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IN REPLY
REFER TO: DCMAIT-D

MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, DEFENSE LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT STANDARDS OFFICE (DLMSO)

SUBJECT: Migration to Defense Logistics Management Standards (DLMS) and Elimination of
the Military Standard Systems (MILS)

The Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition, Technology & Logistics) issued a December 22, 2003 memorandum, requesting by September 15, 2004, certification of the elimination of all MILS transactions or a report of specific systems' noncompliance with the planned elimination date of 1 January 2005.

This office submitted a transition plan to eliminate MILS in our affected systems on April 16, 2004. As identified in our plan, all actions required by DCMA to support the DLMS migration and elimination of MILS transactions will be completed by January 1, 2005, with one exception. The Mechanization of Contract Administration Services (MOCAS) system currently sends a notice of DCMA generated orders or modifications (MILS transaction series PA and PB) to our Service and Defense Agency customers. The DLMS equivalent transactions require data elements not available in MOCAS. As detailed in our plan, we will replace the MOCAS PA and PB transactions by modifying our existing order and modification writing tool, Administrative Contracting Officer Modification Module, projected for completion in June 2005.

To avoid negatively impacting our Service and Defense Agency customers, we request a waiver to continue sending the MILS PA and PB transactions until we can field the new version of the Administrative Contracting Officer Modification Module.

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