

**MILPER Message Number: 16-212**

**Proponent: AHRC-EPF-R**

**Title**

**Rescission of the Selective Retention Bonus (SRB) Program**

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- A. MILPER Message 16-157, AHRC-EPF-R, subject: Selective Retention Bonus (SRB) Program, 7 June 2016, is rescinded on the effective date of this message.
- B. Department of Defense Instruction (DODI) 1304.31, subject: Enlisted Bonus Program (EBP), 12 March 2013.
- C. AR 601-280 (Army Retention Program), 1 April 2016.
- D. AR 11-6 (Army Foreign Language Program), 14 February 2016.
1. This message is **effective on 2 August 2016** and will expire no later than 31 December 2016. ***Reinstatement of and changes to the SRB program will be announced in a subsequent MILPER message.***
2. **This message announces the immediate suspension of the Regular Army SRB program.** This message will be brought to the immediate attention of all commanders, retention offices, recruiters, and Finance and Accounting Offices (FAO).
3. To avoid future claims of erroneous or unfulfilled commitments, commanders will ensure FAO and retention personnel are advised of the contents of this message.
4. **Soldiers are not authorized to receive an SRB for reenlistment contracts dated from the date the SRB program is rescinded to the date the SRB program is reinstated.**
5. POC for this message is the Retention and Reclassification Branch, AHRC-EPF-R, Human Resources Command, Fort Knox, [usarmy.knox.hrc.mbx.epmd-ait@mail.mil](mailto:usarmy.knox.hrc.mbx.epmd-ait@mail.mil).