



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
HEADQUARTERS, U.S. ARMY MATERIEL COMMAND
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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

AMCRDA-AC (715)

20 February 2001

MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Use of Non-AMC Contract Instruments

1. References:

a. Memorandum, AMCRDA-AC, 24 Oct 00, subject: Use of Corporate Contracts.

b. Memorandum, AMCRDA-AC, 2 Nov 00, subject: Corporate Contracts Approved Exceptions.

c. Memorandum, AMCRDA-AC, 16 Jan 01, subject: Use of Corporate Contracts - Implementing Instructions.

d. Email, GEN Coburn, 8 Dec 00, subject: Monthly Report of Procurement Actions.

e. Email, Ms. Flavin, 13 Dec 00, subject: CG's Monthly Report of Contract Actions.

2. Referenced memorandums outline and clarify the Commanding General's policy that only AMC contract mechanisms will be used to fulfill AMC's core mission requirements in the area of maintenance of weapon systems and combat support equipment.

3. A review of actions awarded within the last two months indicates less than full compliance with the referenced policy. To preclude any future misunderstandings, it is reiterated that no logistics support requirements will be awarded on other than an AMC contract mechanism UNTIL the HQ AMC Chief of Staff has approved a request for exception. This includes all logistics support requirements whether MIPR'd or otherwise transferred to non-AMC contracting activities. The Commanding General wants each MSC commander to personally explain how their command is complying with his policy.

4. Monthly compliance reporting, as directed in reference d, shall continue as outlined in reference e.

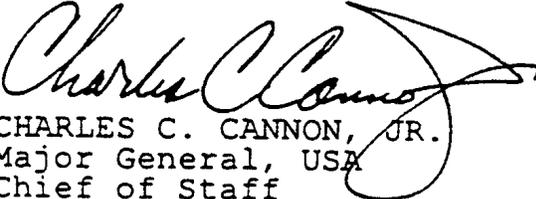
5. The headquarters point of contact for this action is Mr. Vick White, DSN 767-2798.

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6. AMC - Army READINESS Command... Supporting Every Soldier Every Day.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

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