**APPENDIX 2.4**

**TYPE OF ADDRESS CODES (TACs)**

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| **NUMBER OF CHARACTERS:** | | One. |
| **TYPE OF CODE:** | | Alphanumeric. |
| **EXPLANATION:** | | Designates the type of action being taken, e.g., transmitting status, shipping information, transmitting NOAs, or other documentation. |
| **TAC** | **Explanation** | |
| A | This address, on approval by the proper authority, will receive classified small parcel shipments. The documentation (except NOA) for classified small parcel shipments will be sent to the same address as the shipment unless specific instructions are provided by the Services/Agencies. (Note: All TAC A addresses listed in this directory are cleared to receive/process shipments classified through SECRET.) | |
| B | This address, on approval by the proper authority, will be used when surface or air freight is selected as the mode of transportation for shipment of classified materiel. The commercial (collect) bill of lading (CCBL)/Government bill of lading (GBL) for a classified freight shipment will be sent to the same address as the shipment unless other specific instructions are provided by the Services/Agencies. (Note: TAC B addresses listed in this directory are cleared to receive/process shipments classified through SECRET.) | |
| C | This address, on approval by the proper authority, will receive classified small parcel shipments. The documentation (except NOA) for classified small parcel shipments will be sent to the same address as the shipment unless specific instructions are provided by the Services/Agencies. (Note: All TAC C addresses listed in this directory are cleared to receive/process classified through CONFIDENTIAL.) | |
| D | This address, on approval by the proper authority, will be used when surface or air freight is selected as the mode of transportation for shipment of classified materiel. The commercial bill of lading (CBL)/Government bill of lading (GBL) for a classified freight shipment will be sent to the address as the shipment unless other specific instructions are provided by the Services/Agencies. (Note: All TAC D addresses listed in this directory are cleared to receive/process shipments classified through CONFIDENTIAL.) | |
| E-L | Reserved. | |
| M | This address will be used as a mark-for on freight shipments. Mark-for addresses will be placed on small parcel labels in such a manner as to prevent small package carrier problems in identifying ZIP and APO/FPO codes. The fourth position of the MAPAC will contain an alphanumeric code to designate an in-country destination. This code will be the same as the code in RP 33 for the MILSTRIP requisition. | |
| N-Z | Reserved. | |
| 1 | This address will receive unclassified shipments moving by small parcel carrier or shipped by carrier that can provide evidence of shipment or proof of delivery in compliance with MILSTAMP, DTR 4500.9-M, Defense Transportation Regulation Part III chapter 203 item B. Packages moving through the State Department pouch room will not exceed 40 pounds, 26 inches length, or 62 inches length plus girth. For additional guidance on use of diplomatic pouch mail see chapter 1, paragraph 1.h. TAC 5 is the same address as TAC 1 unless published differently. | |
| 2 | This address shall be used when surface or air freight is selected as the mode of transportation for shipment of unclassified materiel. Note that more than one TAC 2 address may be reflected for the same freight forwarder MAPAC. In this case, the MAPAD shall contain Special Instruction Indicator Code A which directs forwarding of the materiel/documentation to the address closest to the shipping activity. The clear text address field may contain the overseas address of the civil airport to be used for commercial air shipments if commercial air is authorized. TAC 6 is the same as TAC 2 unless published differently. | |
| 3 | For sending a Notice of Availability (NOA), if required. This address shall be used when the Option Code (Y or Z in record position 46 of the requisition) requires a NOA prior to shipment. For Option Code Z, follow ups on the NOA shall also be sent to this address. Option Code A shipments which are of weight or dimensions which could cause receiving/storage problems, or perishable, hazardous, classified, or require special handling shall be handled as Option Code Z because of the peculiar handling/controlled nature required by the type of materiel being shipped.  For a classified shipment, send the NOA to the receiving country service representative. In response to the NOA, the country representative must specify, by name, the person shall receive and sign for the shipment at the TAC A, B, C, or D address. Should there be no reply to the NOA, the service security assistance office shall be advised of the problem for Army and Air Force sponsored shipments; the Navy freight forwarder assistance office shall be advised for Navy and Marine Corps sponsored shipments.  If the address provided by the country representative to receive a classified shipment is other than a TAC A, B, C, or D address, the service focal point shall be contacted for guidance. The Surface Deployment and Distribution Command (SDDC) shall contact the country representative for coordination in processing export release requests for classified materiel moving under a Delivery Term Code 8. The applicable freight forwarder shall also be contacted by SDDC for coordination in processing export release requests for sensitive materiel moving under a Delivery Term Code 8. | |
| 4 | This address shall be used for distribution of supply and shipment status documents. Communication Routing Identifier (COMMRI) code shall be used for electronic distribution of supply and shipping status transactions. A COMMRI is a 7 character code that uniquely identifies an International Logistics Communication System (ILCS) account, established with the DLA Transaction Services, to electronically transmit and receive logistics data between the FMS country and the US DOD supply system. | |
| 5 | This address shall be used for distribution of documentation for unclassified shipments delivered by a small parcel carrier. The documentation may be DD Form 1348-1a, “Issue Release/Receipt Document,” DD Form 1348-2, “Issue Release/Receipt Document with Address Label,” DD Form 250, “Material Inspection and Receiving Report”; or any forms used for release/receipt. The TAC 5 address shall only be published when it is different from the TAC 1 address. | |
| 6 | Documentation (release/receipt) for automatic freight shipment will be forwarded to this address. Documents that may be distributed to this address may include DD Form 1348-2, Issue Release/Receipt Document with Address Label; DD Form 1348-1A, Issue Release/Receipt Document; DD Form 250, Material Inspection and Receiving Report; or any forms used for release/receipt of shipments. The TAC 6 address will only be published when it is different from the TAC 2 address. | |
| 7 | This address will be used to identify the activity responsible for payment of transportation charges for shipments made on collect commercial bills of lading or other types of collection delivery methods. The TAC 7 address will be established only when TACs A, B, C, D, 1, and 2 addresses (ship-to) are not authorized to make such payments (the freight forwarder is permitted to change this address as long as it remains within the freight forwarder’s operation). | |
| 8 | Reserved. | |
| 9 | TAC 9 indicated that the addresses for this MAPAC have been deleted; however, the MAPAC will remain in the directory to provide a reference to another MAPAC which will be used in processing documents that contain the deleted code. It can also provide reference to special instructions for processing documents containing the deleted MAPAC. The deleted entry will remain in the MAPAD for a period of 5 years. | |
| **MAP GRANT AID** | | |
| **TAC** | **EXPLANATION** | |
| A-L | Reserved. | |
| M | TAC M identifies that clear text mark-for address which will be used on freight shipments. Mark-for addresses will be placed on small parcel labels in such a manner as to prevent post office problems in identifying ZIP and APO/FPO codes. The fourth position of the MAPAC will contain an alphabetic or numeric code to designate the mark-for address. This code will be the same as the code in RP 33 of the MILSTRIP requisition. | |
| N-Z | Reserved. | |
| 1 | This address will receive shipments moving by a carrier that can provide evidence of shipment or proof of delivery in compliance with MILSTAMP, DTR 4500.9-M, Defense Transportation Regulation Part III chapter 203 item B. Because Grant Aid materiel moves by DTS, shipments of both classified and unclassified materiel is included. | |
| 2 | The WPOD and APOD codes will be used to obtain the appropriate destination when surface or air freight is selected as the transportation mode. In addition to the selected destination, the TAC M address will be used as a mark-for address to consign materiel shipments. The clear text address field will contain the name and geographical location of the civil airport to be used for commercial air shipments if commercial air is authorized. | |
| 3 | This address will be used for distribution of supply status, shipment status documents, and copies of release/receipt document. Addresses may be listed for forwarding documents by mail and/or electronic transmission. When SII “D” is used, indicating documents should be forwarded by electronic transmission, a mail address will also be included for distribution of copies of release/receipt documents and other documents not readily transmitted by electronic transmission, and for distribution of all documents in the event of a MINIMIZE. | |
| 9 | TAC 9 indicates that the addresses for this MAPAC have been deleted; however, the MAPAC will remain in the directory to provide a reference to another MAPAC which will be used in processing documents that contain the deleted MAPAC. It can also provide a reference to special instructions for processing documents containing the deleted code. The deleted entry will remain in the MAPAD for a period of 5 years. | |