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

SUBJECT: Enlisted Service Beyond Age 60 Waiver Requests
(NGB-ARH Policy Memo 06-070)

Reference

- a. NGB Regulation 600-200 Chapter 7-10.
 - b. Army Regulation 601-280.
 - c. MILPER Message number 06-104, AHRC-EPR, subject: Army Retention Program Update, 5 April 2006.
2. Purpose of this memorandum is to outline the procedures for Army National Guard Soldiers to request extension of service beyond the age of 60. Extensions for Soldiers beyond age 60 will continue to be facilitated through a waiver process. Waivers requests will be initiated by the individual Soldier through their chain of command to the appropriate waiver authority.
 3. State Adjutants General may approve waivers for two years beyond age 60 in accordance with NGR 600-200, Chapter 7. Extensions beyond age 62 must be forwarded to NGB-ARH for approval.
 4. Waiver requests from Title 32 Active Guard and Reserve (AGR) Soldiers will be processed through the chain of command to Human Resource Office then to The Adjutant General for endorsement recommendation and forward to NGB-ARH for determination. Waiver requests from Title 10 AGR Soldiers will be processed through their Division Chief to NGB-ARZ-T (HR) for endorsement and then to NGB-ARH for final determination.
 5. Please note that once a Soldier applies for regular/nonregular retirement a waiver may not be granted, no exceptions.
 6. All requests for waivers to retain Soldiers beyond age 60 must include the following documents:

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a. A formal request from the Soldier, including a statement that he/she has not applied for regular/nonregular retirement. This statement must be verified by the MILPO.

b. A strong recommendation through the chain of command, including the Adjutant General, stating why this Soldier should be retained.

c. A current physical, including DA Form 7349 if needed and Cardiovascular Screening.

d. Current DA Form 705 and DA Form 5500/5501.

7. If the above documentation is not included in the request, the waiver will not be processed.

8. Point of contact for this action is the Enlisted Policy Section at (703) 607-3401; DSN 327-3401.



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