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MEMORANDUM FOR TRANSITION STAFF AND PERSONNEL
ARMY CAREER AND ALUMNI PROGRAM STAFF
COMMAND CAREER COUNSELORS
TRANSITION ASSISTANCE ADVISORS
DEMOBILIZING MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL GUARD
AND RESERVES AND FAMILIES

SUBJECT: *Transition Assistance Guide for Demobilizing Members of the Guard and Reserves*

The May 2007 Department of Defense (DoD) *Transition Assistance Guide for demobilizing members of the National Guard and Reserves* provides information on the various services and benefits available to members of the Guard and Reserves and their families.

The content of this guide is a result of collaboration among the Department of Defense, the Military Services, the Department of Labor, the Department of Veterans Affairs, the Department of Homeland Security, the Department of Education, the Small Business Administration and the National Veterans Business Development Corporation.

Members of the National Guard and Reserves are to forward any comments or recommendations through their Service chain of command. All other agencies and organizations with policy oversight for content contained in the guide, should forward their comments and recommendations to the Office of the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Military Community and Family Policy, ATTN: DoD Transition Assistance Program Manager, 4000 Defense Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301-4000.

The Department hopes that all demobilizing members of the Guard and Reserves and their families find the information and resources in the Transition Guide to be helpful.

The Web sites are particularly useful and everyone is encouraged to use them.

On behalf of the Secretary of Defense and the Military Departments, thank you for your service to our Nation.