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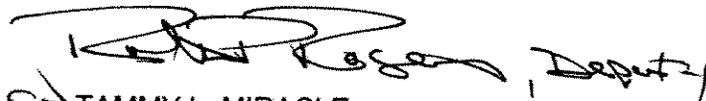
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MEMORANDUM FOR The Military Personnel Management Officers of All States, Puerto Rico, The Virgin Islands, Guam, and the District of Columbia

SUBJECT: Authorization to Convene Sergeant and Staff Sergeant Promotion Boards to Supplement the Annual Promotion List (NGB-ARH Memo# 05-021)

1. Effective immediately, States are authorized to supplement their annual promotion lists for Specialist to Sergeant and Sergeant to Staff Sergeant by conducting quarterly or semi-annual boards. States electing to convene a quarterly or semi-annual board during the promotion cycle will follow the normal board procedures outlined in the Army National Guard Promotion Policy, dated 01 February 2005.
2. The supplemental promotion board(s) will be conducted the same across the state as specified in the new MOI for all Career Progression MOS's. The States must include both deployed and non-deployed Soldiers for board consideration. The zone of consideration for the supplemental board(s) will be calculated based on the new board dates and paragraph 7-31d of the Army National Guard Promotion Policy, dated 01 February 2005. The State MPMO will announce each supplement board using a MOI patterned on figure 7-3.
3. Soldiers who met the annual promotion board eligibility and were boarded and placed on a promotion list will not be re-boarded during the supplemental promotion board cycle(s). Only Soldiers who failed to meet the basic eligibility for the annual promotion board will be evaluated. However, Soldiers who were placed on the promotion list after the original annual board, will be considered during the next annual board cycle, if not selected and promoted.
4. Soldiers who are considered during the supplemental board cycle(s) will be integrated into the annual promotion list. Soldiers integrated into approved promotion lists will be placed on the list immediately after the individual with more points or the same number of points. This new revised Enlisted Promotion policy will be incorporated in the first rapid revision of AR 600-8-19.
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