

in the National Implementation Plan and the Human Resources Plan (WBS 1100). Delays in training or failure to fill required positions will increase the risk of degradation of service;

(2) The availability of operational systems in each modernized field office meets requirements as established by the modernization criteria and documented in the System Commissioning and Support Function Demonstration Plans; and

(3) The operational and administrative infrastructures and technical development needed to support the modernized field offices be maintained as required by the modernization plan." These qualifications have been met for the above proposed certifications. If a decision to certify is made, the Secretary of Commerce must publish final certifications in the FR and transmit the certifications to the appropriate Congressional committees prior to consolidating, automating, and closing this office.

Dated: September 11, 1998.

**John J. Kelly, Jr.,**

*Assistant Administrator for Weather Services.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

#### Renewal of the Ballistic Missile Defense Advisory Committee

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Ballistic Missile Defense Advisory Committee (BMDAC) has been renewed in consonance with the public interest, and in accordance with the provisions of Pub. L. 92-463, the "Federal Advisory Committee Act."

The BMDAC provides the Director, Ballistic Missile Defense Organization and the Secretary of Defense with advice and insights into the ballistic missile defense program, and makes recommendations on the program emphasis, schedule and content. The BMDAC assesses all matters relating to acquisition system development, and technology for defense against ballistic missile threat.

The Committee will continue to be composed of 15-20 leaders from government and the private sector who are recognized authorities in defense policy, acquisition and technical areas related to the ballistic missile defense program. Efforts will be made to ensure that there is a fairly balanced membership in terms of the functions to

be performed and the interest groups represented.

**DATES:** August 17, 1998.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Please contact LTC Bailey, Assistant Chief of Staff, on 697-3527.

Dated: September 10, 1998.

**L.M. Bynum,**

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary

#### Notice of Tuition Waiver

On August 13, 1998, the Acting Assistant Secretary of Defense (FMP) signed a memorandum that extends through School year 1998-99, two class tuition waivers in certain DoD Dependent Schools that expired at the end of the SY 1997-98. The August 13 memorandum extends the tuition waiver signed on February 14, 1995, by the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Force Management Policy (ASD(FMP))) waiving tuition on a space-available basis for the enrollment of the class of dependents of active diplomatic, defense attaché, and military liaison personnel from Newly Independent States of the former Soviet Union. The August 13 memorandum also extends the class tuition waiver signed by the ASD(FMP) on June 9, 1995, for the enrollment on a space-available basis, in the SHAPE International School and the Brussels American School of children of diplomatic and defense liaison personnel participating in the Partnership for Peace (PfP) program. The August 13 Memorandum broadens the PfP class waiver to include the dependents of military and diplomatic personnel participating in the PfP program in Naples, Italy; London, United Kingdom; and Brunssum, the Netherlands.

*Supplementary Information:* Copies of DoD Directive 1342.13, "Eligibility Requirements for Education of Minor Dependents in Overseas Areas," dated July 2, 1982, are available, at cost, from the National Technical Information Service, 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, VA 22161. Questions can be addressed to the Department of Defense Education Activity, Attention: Dr. Jerald E. Bloom, 4040 North Fairfax Drive, Arlington, VA 22203-1635.

Dated: September 9, 1998.

**L.M. Bynum,**

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Office of the Secretary of Defense

#### Department of Defense Wage Committee; Notice of Closed Meetings

Pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of Public Law 92-463, the Federal Advisory Committee Act, notice is hereby given that closed meetings of the Department of Defense Wage Committee will be held on October 6, 1998; October 13, 1998; October 20, 1998; and October 27, 1998, at 10:00 a.m. in Room A105, The Nash Building, 1400 Key Boulevard, Rosslyn, Virginia.

Under the provisions of section 10(d) of Public Law 92-463, the Department of Defense has determined that the meetings meet the criteria to close meetings to the public because the matters to be considered are related to internal rules and practices of the Department of Defense and the detailed wage data to be considered were obtained from officials of private establishments with a guarantee that the data will be held in confidence.

However, members of the public who may wish to do so are invited to submit material in writing to the chairman concerning matters believed to be deserving of the Committee's attention.

Additional information concerning the meetings may be obtained by writing to the Chairman, Department of Defense Wage Committee, 4000 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-4000.

Dated: September 9, 1998.

**L.M. Bynum,**

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

#### Defense Finance and Accounting Service

#### Privacy Act of 1974; System of Records

**AGENCY:** Defense Finance and Accounting Service, DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice of a system of records.

**SUMMARY:** The Defense Finance and Accounting Service proposes to add a system of records notice to its inventory

of record systems subject to the Privacy Act of 1974, (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended.

**DATES:** This action will be effective without further notice on October 16, 1998, unless comments are received that would result in a contrary determination.

**ADDRESSES:** Defense Finance and Accounting Service, 1931 Jefferson Davis Highway, ATTN: DFAS/CEE, Arlington, VA 22240-5291.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Pauline E. Korpany at (703) 607-3832.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The complete inventory of Defense Finance and Accounting Service record system notices subject to the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended, have been published in the **Federal Register** and are available from the address above.

The proposed system report, as required by 5 U.S.C. 552a(r) of the Privacy Act was submitted on August 21, 1998, to the House Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, the Senate Committee on Governmental Affairs, and the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) pursuant to paragraph 4c of Appendix I to OMB Circular No. A-130, 'Federal Agency Responsibilities for Maintaining Records About Individuals,' dated February 8, 1996, (61 FR 6427, February 20, 1996).

Dated: September 9, 1998.

**L.M. BYNUM,**

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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**SYSTEM NAME:**

Living Disaster Recovery Planning System (LDRPS).

**SYSTEM LOCATION:**

Defense Finance and Accounting Service Headquarters, 1931 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22240-5291.

Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Denver Center, 6760 East Irvington Place, Denver, CO 80279-8000.

Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Indianapolis Center, 8899 East 56th Street, Indianapolis, IN 46249-1460.

Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Columbus Center, 4280 East 5th Avenue, Building 3, Columbus, OH 43218-2317.

Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Cleveland Center, 1240 East 9th Street, Cleveland, OH 44199-2056.

Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Kansas City Center, 1500 East

95th Street, Kansas City, MO 64197-0001.

**CATEGORIES OF INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE SYSTEM:**

All civilian and military individuals employed by the Defense Finance and Accounting Service; may also include civilian and military personnel of the Department of Defense and other Government agencies; may also include family members and other emergency points-of-contact; and contractor organizations.

**CATEGORIES OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:**

Name, organization(s), assignment, office and home telephone number(s), grade/rank, military branch of service, position title, job series, disability information, and emergency point-of-contact name and telephone numbers.

**AUTHORITY FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM:**

5 U.S.C. 301, Departmental Regulations; DFAS Regulation 3020.26, Corporate Contingency Plan; and E.O. 9397 (SSN).

**PURPOSE(S):**

To provide DFAS with a standardized automated contingency planning process. Personal information in the system is used to publish organizational telephone directories/locators, recall personnel to place of duty when required, for use in emergency notification, and to perform relevant functions/requirements/actions consistent with managerial functions during an emergency/disaster.

**ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN THE SYSTEM, INCLUDING CATEGORIES OF USERS AND THE PURPOSES OF SUCH USES:**

In addition to those disclosures generally permitted under 5 U.S.C. 552a(b) of the Privacy Act, these records or information contained therein may specifically be disclosed outside the DoD as a routine use pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(b)(3) as follows:

To Federal, state, or local governments or civic organizations during actual emergencies, exercises, or continuity of operation tests for the purpose of responding to emergency situations.

The 'Blanket Routine Uses' published at the beginning of the DFAS compilation of systems of records notices apply to this system.

**POLICIES AND PRACTICES FOR STORING, RETRIEVING, ACCESSING, RETAINING, AND DISPOSING OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:**

**STORAGE:**

Records are stored on a computer client server at each location.

**RETRIEVABILITY:**

Retrieved by individual's name, by organization, and by employee ID (which is a combination of individual's first and last name).

**SAFEGUARDS:**

As a minimum, records are accessed by person(s) responsible for servicing and authorized to use the record system in performance of their official duties who are properly screened and cleared for need-to-know. Access to the system is controlled through User Ids and passwords.

**RETENTION AND DISPOSAL:**

Records are perpetual because individual records are deleted or added when the file is updated.

**SYSTEM MANAGER(S) AND ADDRESS:**

Deputy Directory, Plans and Management, Defense Finance and Accounting Service Headquarters, 1931 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA 22240-5291.

Director of Plans Directorate, Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Denver Center, 6760 East Irvington Place, Denver, CO 80279-8000.

Director of Plans and Management Directorate, Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Indianapolis Center, 8899 East 56th Street, Indianapolis, IN 46249-1460.

Director of Plans and Management Directorate, Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Columbus Center, 4280 East 5th Avenue, Building 3, Columbus, OH 43218-2317.

Director of Plans and Management Directorate, Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Cleveland Center, 1240 East 9th Street, Cleveland, OH 44199-2056.

Director of Plans and Management Office, Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Kansas City Center, 1500 East 95th Street, Kansas City, MO 64197-0001.

**NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE:**

Individuals seeking to determine whether information about themselves is contained in this system of records should address written inquiries to the Privacy Act Officer at the appropriate DFAS location.

Individual should furnish full name, current DFAS organization element, current work address, and work telephone number.

**RECORD ACCESS PROCEDURES:**

Individuals seeking access to information about themselves in this system of records should address written inquiries to the Privacy Act

Officer at the appropriate DFAS location.

Individual should furnish full name, current DFAS organization element, current work address, and work telephone number.

#### CONTESTING RECORD PROCEDURES:

The DFAS rules for accessing records, for contesting contents and appealing initial agency determinations are published in DFAS Regulation 5400.11-R; 32 CFR part 324; or may be obtained from the Privacy Act Officer at any DFAS Center.

#### RECORD SOURCE CATEGORIES:

Information is obtained from record subject.

#### EXEMPTIONS CLAIMED FOR THE SYSTEM:

None.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

### Defense Finance and Accounting Service

#### Privacy Act of 1974; Notice of Systems of Records

**AGENCY:** Defense Finance and Accounting Service, DoD.

**ACTION:** Notice of systems of records.

**SUMMARY:** The Defense Finance and Accounting Service proposes to add three systems of records notices to its inventory of record systems subject to the Privacy Act of 1974, (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended.

**DATES:** This action will be effective without further notice on October 16, 1998, unless comments are received that would result in a contrary determination.

**ADDRESSES:** Defense Finance and Accounting Service, 1931 Jefferson Davis Highway, ATTN: DFAS/CEE, Arlington, VA 22240-5291.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Pauline E. Korpanty at (703) 607-3832.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The complete inventory of Defense Finance and Accounting Service record system notices subject to the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. 552a), as amended, have been published in the **Federal Register** and are available from the address above.

The proposed system report, as required by 5 U.S.C. 552a(r) of the Privacy Act was submitted on August 27, 1998, to the House Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, the Senate Committee on Governmental Affairs, and the Office of Management

and Budget (OMB) pursuant to paragraph 4c of Appendix I to OMB Circular No. A-130, 'Federal Agency Responsibilities for Maintaining Records About Individuals,' dated February 8, 1996, (61 FR 6427, February 20, 1996).

Dated: September 9, 1998.

**L.M. BYNUM,**

*Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.*

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#### SYSTEM NAME:

Military Pay Correction Case Files.

#### SYSTEM LOCATION:

Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Indianapolis Center, 8899 E. 56th Street, Indianapolis, IN 46249-0001;

Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Cleveland Center, 1240 East Ninth Street, Cleveland, OH 44199-2055;

Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Denver Center, 6760 East Irvington Place, Denver, CO 80279-5000;

Defense Finance and Accounting Service-Kansas City Center, 1500 East 95th Street, Kansas City, MO 64197-0001.

#### CATEGORIES OF INDIVIDUALS COVERED BY THE SYSTEM:

Current and former military active duty personnel; military active and inactive Reserve and National Guard personnel; retired military personnel; Academy cadets; surviving dependents of military personnel who have applied for waiver of claims arising from erroneous payments of pay and allowances, travel, transportation, and relocation allowances.

#### CATEGORIES OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:

Name; Social Security Number; grade or rank; date of birth; application; beneficiary information; names and addresses of dependents; cash payment records; check number; financial returns; military pay and allowances vouchers; collection vouchers; travel orders and vouchers; record of travel payments; public vouchers; certificates; pay adjustment authorization; active duty, reserve, and retired military pay records; leave and earnings statements; statement of service; promotion and performance of hazardous duty information; individual pay account records; pay account histories; supplemental wage and tax statement; requests, authorizations, and pay orders for basic allowance for subsistence; leave records; medical bills and

receipts; discharge documents; preceding civilian payrolls; preceding civilian earnings, wage, and tax statements; employment history; bills of lading; claims for pay or other entitlements and correspondence; reports of investigation; income tax information; social security tax deductions; income tax returns provided by individuals to support a claim; allotment information (allottee's name, address, and amounts paid); related correspondence about waiver or remission of indebtedness; information about judicial proceedings regarding bankruptcy and Federal Housing Administration, United States Treasury Department, Internal Revenue Service, and General Accounting Office inquiries, copies of court martial and non-judicial punishment; application for correction of records; record of disposition; vouchers and supporting documents that substantiate adjustments to pay accounts; and token payment information.

#### AUTHORITY FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE SYSTEM:

5 U.S.C. 301, Departmental Regulations; 10 U.S.C. 1552; Pub.L. 89-508, Federal Claims Collection Act of 1966; and Pub.L. 97-365, Debt Collection Act of 1982, as amended; and E.O. 9397 (SSN).

#### PURPOSE(S):

To determine the proper payment due based on the correction of military records. Correction of military records includes any correction of former civilian entitlements.

#### ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN THE SYSTEM, INCLUDING CATEGORIES OF USERS AND THE PURPOSES OF SUCH USES:

In addition to those disclosures generally permitted under 5 U.S.C. 552a(b) of the Privacy Act, these records or information contained therein may specifically be disclosed outside the DoD as a routine use pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(b)(3) as follows:

To the Internal Revenue Service and the Social Security Administration for the purposes of determining tax liabilities and Social Security entitlements flowing from corrections of military pay and allowances or previous civilian entitlements.

To State unemployment offices for the purposes of instituting collection procedures or other actions against the member if the member was collecting unemployment compensation.

The 'Blanket Routine Uses' published at the beginning of the DFAS compilation of systems of records notices apply to this system.