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MEMORANDUM FOR DIRECTORS OF DEFENSE AGENCIES

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SUBJECT: Electronic Publication of the Defense Federal

Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS)

As part of the Defense Reform Initiative, the Secretary of Defense committed to make all DOD-wide regulations and instructions available electronically, and to discontinue mass paper printing. Accordingly, in lieu of printing a paper version, we have made the 1998 Edition of the DFARS available at "http://www.acq.osd.mil/dp/dars/dfars.html" on the World Wide Web. The 1998 Edition includes Defense Acquisition Circulars (DACS) 91-1 through, 91-13 and Departmental Letters 98-001 through 98-021, except 98-018 which will be added October 1, 1998.

We will revise the DFARS electronically in lieu of printing DACs or Departmental Letters. The electronic revisions will be incorporated when interim and final DFARS rules are published in the Federal Register. Subscribers will receive notification by electronic mail of all changes. Interested parties are encouraged to subscribe to the DFARS News free of charge, at http://www.acq.osd.mil/dp/dars/dfarmail.htm" to receive these notices.

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