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DoD Civilian PCS Travel webpage gets a fresh look!

INDIANAPOLIS (August 31, 2010) -- Civilian Department of Defense employees involved in a permanent change of station move can get information and forms for submitting travel claims on an expanded section of the Defense Finance and Accounting Service website (http://www.dfas.mil/travelpay/civilianpcs.html).

DFAS officials anticipate more than 17,000 DoD employees are currently preparing to relocate, many due to base closures mandated by the 2005 Base Realignment and Closure decision.

To assist employees in completing their travel claims, the updated civilian travel pay web pages will allow them to:

- Know how to submit an error free travel claim:
- Know what are the top 10 errors on travel claims;
- Retrieve travel related forms;
- Read detailed instructions on completing travel claims;
- View current processing dates for claims received.

The revised easy to use web pages have been designed to assist customers find the information they need quickly and clearly; and ultimately receive payments for their permanent change of station expenses faster.

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