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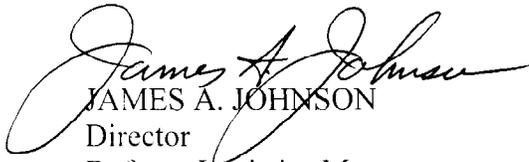
MEMORANDUM FOR SUPPLY PROCESS REVIEW COMMITTEE MEMBERS

SUBJECT: Approved Defense Logistics Management System (DLMS) Change
            (ADC) 147, Revise DLMS Supplement 140A, Small Arms Reporting to
            Reflect Serial Number and Other Administrative Changes (Supply)
            (Staffed by PDC 156)

        The attached change to DOD 4000.25-M. DLMS, is approved for immediate
implementation. The updated DLMS Supplement will be posted to the Defense Logistics
Management Standards Office (DLMSO) Web site (http://www.dla.mil/j-
6/dlmso/ICs/Default.htm) within 30 days from the above date for implementation
planning. DLMSO will submit this transaction concurrently to the governing Federal
Implementation Convention to the DOD Electronic Data Interchange Standards
Management Committee, and the Federal Electronic Data Interchange Standards
Management Coordinating Committee, and applicable working groups.

        A follow-on ADC will be released to incorporate the DOD Unique Identification
(UID) concept of unique item identifier (UII), in addition to the serial number, to DS
140A. The DOD Small Arms Serialization Program (DODSASP) is not exempt from
UID policy, hence DS 140A will be updated in the subsequent ADC to allow for small
arms tracking by UII or serial number, until such time as the DOD Components fully
implement the OSD UID policy. UID policy and information is available at:
http://www.acq.osd.mil/dpap/UID/.

        Addressees may direct questions to the DLMSO point of contact, Ms. Mary Jane
Johnson, 703-767-0677, DSN 427, or e-mail: Mary.Jane.Johnson@dla.mil. Others must
contact their Component designated Supply Process Review Committee representative.

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Unique Item Tracking Committee (UITC)
Joint Small Arms Coordinating Group (JSACG)

ATTACHMENT TO ADC 147
Revise DLMS Supplement 140A, Small Arms Reporting, to Reflect Serial Number
and Other Administrative Changes (Supply)

1. ORIGINATOR:

    a. Service/Agency: Defense Logistics Management Standards Office (DLMSO)

    b. Originator: Ms. Mary Jane Johnson, DLMSO; Chair Joint Small Arms Coordinating Group; Chair, Unique Item Tracking Committee.

2. FUNCTIONAL AREA: Supply/DOD Small Arms Serialization Program.

3. REQUESTED CHANGE:

    a. Title: Revise DLMS Supplement (DS) 140A, Small Arms Reporting.

    b. Description of Change:

        (1) This change modifies DS 140A, Small Arms Data Change to revise all DS 140A occurrences of terminology 'Unique Item Identifier (UII)' to 'Serial Number'. This change is necessary to clarify that small arms serial numbers do not comprise a UII under conditions imposed by the DoD Unique Identification (UID) initiative. Historically small arms have been tracked by NSN and serial number. UII will apply in the future for small arms, as UID policy is implemented, but legacy systems are presently using serial numbers for small arms tracking.

        (2) This change complements ADC 146, Revision to DLMS Supplement 888A, Small Arms Data Change (Supply). ADC 146 revises DS 888A to change all occurrences of 'UII' to 'Serial Number'. ADC 146 is available at: http://www.dla.mil/j-6/dlmso/eLibrary/Changes/approved.asp.

    c. Procedures: Change DLMS Supplement (DS) 140A to Federal Implementation Convention 140A in accordance with (IAW) the following. Additional administrative changes not identified in PDC 156 are identified by <mark>highlighted text</mark>:

Item #	Location	DS 140A Revision	Reason	Federal IC Impact
1	Throughout DS 140A	Change Federal notes which say "Following is a list of Preferred codes" to "Use any code." DLMS notes should read: "For DLMS, only the following codes are authorized."	Administrative for consistency with other DS. DS identifies authorized codes.	Revision required.

Item #	Location	DS 140A Revision	Reason	Federal IC Impact
2	DLMS Introductory notes	Add new DLMS introductory note 4 4. This revision to the DLMS Supplement incorporates ***Proposed DLMS Changes (PDC)*** and Approved DLMS Changes (ADC) listed. ***PDCs/***ADCs are available from the DLMSO website http://www.dla.mil/j-6/dlmso/Changes. *- ADC 147, Revise DLMS Supplement 140A, Small Arms Reporting to Reflect Serial Number and Other Administrative Changes.*	Administrative. Identifies DLMS Changes included in DS.	No impact.
3	1/N103/040 and 2/N103/020	Authorize use additional data element 'UR' to identify Uniform Resource Locator and add the following DLMS note: *UR Uniform Resource Locator (URL)* *DLMS Note: DLMS enhancement; see introductory DLMS note 3.a.*	Adds capability to use a URL consistent with other DLMS UIT transactions.	No impact.
4	1/N106/040	Delete Federal note: **Federal Note:** *Must use with the appropriate 1/N101/040 code to indicate the organization is originating the transaction set.*	Federal note at 1/N106/040 is a duplicate of the Federal note at '1/N106/040 code FR (From)'.	Revision required.
5	2/N106/020	Add Federal and DLMS notes as follows: **Federal Note:** *Use any code.* **DLMS Note:** *For DLMS use, only the following codes are authorized.*	Administrative. DLMS Supplements authorize specific qualifiers.	Revision required adding Federal note.
6	2/DTM01/120	**Add Federal Note:** *Use any code.*	Administrative. DLMS Supplements authorize specific qualifiers.	Revision required.
7	2/DTM01/120	**Add DLMS Note:** *For DLMS use, only the following codes are authorized.*	Administrative. DLMS Supplements authorize specific qualifiers.	No impact.

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Item #	Location	DS 140A Revision	Reason	Federal IC Impact
8	2/REF/130 segment level note	Revise Federal segment level note as follows: *Must use at least one repetition. to provide small arms UIIs.* Add DLMS Segment level note and incorporate serial number rather than UII: *Must use at least one repetition. to provide small arms **serial numbers**.*	Change in terminology is necessary to clarify that small arms serial numbers are conveyed by this transaction, not unique item identifiers (UIIs). Serial numbers do not comprise a UII under conditions imposed by the DoD Unique Identification (UID) initiative. Historically small arms have been tracked by NSN and serial number. UII will apply in the future as UID policy is developed and implemented, but legacy systems are presently using serial numbers for small arms tracking.	Revision required for Federal note.
9	2/REF01/130	Add Federal and DLMS notes as follows: **Federal Note:** *Use any code.* **DLMS Note:** *For DLMS use, only the following codes are authorized.*	Administrative. DLMS Supplements authorize specific qualifiers.	Revision required adding Federal note.
10	2/REF01/130	Delete DLMS note for code 'SN-Serial Number' which stated 'SN' was used to identify the UII. 'SN' is used for serial number and no note is necessary. **SN Serial Number**	Same as reason in row 7 above.	No impact.
11	2/N1/140	Delete Federal segment level note. Add DLMS segment level notes as follows: *1. Use to identify the small arms manufacturer if duplicate serial numbers are assigned to the same item identified in 2/LIN/090.* *2. DLMS enhancement. See introductory DLMS note 3.a.*	Same as reason in row 7 above.	Revision required.

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Item #	Location	DS 140A Revision	Reason	Federal IC Impact
12	2/N101/140	Add Federal and DLMS notes as follows: **Federal Note:** *Use any code.* **DLMS Note:** *For DLMS use, only the following codes are authorized.*	Administrative. DLMS Supplements authorize specific qualifiers.	Revision required adding Federal note.

4. REASON FOR CHANGE:

     a. Change in terminology is necessary to clarify that small arms serial numbers are not unique item identifier (UIIs). Serial numbers presently used for tracking in the DOD Small Arms Serialization Program (DODSASP) do not comprise a UII under conditions imposed by the DOD Unique Identification (UID) initiative. NOTE: A follow-on ADC will be released to incorporate the UID concept of UII in addition to the serial number.

     b. This change complements ADC 146, Revision to DLMS Supplement (DS) 888A, Small Arms Data Change. ADC 146 revisions include clarification that serial numbers as used in DS 888A are not equivalent to UID UIIs. ADC 146 is available at: http://www.dla.mil/j-6/dlmso/eLibrary/Changes/approved.asp.

5. ADVANTAGES and DISADVANTAGES:

    a. Advantages: Corrects DS 140A to reflect "SN-Serial Number", rather than unique item identifier (UII). The UII terminology that had been carried in DS 140A prior to this change was comparable to the serial number, and did not equate to a UII under the new DOD UID definition since a serial number lacks "uniqueness" when used alone. Supports DODSASP legacy systems use of serial numbers.

    b. Disadvantages: None.

6. IMPACT: DLMS: DS 140A and Defense Automatic Addressing System Center (DAASC) mapping for DS 140A.

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