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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTOR, MILITARY PAY OPERATIONS, DEFENSE  
FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE (PM/CL)

SUBJECT: Interim Change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A, Regarding Hostile Fire/Imminent  
Danger Pay for Inactive Duty (DFAS Item M-66)

The attached Interim Change 13-04 to Chapters 10 and 58 of the Department of Defense Financial Management Regulation (DoDFMR), Volume 7A, is effective September 11, 2001. This change expands entitlement to hostile fire/imminent danger pay to members serving on inactive duty.

We have evaluated your comments on the proposed change and included your comments where appropriate. Assignment of the interim change number is your authority to initiate procedural modifications to implement this change. Use the attached to initiate the formal change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A.



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Director for Finance

Attachment:  
As stated

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**Hostile Fire/Imminent Danger Pay for Inactive Duty**

1. Replace paragraph 100101 (retain current subparagraphs 100101.A and B without change) with the following:

100101. Policy. A member may be paid special pay for duty subject to hostile fire or imminent danger (HF/IDP) for any month when the member while entitled to basic pay for active duty or compensation for inactive duty also meets the qualifying criteria of this chapter.

2. Replace paragraph 100102 with the following:

100102. Payment. Hostile fire/imminent danger pay is payable in addition to all other pays or allowances. It is payable in the full amount without being prorated or reduced, for each month, during any part of which, a member qualifies. Active and Reserve Component members who qualify, at any time during a month, will receive the full amount of HF/IDP regardless of the actual period of time served on active or inactive duty during that month.

A. Payment Amount. Hostile fire/imminent danger pay is payable at the rate of \$150 for each month of qualifying entitlement except as provided in subparagraph 100102.B, below.

B. Temporary Increase. Hostile fire/imminent danger pay is payable at the rate of \$225 for each month of qualifying entitlement from October 1, 2002 through December 31, 2004.

3. Add a new paragraph 580306 to Chapter 58, to read as follows:

580306. Hostile Fire/Imminent Danger Pay. A member of a Reserve Component is entitled to hostile fire/imminent danger pay for any month during which the member while engaged in a regular period of instruction or period of appropriate duty also meets the requirements of Chapter 10 of this volume. This includes instruction received or duty performed on a Sunday or holiday and duties as the Secretary of the Military Department concerned (or designee) may prescribe. The compensation will be equal to the full monthly special pay authorized under paragraph 100102 of this volume and will not be prorated or otherwise reduced.

4. Add the following citation to the bibliography for Section 1001 - Entitlement Provisions:

Public Law 108-136, Section 618, November 24, 2003

5. Insert a bibliography paragraph of 580306 with the following citation:

Public Law 108-136, Section 618, November 24, 2003