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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Exception to Policy to Allow Immediate Reenlistment of Soldiers Without Completion of Distributed Leaders Course (DLC)

1. Reference:


a. Army Regulation (AR) 601-280, Army Retention Program

b. Department of the Army Pamphlet (DA PAM) 601-280, Army Retention Program Procedures

2. This exception to policy applies to the Regular Army and United States Army Reserve (specifically Army Guard Reserve (AGR)).

3. Effective immediately, the requirement to impose a HQDA Bar to Continued Service on RA and USAR (AGR Only) Soldiers as directed in reference 1a, paragraph 8-3k(1) for Distributed Leaders Course (DLC) non-compliance is suspended. If otherwise qualified for continued service in accordance with references 1a and 1b, Soldiers currently barred for continued service due to an Immediate Reenlistment Prohibition (IMREPR) code of "8K" will be considered fully qualified for immediate reenlistment in the RA and their IMREPR will be changed to "10". This exception to policy allows Soldiers to immediately reenlist regardless of their completion of DLC as established in reference 1a, paragraph 3-9c(5).

4. This exception is effective immediately and expires in 12 months, unless extended, or superseded.


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