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SUBJ/MILITARY PERMANENT CHANGE OF STATION TEMPORARY LODGING EXPENSE TIME LIMITATION INCREASE/ (TRAVEL TECHNICAL MESSAGE 23-01)// RMKS/

REF A. MEMORANDUM FROM SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, DATED SEPTEMBER 22, 2022, SUBJECT: TAKING CARE OF OUR SERVICE MEMBERS AND FAMILIES REF B. UTD FOR MAP ITEM 74-22(R), "TEMPORARY LODGING EXPENSE INCREASE" REF C. JOINT TRAVEL REGULATION, PAR. 050601-B2

- 1. WITH RESPECT TO THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE'S "TAKING CARE OF SERVICE MEMBERS AND FAMILIES" INITIATIVE, THE SECRETARY DIRECTED A PERMANENT INCREASE IN THE STANDARD TEMPORARY LODGING EXPENSE (TLE) ALLOWANCE TIME LIMITATION.
- 2. THE STANDARD TLE TIME LIMITATION HAS BEEN INCREASED FROM 10 TO 14 DAYS FOR CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES (CONUS) MOVES AND FROM 5 DAYS TO 7 DAYS FOR MOVES FROM CONUS TO OUTSIDE THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES (OCONUS).
- 3. THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS CHANGE IS OCTOBER 1, 2022.
- 4. A SERVICE MEMBER IS ENTITLED TO THE INCREASED STANDARD TLE TIME LIMITATION IF ANY DAY IN WHICH TEMPORARY LODGING IS OCCUPIED IS ON OR AFTER OCTOBER 1, 2022.
- 5. THESE CHANGES WILL BE INCORPORATED INTO THE INTEGRATED AUTOMATED TRAVEL SYSTEM (IATS) VERSION 8.3.
- 6. FOR ANY ISSUES OR QUESTIONS CONCERNING UPDATING IATS, PLEASE CONTACT THE IATS HELP DESK AT 317-212-7718 OR DFAS.INDIANAPOLIS-IN.ZTD.OTHER.IATS-HELP-DESK@MAIL.MIL.
- 7. FOR ANY POLICY RELATED QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT ENTERPRISE SOLUTIONS AND STANDARDS, TRAVEL MISSION AREA AT DFAS.INDIANAPOLIS-IN.JJF.MBX.ESS-TRAVEL-QUESTIONS@MAIL.MIL.

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