### Joint Verification System (JVS) Modifications

Below is the JPAS Users' Checklist for all of the upcoming changes. Please continuously check the JPAS Welcome and DMDC JPAS Announcement screens for updates.

- □ Name Correction
- □ SMO Email Address and Phone Number Updates

## **1. NAME:**

In order for the person records to be properly migrated over to JVS, the JPAS team is asking that you review the company/service persons' names and update the records. The easiest way to find out if the Name (Last, First, Middle) does not meet the standards is to pull a JPAS report, import the data into Excel, and then perform a search on the Name fields for the invalid characters listed below. <u>You will need to work with your civilian/military Personnel Centers to get the record updated, as the Personnel Centers feed information to JPAS.</u>

The following characters are NOT allowed for last names:

- 1. [blank]
- 2. (NLN)
- 3. +
- 4. .....
- 5. any number 0-9
- 6. last names with O like Oscar please ensure it's a O not a O (zero)
- 7. SSNs are not considered last names
- periods should not be in the last name (SMITH JR. or ST. GEORGE). Last name should be SMITH, suffix should appear as JR (without period) or last name ST GEORGE
- 9. suffix should be in the suffix field and not the last name field (SMITH (JR.). Last name should be SMITH, Suffix should be JR
- 10. ( ) (parenthesis)
- 11. \_ (underscore)
- 12. " " (double quotes)
- 13. \*\* (asterisks)
- 14. ' (single quote/apostrophe) Note: Current policy does not allow apostrophes in JPAS. This guidance may change in the future to facilitate the transition to JVS

Characters that are allowed:

- 1. Alpha characters A Z, a z
- 2. Hyphens are allowed

# 2. SMO Phone Number and Email Addresses

### Phone Numbers:

Please ensure the SMO Phone is accurate. The SMO Phone Numbers, to include Fax and DSNs, should follow the format below:

[1] Area code surrounded by ( )

[2] Followed by a dash

- [3] First 3 numbers
- [4] Followed by a dash
- [5] Last 4 numbers

Examples are:

(123) - 456 - 1234

#### **SMO Email Address**

All email addresses in the SMO Email Address Field need to be updated without name, phone, rank, title, or extra wording. The preference is <u>name@company.com</u>; <u>name@service.mil</u> separated by semicolons (;) and no other wording. This will help expedite the data migration from JPAS to JVS.