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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 Extension of Bonus
and Special Pay Authorities for Health Care Professional (DFAS Item N-36)

Attached is Interim Change 09-05 to Chapters 6, 7, 21, 57, and 63 of the Department of Defense Financial Management Regulation (DoDFMR), Volume 7A. It is effective October 28, 2004. This change extends the expiration date of certain bonus and special pay authorities for health care professionals to December 31, 2005. Note that Interim Change 06-04 erroneously placed Assignment Incentive Pay into Chapter 7. Chapter 7 remains Special Pay for Veterinarians, Optometrists and Pharmacy Officers. Assignment Incentive Pay will be placed into Chapter 15 in a soon to be released change.

This is a routine change and the result of directed action that does not affect existing policies. A draft of this change was not provided for comments. Assignment of the interim change number is your authority to initiate a procedural modification to implement this change. Use the attached to initiate the formal change to the DoDFMR, Volume 7A.

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Director, Policy and
Requirements Management

Attachment:
As stated

cc:
OUSD(C)(ODCFO)(FP)
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**EXTENSION OF BONUS AND SPECIAL PAY AUTHORITIES FOR
HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS**

1. In paragraph 060102.D change “December 31, 2003” to read “December 31, 2005.”
2. Revise paragraph 060103 to read as follows:

060103. Rates Payable. The Secretary of the Military Department concerned may, upon acceptance of the written agreement described in paragraph 060102 above, award an accession bonus not to exceed \$30,000.
3. In paragraph 070101.A.3 change “September 30, 2004” to read “December 31, 2005.”
4. In paragraph 210101 change “December 31, 2004” to read “December 31, 2005.”
5. In paragraph 210201.A change “December 31, 2004” to read “December 31, 2005.”
6. In paragraph 570401.G change “December 31, 2003” to read “December 31, 2005.”
7. In section 6302, change “December 31, 2004” to read “December 31, 2005.”
8. Revise the Bibliography for the below listed paragraphs to read as follows:

<u>Paragraph</u>	<u>Citation</u>
060102D	Public Law 108-375, section 612(f), October 28, 2004
070101A.3	Public Law 108-375, section 612(g) October 28, 2004
210101	37 U.S.C. 302d(a)(1) Public Law 108-375, section 612(c), October 28, 2004
210201A	37 U.S.C. 302e(a)(1)

Public Law 108-375, section 612(d),
October 28, 2004

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37 U.S.C. 302(g)
DoDD 1205.20,
January 8, 1996
DoDI 1205.21,
March 1, 1996
Public Law 108-375, section 612(e),
October 28, 2004

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10 U.S.C. 2130a(a)(1)
Public Law 108-375, section 612(a),
October 28, 2004