

# Department of Defense Education Activity

# PROCEDURAL GUIDE

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# RESOURCE MANAGEMENT DIVISION

SUBJECT: Temporary Duty Travel and the Defense Travel System

References: See Enclosure 1.

- 1. <u>PURPOSE</u>. The purpose of this Procedural Guide is to document the procedures for Temporary Duty (TDY) travel and use of the Defense Travel System (DTS) within the Department of Defense Education Activity (DoDEA).
- 2. <u>APPLICABILITY</u>. This Procedural Guide applies to the Office of the Director, DoDEA; the Director, Domestic Dependent Elementary and Secondary Schools, and Department of Defense Dependents Schools, Cuba (DDESS/DoDDS-Cuba); the Director, Department of Defense Dependents Schools, Europe (DoDDS-E); the Director, Department of Defense Dependents Schools, Pacific, and Domestic Dependent Elementary and Secondary Schools, Guam (DoDDS-P/DDESS-Guam), (hereafter collectively referred to as "DoDEA Area Directors"); and, all DoDEA District Superintendents, school administrators, and supervisors.
- 3. DEFINITIONS. See Glossary.
- 4. <u>GUIDANCE</u>. This Procedural Guide documents all inputs, service providers, financial systems, processes, outputs, and dependencies involved in the TDY process. TDY processes described in this Procedural Guide will be managed according to DoD 7000.14-R (Reference (a)), the Joint Federal Travel Regulations, Volume 1 (Reference (b), the Joint Travel Regulations, Volume 2 (c)), DoD Instruction 5010.40 (Reference (d)), the Defense Travel Management Office Web site (Reference (e)), the Department of Defense Education Activity Memorandum, "Delegation of Travel Approval Authority for DoDEA Official Travel" (Reference (f)), the DoD Conference Guide (Reference (g)), Memorandum, "Designation of Individuals for Conference Approval Authorities" (Reference (h)), DoD Directive 8500.01E (Reference (i)), and DoD 5400.11-R (Reference (j)) found in Enclosure 1.
- 5. ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES. See Enclosure 2.

- 6. PROCEDURES. See Enclosure 3.
- 7. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Procedural Guide is effective immediately.

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# Enclosures

- 1. References
- 2. Roles and Responsibilities
- 3. Procedures
- 4. Department of Defense (DD) Form 577, Appointment/Termination Record
- 5. DD Form 1610, Request and Authorization for TDY Travel of DoD Personnel
- 6. DD Form 1351-2, Travel Voucher or Subvoucher
- 7. Statement in lieu of Actual Receipts

# Glossary

# **REFERENCES**

- (a) DoD 7000.14-R, "Department of Defense Financial Management Regulation," January 2012, Volume 9 Chapter 5
- (b) Joint Federal Travel Regulations, Volume 1, current edition
- (c) Joint Travel Regulations, Volume 2, current edition
- (d) DoD Instruction 5010.40, "Managers' Internal Control Program Procedures," May 30, 2013
- (e) Defense Travel Management Office Web site<sup>1</sup>
- (f) Department of Defense Education Activity Memorandum, "Delegation of Travel Approval Authority for DoDEA Official Travel," April 2014
- (g) DoD Conference Guide, November 6, 2013
- (h) Memorandum, "Designation of Individuals for Conference Approval Authorities," December 16, 2013
- (i) DoD Directive 8500.01E, "Information Assurance (IA)," October 24, 2002
- (j) DoD 5400.11-R, "Department of Defense Privacy Program," May 14, 2007

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> More information can be found on the Internet at http://www.defensetravel.dod.mil/

# **ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

- 1. <u>DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE EDUCATION ACTIVITY (DODEA) AREA DIRECTORS AND DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS</u>. The DoDEA Area Directors and District Superintendents, under the authority, direction, and control of the Director, DoDEA, shall ensure district and school procedures reflect the procedures in this Procedural Guide.
- 2. <u>DODEA SCHOOL PRINCIPALS</u>. The DoDEA School Principals, under the authority, direction, and control of the DoDEA District Superintendent, shall comply with and ensure school procedures align with the policies in this Procedural Guide.
- 3. <u>DODEA SUPERVISORS</u>. All DoDEA Supervisors shall comply with this Procedural Guide.
- 4. <u>TRAVELERS</u>. Travelers are DoDEA employees or authorized non-DoD personnel (known as "e-invitational personnel") traveling on behalf of DoDEA. Travelers receive Defense Travel System (DTS) training through the Defense Travel Management Office (DTMO) Web site (Reference (e)).
- a. Before traveling, travelers must submit a travel approval request to their supervisor. The request must contain a statement of objectives and anticipated outcomes beneficial to DoDEA, in addition to a cost estimate.
- (1) Once signed by the supervisor the request must be routed to the appropriate approval authority, in accordance with References (f), (g), and (h).
- (2) All approved travel requests must be scanned and uploaded into DTS under the "Substantiating Documents" tab.
- b. Travelers using DTS are required to sign the authorization and voucher after the travel information is entered into DTS. The traveler should ensure that all information (e.g. personal information, travel times, locations, and voucher receipts) is accurate.
- 5. <u>NON-DTS ENTRY AGENT (NDEA)</u>. An NDEA is a DoD employee who can create and digitally sign travel authorizations and vouchers for reimbursement in DTS on behalf of travelers who do not have reasonable access to DTS (e.g. staff members, e-invitational personnel).
- 6. <u>APPROVING OFFICIALS (AOs)</u>. AOs are officials at the operational level with the authority to obligate funds to support Temporary Duty (TDY) travel. Assigned to the Resource Management Division (RMD) as budget analysts, financial analysts, or program analysts, AOs

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can also serve as Certifying Officers (COs). AOs/COs must be appointed in writing using the Department of Defense (DD) Form 577, "Appointment/Termination Record" (Enclosure 4), and may be held financially liable for erroneous payments resulting from the negligent performance of their duties. Responsibilities include:

- a. Approve or deny proposed trips based on trip data, estimated costs, the balance in the appropriate budgets, and exceptions to DoD travel policy.
  - b. Approve or deny expenses outside the initially approved authorization.
  - c. Review exceptions to policy and input rationale if approved.
  - d. Review the status of a specific travel authorization.
  - e. Review the financial accounting status for a specified trip.
- f. Review and approve final settlements prior to forwarding to the Defense Finance and Accounting Services (DFAS).
  - g. Digitally sign travel authorizations and travel vouchers.
- 7. <u>LEAD DEFENSE TRAVEL ADMINISTRATOR (LDTA)</u>. The LDTA is the leader of the travel team; serves as the main point of contact (POC) for travel functions at a site; and, is responsible for the management and sustainment of the travel program. LDTAs perform the following tasks:
  - a. Stay abreast of all changes to DTS.
- b. Oversee and train finance defense travel administrators (FDTAs) and organization defense travel administrators (ODTAs).
- c. Establish and maintain local business processes, including creating or overseeing the establishment of the organization's routing structure for approving and certifying travel. This includes initiating and maintaining appointment orders using the DD Form 577 for accountable officials (e.g. AOs, COs, FDTAs, ODTAs).
- d. Establish and monitor a "reject" e-mail address; and, add, detach, receive, and delete users (or establish delegation procedures).
  - e. Assign roles and permission-level procedures.

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- f. Maintain traveler profile information (in accordance with personally identifiable information requirements), including mailing addresses, phone numbers, security clearances, Government Travel Charge Card (GTCC) numbers, and banking information.
- g. Ensure travelers have active Common Access Cards (CACs) with Private Key Capability (digital signature) or soft-token Public Key Infrastructure (PKI), as applicable.
  - h. Report problems to the Travel Assistance Center (TAC) and follow up on fixes.
- 8. <u>FINANCE DEFENSE TRAVEL ADMINISTRATORS (FDTA)</u>. FDTAs are budget, resource management, or accounting and finance personnel responsible for managing and supporting the financial aspects of DTS at the agency and/or site level.
- a. The FDTA complies with all local financial policies and procedures for monitoring funds. FDTAs are familiar with the Joint Federal Travel Regulations (JFTR), the Joint Travel Regulations (JTR), and their respective Service/Agency internal control policies.
  - b. The FDTA ensures sufficient funding on the line of accounting (LOA) for travel.
- c. The FDTA must be appointed in writing as an accountable official; when the appointment ends, it must be revoked in writing.
- 9. ORGANIZATION DEFENSE TRAVEL ADMINISTRATORS (ODTA). The ODTA is responsible for assisting the FDTA with overall DTS administration at the agency and/or site level. ODTAs are individuals in the RMD (i.e. budget analysts, financial analysts, program analysts) who are knowledgeable in their particular organization's travel processes and abreast of current DTS procedures.

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- 1. <u>TDY TRAVEL OVERVIEW</u>. This Procedural Guide describes the process for governing and coordinating TDY travel at DoDEA. DoDEA uses DTS, a fully integrated, automated, end-to-end travel management system, to manage TDY travel.
- a. DTS allows users to create, sign, and forward DD Form 1610s, "Request and Authorization for TDY Travel of DoD Personnel" (Enclosure 5), for review and approval prior to travel.
- b. Additionally, DTS is used to process local vouchers and DD Form 1351-2, "Travel Voucher or Subvoucher" (Enclosure 6), for reimbursement. All claims for reimbursement must be filed within five days of travel completion.

# 2. TDY TRAVEL FUNDS OBLIGATION PROCESS.

- a. At the beginning of each fiscal year, the LDTA creates an LOA in DTS according to the approved travel budget LOAs in the Budget Management System (BMS).
- (1) Once the LOAs are built in DTS, the LDTA enters the funds amount into the DTS budget module.
- (2) When travel is funded by the cross-organization (X-Org) funding feature in DTS, the following statement is added to the "Other Authorization" tab in DTS: "Traveler is authorized use of Headquarters (HQ) DoDEA LOA. The LOA referenced is annotated on the travel authorization."
- b. After the LDTA updates the LOAs and the DTS budget module with current-year funding, travelers and NDEAs are able to log into DTS and create travel authorizations.
- (1) Travel authorizations detail a traveler's TDY location, dates of travel, and per diem rates for meals and hotels; and, provide an estimate of incurred expenses. The General Services Administration (GSA) establishes per diem rates for continental U.S. (CONUS) and outside the continental U.S. (OCONUS) travel.
- (2) The traveler or NDEA inputs information for hotel, airfare, and car rentals in the travel authorization. After inputting the information, the document is electronically signed. The traveler stamps, "Created" and "Signed," while the NDEA stamps, "T-Entered as Created."
- (3) DTS automatically routes the travel authorization to the Commercial Travel Office (CTO). The traveler must sign the travel authorization within 24 hours of creating the form or the system will cancel all reservations.

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- c. The CTO travel agent retrieves the travel authorization in DTS, confirms reservations made through the Passenger Name Record (PNR) Gateway, and verifies all reservations made for transportation, hotels, and car rentals.
- (1) The CTO travel agent stamps "CTO Booked" on the travel authorization and DTS automatically routes the document to the traveler's supervisor for review.
- (2) Once the reservations have been confirmed, a CTO fee is applied. If the reservation is adjusted (e.g. due to early return or booking a later flight), an additional fee will be applied for each change and the agency will be responsible for the CTO fee.
- d. The traveler's supervisor reviews the travel authorization in DTS to confirm the TDY is mission-essential and that the approved travel request is attached.
- (1) If valid and approved, the supervisor stamps "Reviewed." DTS automatically sends an e-mail to the RMD FDTA/ODTA.
- (2) If the information is invalid or incomplete, the supervisor stamps the travel authorization as "Returned." DTS automatically e-mails the traveler or NDEA requesting corrections.
- e. The RMD FDTA/ODTA confirms the correct LOA is assigned to the travel authorization in DTS, validates allowable expenses per the JTR, and authorizes funding for TDY travel by signing the authorization in DTS. The RMD FDTA/ODTA also ensures travel expenses are invoiced in DoDEA's Centrally Billed Account (CBA), and confirms that travel dates account for non-duty days.
- (1) The RMD FDTA/ODTA stamps the travel authorization as "Authorized" in DTS to confirm and authorize travel. The travel authorization is routed to the RMD AO/CO for review.
- (2) If information is inaccurate or incomplete, the RMD FDTA/ODTA stamps the travel authorization as "Returned" in DTS. DTS automatically e-mails the traveler or NDEA for corrections.
- f. The RMD AO/CO verifies funding availability on the LOA and confirms the correct appropriation year is recorded. The RMD AO/CO must approve the travel authorization within 72 hours before travel or all travel reservations will be cancelled.
- (1) If funding is unavailable, the RMD AO/CO stamps the travel authorization as "Returned" in DTS. The RMD AO/CO enters "Insufficient funds to process" in the comments section, and DTS automatically notifies the traveler or NDEA for corrections.

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- (2) If the correct appropriation and year is recorded, a proper LOA is assigned, funds are available, and the travel is in compliance with the JTR/JFTR, the RMD AO/CO approves the travel authorization by stamping "Approved" in DTS. Once the RMD AO/CO approves the travel authorization, DTS automatically generates a travel authorization number (TANUM) and a document name.
  - g. Approved travel authorizations are routed back to the CTO to confirm reservations.
    - (1) The traveler receives an itinerary of confirmed reservations.
- (2) Upon confirmation, an automatic obligation or disbursement is created in the DoDEA Washington Headquarters Services Allotment Accounting System (WAAS) via the Global Exchange (GEX).
  - h. If travel is cancelled, the traveler must log into DTS and cancel the travel authorization.
- (1) The travel authorization is routed in DTS to the RMD AO/CO to review and approve. Once approved, DTS interfaces via GEX to WAAS and de-obligates the funds.
- (2) If a travel advance was taken for a cancelled trip, DTS automatically creates a debt collection and the traveler receives notice that the travel advance must be paid back to the Government. The LDTA monitors the Debt Management Monitor (DMM) in DTS.

# 3. FUNDS LIQUIDATION PROCESS.

- a. Upon completion of travel, the traveler or NDEA has five working days to submit a travel voucher.
- (1) The traveler must submit the following documentation: all expenses, including expenses not captured on the travel authorization; receipts for expenses over \$75 incurred during travel; receipts for extraordinary expenses, regardless of value; and, a copy of the airline ticket receipt.
- (2) All substantiating documentation must be electronically attached to the travel voucher in DTS. If the traveler cannot provide the receipt, the traveler will be required to sign a "Statement in lieu of Actual Receipts" (Enclosure 7).
- (3) The traveler or NDEA stamps the completed travel voucher as "Signed or Created." DTS automatically routes the travel voucher to the traveler's supervisor for review.

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- b. The traveler's supervisor reviews the travel voucher and all supporting documentation for completeness and validity.
- (1) The supervisor checks for the following: receipts for lodging and expenses of \$75 or greater are included; receipts are valid and legible; vouchers signed by the NDEA have a DD Form 1351-2 attached; the daily lodging rate matches the receipt; per diem is adjusted for any leave taken; all expenses are for the TDY assignment; rental car fuel was paid correctly; and, mileage/fuel have been claimed correctly.
- (2) The supervisor stamps the travel voucher as "Reviewed" in DTS to confirm pertinent travel expenses are valid and supported by receipts. DTS automatically generates and sends an e-mail to notify the RMD FDTA/ODTA.
- (3) If information is invalid or incomplete, the supervisor stamps the travel voucher as "Returned" in DTS. DTS automatically e-mails the traveler or NDEA for correction.
- c. Once the travel voucher is created in DTS, the RMD FDTA/ODTA reviews the travel voucher in DTS to ensure receipts are attached and valid, the LOA is correct, and per diem rates are in accordance with JTR, JFTR, and GSA regulations.
- (1) The RMD FDTA/ODTA stamps the travel voucher as "Authorized" in DTS to confirm the review. DTS automatically routes the travel voucher to the RMD AO/CO.
- (2) If information is inaccurate or incomplete, the RMD FDTA/ODTA stamps the travel voucher as "Returned" in DTS. DTS automatically generates and sends an e-mail to the traveler or NDEA for correction.
- d. The RMD AO/CO receives and reviews the travel voucher, ensuring the travel voucher is properly authorized; receipts are valid and accounted for; all documentation is uploaded into DTS; and, amounts are verified to be within the Government lodging and per diem rates.
- (1) The RMD AO/CO stamps the travel voucher as "Approved" in DTS to confirm the document is authorized, accurate, and proper funding is available. The RMD AO/CO's electronic signature in DTS initiates payment through DFAS.
- (2) If the travel voucher fails any final edit checks, the RMD AO/CO stamps the travel voucher as "Returned" in DTS. DTS automatically e-mails the traveler or NDEA for correction.
- e. The approved travel voucher is automatically routed to DFAS for payment processing. DFAS records the accounting transactions from the voucher payment process in the Operational Data Storage (ODS) database. The transactions from ODS are downloaded via GEX to WAAS.

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- (1) If a travel voucher amount is greater than the obligation, the increase is made to the obligated amount (assuming funding is available for the increase).
- (2) If funding is unavailable for the increase, the travel voucher is rejected and routed to DTS. Once additional funding is obtained, the travel voucher is processed and the voucher paid.
- f. The payment is sent to the traveler (and the GTCC, if one was utilized) using the split disbursement option in DTS.
  - g. All travel vouchers are stored in DTS for future reference for six years and three months.
- 4. <u>TRAVEL AUTHORIZATION AND VOUCHER RECONCILIATION</u>. The RMD AO/CO reconciles all travel authorizations by ensuring there is a corresponding travel voucher. This task is completed by running an Un-submitted Voucher Report on a weekly basis, which identifies all travel authorizations where travel is complete but a voucher has yet to be submitted.
- a. The RMD AO/CO e-mails each traveler listed on the report and the traveler's supervisor informing them of the outstanding travel voucher. If the traveler continues to appear on the Unsubmitted Voucher Report it is reported to the DoDEA HQ RMD Chief, Resource Management Division for action.
  - b. All reports and e-mail correspondence with the traveler are maintained on a secured drive.

# 5. DTS TO WAAS RECONCILIATION.

- a. On a daily basis, LOA codes are validated via the automatic GEX interface between DTS and WAAS.
- (1) If the LOA codes pass validation, an acknowledgement transmission is returned to DTS through GEX.
- (2) If the LOA does not pass validation, the transaction is rejected and the LDTA is informed of the error.
- b. The DoDEA HQ RMD Financial Systems Specialist generates a weekly accounting reconciliation report to ensure all DTS transactions received in WAAS via the GEX interface were also successfully received in Fund Administration and Standardized Document Automation (FASTDATA).

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- (1) The DoDEA HQ RMD Accounting Branch reviews the reconciliation report to determine the appropriate action for any pending discrepancies. Discrepancies can be handled at the field budget level, the HQ accounting level, or the systems level.
- (2) There are four system interfaces involved in syncing FASTDATA and WAAS; DoDEA generates the accounting discrepancy report immediately after each system has collectively completed its task. These interfaces include:
- (a) DTS to WAAS accounting transaction interface. This interface uploads accounting transactions from DTS into WAAS via the GEX interface.
- (b) DTS to FASTDATA accounting interface. This interface translates uploaded DTS/WAAS accounting transactions into FASTDATA-equivalent transactions and transmits to FASTDATA.
- (c) DTS to ODS interface. This interface imports DTS disbursements from ODS, translates disbursements into a WAAS format, and creates an accounting upload batch.
- (d) WAAS to FASTDATA expenditure interface. This interface extracts all daily disbursements (including DTS) from the accounting system, translates disbursements into FASTDATA expenditures, and transmits them to FASTDATA.
- (3) The layout of the report compares the data equivalents (commitments, obligations, and disbursements) of each FASTDATA and WAAS document identifier, program, organization, and object class code, and aligns them with their corresponding accounting balance information. Discrepancies are identified, researched, and resolved.

# DD FORM 577, APPOINTMENT/TERMINATION RECORD

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### DD FORM 577. APPOINTMENT/TERMINATION RECORD

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING APPOINTMENT/TERMINATION RECORD - AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

This form may be used to:

- Appoint disbursing officers and their agents, e.g., deputy disbursing officers, disbursing agents, paying agents, cashiers, change fund custodians, and collection agents.
- Appoint certifying officers. Certifying officers are those individuals, military or civilian, designated to attest to the correctness of statements, facts, accounts, and amounts appearing on a voucher for payment.
- Appoint accountable officials. Accountable officials are those individuals, military or civilian, who are designated in writing and are not otherwise accountable under applicable law, who provide source information, data or service to a certifying or disbursing officer in support of the payment process.
- 4. Appoint other individuals for which an appointing authority considers this form appropriate; see item 13.

#### SECTION I.

- Enter the name of the commander/appointing authority.
- 2. Enter the commander/appointing authority's title.
- 3. Enter the commander/appointing authority's DoD component/organization location.
- 4. Enter the date the form is completed.
- 5. The commander/appointing authority must place his or her legal signature in the block provided. Enter a digital signature in this item ONLY after completion of items 6 through 16, as this signature will "lock" those items.

#### SECTION II.

- 6. Enter the appointee's name.
- Enter the appointee's social security number. The full social security number is required for pecuniary liability determination purposes.
- 8. Enter the appointee's title.
- 9. 11. Enter the name, complete address, and telephone number of the DoD component/organization activity to which appointed.
- 12. Enter the date the appointment is to be effective.
- 13. Mark X in the appropriate box indicating the purpose for the appointment. For "other", specify the type of appointment.
- 14. The appointing authority should identify the types of payments affected, but need only be specific as he or she considers necessary. Include any other pertinent information (e.g., system involved).
- 15. List all regulations the appointee must review and follow in order to adequately fulfill the requirements of the appointment.

#### SECTION III.

16. - 17. The appointee prints his or her name and enters his or her legal signature in the spaces provided.

### SECTION IV.

Completing this section terminates the original appointment as of the effective date. If partial authority is to be retained, complete a new DD Form 577.

- 18. Enter the date the termination is effective.
- 19. The appointee will initial in the space provided acknowledging revocation of the appointment.
- 20. 22. The appointing authority must place his or her name, title and legal signature in the spaces provided.

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# $\frac{\text{DD FORM 1610, REQUEST AND AUTHORIZATION FOR TDY TRAVEL OF DOD}}{\text{\underline{PERSONNEL}}}$

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# DD FORM 1610, REQUEST AND AUTHORIZATION FOR TDY TRAVEL OF DOD PERSONNEL

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# DD FORM 1351-2, TRAVEL VOUCHER OR SUBVOUCHER

#### PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

AUTHORITY: 5 U.S.C. Section 301; Departmental Regulations; 37 U.S.C. Section 404, Travel and Transportation Allowances, General; DoD Directive 5154.29, DoD Pay and Allowance Policy and Procedures; Department of Defense Financial Management Regulation (DoDFMR) 7000, 14.R., Volume 9; and E.O. 9397 (SSN), as amended.

PRINCIPAL PURPOSE(S): To provide an automated means for computing reimbursements for individuals for expenses incurred incident to travel for official Government business purposes and to account for such payments. Applicable SORN: T7333 (http://privacy.defense.gov/nofices/dfas/T7333.shtml).

ROUTINE USE(S): Certain 'Blanket Routine Uses" for all DoD maintained systems of records have been established that are applicable to every record system maintained within the Department of Defense, unless specifically stated otherwise within the particular record system notice. These additional routine uses of the records are published only once in each DoD Component's Preamble in the Interest of simplicity, economy, and to avoid redundancy. Applicable SORN: http://dpcio.defense.gov/pr/vacy/SORNs/component/dfas/preamble.html.

DISCLOSURE: Voluntary; however, failure to furnish the requested information may result in total or partial denial of the amount claimed. The Social Security Number is requested to facilitate the possible collection of indebtedness or credit to the DoD traveter's pay account for any residual or shortage.

#### PENALTY STATEMENT

There are severe criminal and civil penalties for knowingly submitting a false, fictitious, or fraudulent claim (U.S. Code, Title 18, Sections 287 and 1001 and Title 31, Section 3729).

#### INSTRUCTIONS

#### ITEM 1 - PAYMENT

Member must be on electronic funds (EFT) to participate in split disbursement. Split disbursement is a payment method by which you may elect to pay your official travel card bill and forward the remaining settlement dollars to your predesignated account. For example, \$250.00 in the "Amount to Government Travel Charge Card" block means that \$250.00 of your travel settlement will be electronically sent to the charge card company. Any dollars remaining on this settlement will automatically be sent to your predesignated account. Should you elect to send more dollars than you are entitled, "all" of the settlement will be forwarded to the charge card company. Notification: you will receive your regular monthly billing statement from the Government Travel Charge Card contractor; it will state: paid by Government, \$250.00, 0 due. If you forwarded less dollars than you owe, the statement will read as: paid by Government, \$250.00, \$15.00 now due. Payment by check is made to travelers only when EFT payment is not directed.

#### REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS

- 1. Original and/or copies of all travel orders/authorizations and amendments, as applicable.
- Two copies of dependent travel authorization if issued.
   Copies of secretarial approval of travel if claim concerns parents. who either did not reside in your household before their travel and/or will not reside in your household after travel.
- Copy of GTR, MTA or ticket used.
- 5. Hotel/motel receipts and any item of expense claimed in an amount of \$75.00 or more
- Other attachments will be as directed.

#### ITEM 15 - ITINERARY - SYMBOLS

#### 15c. MEANS/MODE OF TRAVEL (Use two letters)

GTR/TKT or CBA (See Note)	- T		Automobile	- A
Government Transportation	- G		Motorcycle	- M
Commercial Transportation			Bus	- B
(Own expense)	- C		Plane	P
Privately Owned		_	Rail	- R
. Conveyance (POC)	- P		Vessel	- V

Note: Transportation tickets purchased with a CBA must not be daimed in Item 18 as a reimbursable expense.

#### 15d. REASON FOR STOP

Authorized Delay Authorized Return	- AD - AR	Leave En Route - LV Mission Complete - MC
Awaiting Transportation	- AT	Temporary Duty - TD
Hospital Admittance Hospital Discharge	- HA - HD	Voluntary Return VR

#### ITEM 15e. LODGING COST

Enter the total cost for lodging.

#### ITEM 19 - DEDUCTIBLE MEALS

Meals consumed by a member/employee when furnished with or without charge incident to an official assignment by sources other than a government mess (see JFTR, par. U4125-A3g and JTR, par. C4554-B for definition of deductible meals). Meals furnished on commercial aircraft or by private individuals are not considered deductible meals.

- a. INDICATE DATES ON WHICH LEAVE WAS TAKEN:
- ALL UNUSED TICKETS (including identification of unused "e-tickets") MUST 6E TURNED IN TO THE T/O OR CTO.

# STATEMENT IN LIEU OF ACTUAL RECEIPTS

MEMORANDUM FOR DFAS
SUBJECT: STATEMENT IN LIEU OF ACTUAL RECEIPTS
I, DO HEREBY CERTIFY BY THIS STATEMENT THAT RECEIPTS FOR THE FOLLOWING TRAVEL EXPENSES WERE EITHER INADVERTANTLY MISPLACED, LOST OR STESTOYED AND HEREBY CLAIM THE FOLLOWING AMOUNT OF \$ WHICH CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING:
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I ALSO CERTIFY THAT NO HIDDEN CHARGES OR CLAIMS ARE ADDED INTO THESE COSTS.
SIGNED:
DATE

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# **GLOSSARY**

# **ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS**

AO Approving Official

CAC Common Access Card CBA Centrally Billed Account

CO Certifying Officer

CONUS Continental United States
CTO Commercial Travel Office

DDESS Domestic Dependent Elementary and Secondary Schools

DFAS Defense Finance and Accounting Service

DMM Debt Management Monitor DoD Department of Defense

DoDDS-E Department of Defense Dependents Schools-Europe DoDDS-P Department of Defense Dependents Schools-Pacific

DoDEA Department of Defense Education Activity

DTA Defense Travel Administrator
DTMO Defense Travel Management Office

DTS Defense Travel System

FASTDATA Fund Administration and Standardized Document Automation

FDTA Finance Defense Travel Administrator

GEX Global Exchange

GSA General Services Administration GTCC Government Travel Charge Card

HQ Headquarters

JFTR Joint Federal Travel Regulations

JTR Joint Travel Regulations

LDTA Lead Defense Travel Administrator

LOA Lines of Accounting

NDEA Non-DTS Entry Agent

OCONUS Outside the Continental United States

ODS Operational Data Storage

ODTA Organization Defense Travel Administrator

PKI Public Key Infrastructure PNR Passenger Name Record

# **GLOSSARY**

# ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

POC Point of Contact

RMD Resource Management Division

TAC Travel Assistance Center
TANUM Travel Authorization Number

TDY Temporary Duty

WAAS Washington Headquarters Services Allotment Accounting System

X-org Cross-organization