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MEMORANDUM FOR DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF FOR AMMUNITION, U.S. ARMY  
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THROUGH: DIRECTOR OF SUPPLY AND MAINTENANCE, OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY  
CHIEF OF STAFF FOR LOGISTICS, U.S. ARMY

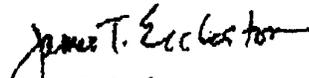
SUBJECT: Cancellation of Waiver from Approved MILSTRAP Change Letter (AMCL) 8A.

The October 20, 1995, waiver exempting the Army Industrial Logistics System (ILGS) for ammunition from implementation of AMCL 8A is hereby cancelled upon implementation of the Joint Ammunition Management Standard System (JAMSS).

Cancellation of the Army waiver is based on:

- a. The emerging JAMSS, which will consolidate the various ammunition management functions common to the four Services into a single system environment, which should be in compliance with DoD policy.
- b. The Defense Reform Initiative Directive (DRID) #48 requirement for all logistics business systems to implement American National Standards Institute ANSI X12.
- c. The selected implementation for (b) above is the Defense Logistics Management System ANSI X12 Implementation Conventions, which contain the functionality of AMCL 8A.

A basic tenet of DoD inventory policy is that material accountability rests with the storage activity responsible for accounting for discrepancies in on-hand asset balances. This does not change the ownership or management direction and control responsibilities of the Inventory Control Point (ICP). If you feel there are areas that require discussion, I would welcome a briefing from you or your staff.

  
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