TELEPHONE (CLASS B UNOFFICIAL SERVICE) FISCAL YEAR 2000

Telephone service provided by a DoD Component, when used for personal or unofficial purposes, is known as Class B telephone service. This includes telephone services provided by government-owned or government-leased facilities, or procured under contract, or implied agreement, with a commercial communications company. These services are made available primarily in overseas locations, but there is limited use also in the United States.

Users are required to pay for the use of Class B telephone service. Class B telephone rates are categorized by the type of service, either Class B-1 and Class B-2. The FY 2000 monthly rates for Class B-1 and B-2 telephone service, which are effective October 1, 1999, as follows:

Class B-1: \$23.30

Class B-2: \$41.25

<u>Class B-1</u>: Installed in government-owned or government-leased quarters assigned, or used for family or personal use in private or rental housing occupied by DoD personnel.

<u>Class B-2</u>: Installed at a military location for the use of activities such as public schools; American Red Cross; Exchange Services and their concessionaires; credit unions; noncommissioned officers' and officers' messes; youth activities (such as Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts); nurseries; thrift shops; and commercial contractors and other profit or non-profit organizations, operating on behalf of the Department of Defense whether within, or in the immediate vicinity of, a DoD installation.