

MILPER Message Number: 09-141
Proponent: AHRC-EPF-M
ANNOUNCEMENT OF SOLDIERS REQUESTING RECLASSIFICATION INTO MOS 51C
...Issued: [17 Jun 09]...

1. MILPER MESSAGE 07-211, AHRC-EPF-M, ANNOUNCEMENT OF SOLDIERS REQUESTING RECLASSIFICATION TO MOS 51C, IS RESCINDED EFFECTIVE ON THE ISSUE DATE OF THIS MESSAGE.
2. REFERENCE:
 - A. AR 600-8-19, ENLISTED PROMOTIONS AND REDUCTIONS.
 - B. AR 601-280, ARMY RETENTION PROGRAM.
 - C. AR 614-200, ENLISTED ASSIGNMENTS AND UTILIZATION MANAGEMENT.
 - D. DA PAM 351-4, US ARMY FORMAL SCHOOLS CATALOG.
 - E. DA PAM 611-21, MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL CLASSIFICATION AND STRUCTURE.
 - F. MILPER MESSAGE 09-113, SPECIAL MOS ALIGNMENT PROMOTION PROGRAM (SMAPP).
3. AS THE ARMY CONTINUES TO TRANSFORM AND SUPPORT THE OVERSEAS CONTINGENCY OPERATIONS, IT IS CRITICAL THAT OUR SOLDIERS SERVE IN CRITICAL SKILLS.
4. HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND – ALEXANDRIA (HRC-A) IS ACCEPTING VOLUNTEER RECLASSIFICATION REQUESTS FOR MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL SPECIALITY **(MOS) 51C – ACQUISITION, LOGISTICS, AND TECHNOLOGY CONTRACTING NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICER** FROM **SGT** (WHO MEET THE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR CONSIDERATION FOR PROMOTION TO SSG) **THROUGH SFC**.
5. IAW AR 600-8-19, PARAGRAPH 3-6E, AND THE CURRENT SMAPP MILPER MESSAGE, UPON SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF 51C RECLASSIFICATION TRAINING, SOLDIERS IN THE RANKS OF SGT AND SGT(P) WILL BE PROMOTED TO STAFF SERGEANT AND RECEIVE BNCOC CREDIT, IF REQUIRED. THOSE SOLDIERS WHO HAVE NOT ATTENDED BNCOC MUST CONTACT THEIR UNIT TRAINING NCO TO ENROLL IN THE FORSCOM DISTANCE LEARNING COMMON CORE TRAINING PRIOR TO SUBMITTING THEIR RECLASSIFICATION REQUEST.
6. SOLDIERS APPROVED FOR RECLASSIFICATION INCUR A 60 MONTH SERVICE REMAINING REQUIREMENT AND ARE REQUIRED TO REENLIST/EXTEND PRIOR TO ATTENDING TRAINING.
7. RECLASSIFICATION REQUESTS MUST BE SUBMITTED VIA CERTIFIED MAIL TO USAASC, ATTN: 51C PROPONENT, BLDG 201, 9900 BELVOIR ROAD, FORT BELVOIR, VA 22060. PRIOR TO SUBMITTING AN APPLICATION, CONTACT THE PROPONENT AT 703.805.2732 (DSN: 655.2732) TO ENSURE COMPLETENESS AND COMPLIANCE WITH RECLASSIFICATION INSTRUCTIONS.
8. COMMANDERS, CAREER COUNSELORS, SUPERVISORS, AND SOLDIERS SHOULD VISIT THE US ARMY ACQUISITION SUPPORT CENTER WEBSITE AT [HTTP://ASC.ARMY.MIL/CAREER/PROGRAMS/NCO/DEFAULT.CFM](http://asc.army.mil/career/programs/nco/default.cfm) FOR DETAILED INFORMATION ABOUT THE PREREQUISITES, QUALIFICATIONS, AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR REQUESTING RECLASSIFICATION INTO MOS 51C. TIME IN SERVICE WAIVERS ARE ACCEPTED ON A CASE-BY-CASE BASIS; HOWEVER, THE GT SCORE REQUIREMENT OF 110 IS NONWAIVERABLE.
9. SOLDIERS INTERESTED IN SUBMITTING A REQUEST FOR MOS 51C SHOULD CONTACT THEIR LOCAL CAREER COUNSELOR TO DETERMINE THEIR ELIGIBILITY FOR RECLASSIFICATION AND FOR ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE.
10. POC THIS MESSAGE IS SFC SOU J. LESTER, HRC 51C PDNCO, EMAIL: SOU.J.LESTER@US.ARMY.MIL