
KENNICOTT							
	01/01 - 12/31	275		109		384	1/1/2013
KETCHIKAN							
	10/01 - 04/30	99		85		184	1/1/2013
	05/01 - 09/30	135		88		223	1/1/2013
KING SALMON							
	05/01 - 10/01	225		91		316	10/1/2002
	10/02 - 04/30	125		81		206	10/1/2002
KLAWOCK							
	04/01 - 09/30	129		77		206	1/1/2013
	10/01 - 03/31	80		72		152	1/1/2013
KODIAK							
	10/01 - 04/30	100		88		188	2/1/2012
	05/01 - 09/30	152		93		245	2/1/2012

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KOTZEBUE							
	01/01 - 12/31	219		115		334	2/1/2012
KULIS AGS							
	05/16 - 09/30	213		119		332	1/1/2013
	10/01 - 05/15	99		107		206	1/1/2013
MCCARTHY							
	01/01 - 12/31	275		109		384	1/1/2013
MCGRATH							
	01/01 - 12/31	165		69		234	10/1/2006
MURPHY DOME							
	05/15 - 09/15	154		96		250	1/1/2013
	09/16 - 05/14	75		88		163	1/1/2013
NOME							
	01/01 - 12/31	150		132		282	1/1/2013
NUIQSUT							
	01/01 - 12/31	180		53		233	10/1/2002
PETERSBURG							
	01/01 - 12/31	110		118		228	1/1/2013
POINT HOPE							
	01/01 - 12/31	200		49		249	1/1/2011
POINT LAY							
	01/01 - 12/31	225		51		276	8/1/2011
PORT ALEXANDER							
	01/01 - 12/31	150		43		193	8/1/2010
PORT ALSWORTH							
	01/01 - 12/31	135		88		223	10/1/2002
PRUDHOE BAY							
	01/01 - 12/31	170		68		238	1/1/2011
SELDOVIA							
	05/05 - 09/15	159		103		262	1/1/2013
	09/16 - 05/04	89		98		187	1/1/2013
SEWARD							
	10/16 - 04/30	84		85		169	1/1/2013
	05/01 - 10/15	174		94		268	1/1/2013

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SITKA-MT. EDGE CUMBE							
	10/01 - 04/30	169		113		282	1/1/2013
	05/01 - 09/30	209		117		326	1/1/2013
SKAGWAY							
	05/01 - 09/30	135		88		223	1/1/2013
	10/01 - 04/30	99		85		184	1/1/2013
SLANA							
	05/01 - 09/30	139		55		194	2/1/2005
	10/01 - 04/30	99		55		154	2/1/2005
SPRUCE CAPE							
	05/01 - 09/30	152		93		245	2/1/2012
	10/01 - 04/30	100		88		188	2/1/2012
ST. GEORGE							
	01/01 - 12/31	129		55		184	6/1/2004
TALKEETNA							
	01/01 - 12/31	100		89		189	10/1/2002
TANANA							
	01/01 - 12/31	150		132		282	1/1/2013
TOK							
	10/01 - 05/14	85		84		169	1/1/2013
	05/15 - 09/30	95		85		180	1/1/2013
UMIAT							
	01/01 - 12/31	350		64		414	2/1/2012
VALDEZ							
	05/16 - 09/14	219		121		340	1/1/2013
	09/15 - 05/15	139		113		252	1/1/2013
WAINWRIGHT							
	01/01 - 12/31	175		83		258	1/1/2011
WASILLA							
	05/01 - 09/30	164		103		267	1/1/2013
	10/01 - 04/30	96		96		192	1/1/2013
WRANGELL							
	05/01 - 09/30	135		88		223	1/1/2013
	10/01 - 04/30	99		85		184	1/1/2013

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YAKUTAT							
	01/01 - 12/31	105		94		199	1/1/2011
AMERICAN SAMOA							
AMERICAN SAMOA							
	01/01 - 12/31	139		96		235	9/1/2012
GUAM							
GUAM (INCL ALL MIL INSTAL)							
	01/01 - 12/31	159		96		255	7/1/2012
HAWAII							
[OTHER]							
	07/01 - 08/21	114		118		232	5/1/2012
	08/22 - 06/30	104		117		221	5/1/2012
CAMP H M SMITH							
	01/01 - 12/31	177		126		303	5/1/2012
EASTPAC NAVAL COMP TELE AREA							
	01/01 - 12/31	177		126		303	5/1/2012
FT. DERUSSEY							
	01/01 - 12/31	177		126		303	5/1/2012
FT. SHAFTER							
	01/01 - 12/31	177		126		303	5/1/2012
HICKAM AFB							
	01/01 - 12/31	177		126		303	5/1/2012
HONOLULU							
	01/01 - 12/31	177		126		303	5/1/2012
ISLE OF HAWAII: HILO							
	07/01 - 08/21	114		118		232	5/1/2012
	08/22 - 06/30	104		117		221	5/1/2012
ISLE OF HAWAII: OTHER							
	01/01 - 12/31	180		129		309	5/1/2012
ISLE OF KAUAI							
	01/01 - 12/31	243		131		374	5/1/2012
ISLE OF MAUI							
	01/01 - 12/31	209		137		346	5/1/2012

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ISLE OF OAHU							
	01/01 - 12/31	177		126		303	5/1/2012
KEKAHA PACIFIC MISSILE RANGE FAC							
	01/01 - 12/31	243		131		374	5/1/2012
KILAUEA MILITARY CAMP							
	07/01 - 08/21	114		118		232	5/1/2012
	08/22 - 06/30	104		117		221	5/1/2012
LANAI							
	01/01 - 12/31	249		155		404	5/1/2012
LUALUALEI NAVAL MAGAZINE							
	01/01 - 12/31	177		126		303	5/1/2012
MCB HAWAII							
	01/01 - 12/31	177		126		303	5/1/2012
MOLOKAI							
	01/01 - 12/31	131		89		220	5/1/2012
NAS BARBERS POINT							
	01/01 - 12/31	177		126		303	5/1/2012
PEARL HARBOR							
	01/01 - 12/31	177		126		303	5/1/2012
SCHOFIELD BARRACKS							
	01/01 - 12/31	177		126		303	5/1/2012
WHEELER ARMY AIRFIELD							
	01/01 - 12/31	177		126		303	5/1/2012
MIDWAY ISLANDS							
MIDWAY ISLANDS							
	01/01 - 12/31	125		68		193	5/1/2012
NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS							
[OTHER]							
	01/01 - 12/31	85		76		161	7/1/2012
ROTA							
	01/01 - 12/31	130		106		236	7/1/2012
SAIPAN							
	01/01 - 12/31	140		87		227	7/1/2012

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TINIAN	01/01 - 12/31	85		76		161	7/1/2012
PUERTO RICO							
[OTHER]	01/01 - 12/31	109		112		221	6/1/2012
AGUADILLA	01/01 - 12/31	124		76		200	10/1/2012
BAYAMON	01/01 - 12/31	195		128		323	9/1/2010
CAROLINA	01/01 - 12/31	195		128		323	9/1/2010
CEIBA	01/01 - 12/31	139		92		231	10/1/2012
CULEBRA	01/01 - 12/31	150		98		248	3/1/2012
FAJARDO [INCL ROOSEVELT RDS NAVSTAT]	01/01 - 12/31	139		92		231	10/1/2012
FT. BUCHANAN [INCL GSA SVC CTR, GUAYNABO]	01/01 - 12/31	195		128		323	9/1/2010
HUMACAO	01/01 - 12/31	139		92		231	10/1/2012
LUIS MUNOZ MARIN IAP AGS	01/01 - 12/31	195		128		323	9/1/2010
LUQUILLO	01/01 - 12/31	139		92		231	10/1/2012
MAYAGUEZ	01/01 - 12/31	109		112		221	9/1/2010
PONCE	01/01 - 12/31	149		89		238	9/1/2012
RIO GRANDE	01/01 - 12/31	169		123		292	6/1/2012
SABANA SECA [INCL ALL MILITARY]	01/01 - 12/31	195		128		323	9/1/2010

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SAN JUAN & NAV RES STA							
	01/01 - 12/31	195		128		323	9/1/2010
VIEQUES							
	01/01 - 12/31	175		95		270	3/1/2012
VIRGIN ISLANDS (U.S.)							
ST. CROIX							
	04/15 - 12/14	135		92		227	5/1/2006
	12/15 - 04/14	187		97		284	5/1/2006
ST. JOHN							
	04/15 - 12/14	163		98		261	5/1/2006
	12/15 - 04/14	220		104		324	5/1/2006
ST. THOMAS							
	04/15 - 12/14	240		105		345	5/1/2006
	12/15 - 04/14	299		111		410	5/1/2006
WAKE ISLAND							
	01/01 - 12/31	173		42		215	9/1/2012