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MEMORANDUM FOR DOD ACTIVITY ADDRESS DIRECTORY (DODAAD) PROCESS REVIEW COMMITTEE (PRC) MEMBERS

SUBJECT: Approved Defense Logistics Management System (DLMS) Change (ADC) 321, DOD Activity Address Directory (DODAAD) Bill of Lading Code (BLOC) (Staffed as PDC 343)

The attached change to Department of Defense (DOD) 4000.25-M, DLMS, is approved for implementation.

Addressees may direct questions to the DLMSO points of contact, Mr. Robert Hammond, DLMSO, DOD Activity Address Directory Process Review Committee Chair, 703-767-2117, DSN 427-2117 or email: robert.hammond@dla.mil. Others must contact their Component designated representative.

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ADC 321
Bill of Lading Code (BLOC) in the DODAAD

1. **ORIGINATING SERVICE/AGENCY AND POC INFORMATION:**

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

    b. **Originator:** Mr. Robert Hammond, DLMSO, DOD Activity Address Directory Process Review Committee Chair, email Robert.Hammond@dla.mil

2. **FUNCTIONAL AREA:** DOD Activity Address Directory (DoDAAD)

3. **REFERENCE:**

    a. DoD 4000.25-M, Defense Logistics Management System (DLMS) DLMS Volume 6 (DoD Logistics Systems Interoperability Support Services), Chapter 2 - Department of Defense Activity Address Directory

4. **REQUESTED CHANGE:**

    a. **Description of Change:** This change documents the procedures that are applicable to the Bill of Lading Code (BLOC) in the DoDAAD, and changes the source of input from the DODAAD Administrators to the Authoritative BLOC information source, Table Management Distribution System (TMDS). This will improve timeliness and accuracy of the BLOC data.
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    b. **Background:** The rules for how the BLOC is used are documented in the Defense Transportation Regulation (DTR). The primary user of BLOC information in the DoDAAD is the DLA Distribution Standard System (DSS). The BLOC data in the DoDAAD is currently entered by the DODAAD Administrators and it is unreliable. Of the 29,000 DoDAACs that contain BLOC information, all but 4 are set incorrectly.

    c. **Procedures**: The following procedures will correct the BLOC information in the DoDAAD:

    >   1) Remove BLOC field from the DoDAAD web updated page and from Army and Air Force input systems.
    >   2) Clear the existing BLOC information from the DoDAAD database.
    >   3) Re-populate the BLOC information in the DODAAD from TMDS.
    >   4) DAASC establish a link to import BLOC data updates from TMDS.

5. **REASON FOR CHANGE:** The BLOC data in DoDAAD is currently unreliable.

6. **ADVANTAGES AND DISADVANTAGES:**

   a. **Advantages:** The change will ensure that BLOC data is maintained in a current and accurate condition from the authoritative data source.

   b. **Disadvantages:** None noted.

7. **IMPACT:**

   a. **Data Content/Procedures:** DAASC work with TMDS to setup an automated data feed of BLOC data from TMDS and update the DoDAAD whenever the BLOC data is changed in TMDS.

   b. **Unresolved Issues:** None noted.

      o **Implementation:** The changes should be incorporated into a single release.

   c. **Publication:**

      o This change will impact the DoDAAD User Guide maintained by DAASC.