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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE POLICY,
OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
(COMPTROLLER)
DIRECTOR, FINANCE MISSION AREA, STANDARDS AND
COMPLIANCE DIRECTORATE, DEFENSE FINANCE AND
ACCOUNTING SERVICE

SUBJECT: Interim Change to the Department of Defense Financial Management Regulation
("DoDFMR"), Volume 7A, Regarding the Payment of Family Subsistence
Supplemental Allowance (FSSA) (DFAS Item #P-8)

Attached is Interim Change 39-06 to Chapter 25 of the Department of Defense Financial
Management Regulation (DoDFMR), Volume 7A. This change removes the payment
termination date for FSSA.

Assignment of the interim change number is authority for the Director of Finance
Mission Area to initiate a procedural modification to implement this change. This office
requests that the Director for Accounting and Finance Policy post a copy of this interim change
to the DoDFMR web site.

for Patricia T. Redhead
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Attachment:
As stated

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FAMILY SUBSISTENCE SUPPLEMENTAL ALLOWANCE

1. **Revise paragraph 250201, first sentence to read:**

Effective May 1, 2001, FSSA was established for payment.

2. **Add the following to the bibliography:**

Paragraph

Citation

250201

Public Law 109-163, Section 608,
January 6, 2006

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“(B) in any other operation designated by the Secretary of Defense as a combat operation or in an area designated by the Secretary as a combat zone.

“(3) <<NOTE: Effective date.>> This subsection shall apply to months beginning during the period beginning on October 1, 2005, and ending on December 31, 2006.”.

(b) Repeal of Temporary Authority.--Section 1023 of division A of the Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act for Defense, the Global War on Terror, and Tsunami Relief, 2005 (Public <<NOTE: Ante, p. 251.>> Law 109-13), is repealed.

SEC. 608. PERMANENT AUTHORITY FOR SUPPLEMENTAL SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCE FOR LOW-INCOME MEMBERS WITH DEPENDENTS.

(a) Repeal of Termination Provision.--Section 402a of title 37, United States Code, is amended by striking subsection (i).

(b) Technical and Conforming Amendments.--Subsection (f) of such section is amended--

(1) in the first sentence, by striking “Secretary of Transportation” and inserting “Secretary of Homeland Security, with respect to the Coast Guard”; and

(2) by striking the second sentence.