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MEMORANDUM FOR Commander, U.S. Army Human Resources Command,
200 Stovall Street, Alexandria, VA 22332

SUBJECT: Army Reserve and National Guard Soldier Endorsement for Active Duty
Operational Support (ADOS) Requests

1. References:

- a. AR 135-200, Active Duty for Missions, Projects, and Training for Reserve Component Soldiers (30 June 1999).
- b. Department of the Army Personnel Policy Guidance for Overseas Contingency Operations, dated 13 February 2008.
- c. Memorandum, Assistant Secretary of the Army, Manpower and Reserve Affairs, subject: Policy for Management of Reserve Component Soldiers on Active Duty for Operational Support and Full-Time National Guard Duty for Operational Support, dated 21 February 2008.

2. Effective immediately, all requests for ADOS to be funded by the Active Army for Troop Program Unit (TPU) Soldiers must be endorsed by their unit commanders and the first general officer in the chain of command. Army National Guard Soldier applications for ADOS funded by the Active Army will continue to be endorsed by their respective State's Adjutant General.

3. The request must also include a statement giving the number of active duty days the Soldier has (or will have) performed in the 1,460 days before the start of the tour. The duty of particular interest is that which is counted against the 1,095 day limit out of the previous 1,460 days as established by National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) 2005.

4. Active duty which counts as part of this restriction is defined by Title 10 Section 12301(d). It includes administrative ADOS, contingency operation-ADOS (CO-ADOS), ADOS-Reserve Component (ADOS-RC), Full Time National Guard Duty-Operational Support (FTNGD-OS), and grey area retiree recall. For clarity please note that active duty performed under the old titles listed below also counts against this limit. These old titles are: temporary tours of active duty (TTAD); contingency operation temporary tours of active duty (CO-TTAD); active duty for special work (ADSW); extended active duty (EAD); contingency operation-extended active duty (CO-EAD). Be advised that the use

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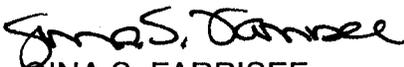
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of training funds to circumvent this limit is prohibited; active duty for training will be used for training purposes only, not for operational support.

5. U.S. Army Human Resources Command will verify all previously performed duty in an active status UP 10 USC 12301(d) for Reserve Component Soldiers requesting ADOS. National Guard Bureau will perform this duty for National Guard Soldiers. Verification must be traceable to the Defense Finance and Accounting Service in order to ensure all duty contributing to the cumulative 1,095 days of active duty operational support within the previous 1,460 days is identified and validated prior to submitting request for approval to HQDA. U.S. Army Human Resources Command, US Army Reserve Command and National Guard Bureau will ensure these requirements are identified in any procedural guidance such as a checklist or processing instruction.

6. Point of contact for this action is Ms. M. Susan Windisch. Please contact her at (703) 695-7447, DSN 225-7447, or susan.Windisch@hqda.army.mil for more detailed information or assistance.

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