

MILPER MESSAGE NUMBER : 06-007
AHRC-EPR
SELECTIVE REENLISTMENT BONUS (SRB) PROGRAM – FY ETS
Issued: [01/05/2006]

1. THIS MILPER MESSAGE WILL EXPIRE 30 APRIL 2006.
2. REFERENCE: AR 601-280, CHAP 5
3. THIS MESSAGE, WHICH ANNOUNCES CHANGES TO THE SRB PROGRAM, WILL BE BROUGHT TO THE IMMEDIATE ATTENTION OF ALL COMMANDERS, REENLISTMENT OFFICES, RECRUITERS, AND FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING OFFICES TO ENSURE THAT ALL AGENCIES ARE KNOWLEDGEABLE OF THE CONTENTS OF THIS MESSAGE TO AVOID FUTURE CLAIMS OF ERRONEOUS OR UNFULFILLED COMMITMENTS.
4. ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE FOR DFAS: TO AVOID FUTURE CLAIMS OF ERRONEOUS OR UNFULFILLED COMMITMENTS, REQUEST CDR DFAS ENSURE THAT ALL FAO'S ARE KNOWLEDGEABLE OF THE CONTENTS OF THIS MESSAGE.
5. EFFECTIVE 6 JANUARY 2006 THROUGH 30 APRIL 2006, THE FOLLOWING CHANGES ARE MADE TO ALL SRB MESSAGES TO INCLUDE THE BEAR PROGRAM FOR SOLDIERS WITH AN ETS DATE BETWEEN 6 JANUARY 2006 AND 30 SEPTEMBER 2007 (TO INCLUDE INCLUSIVE DATES), TO INCLUDE STOP LOSS SOLDIERS WHOSE CONTRACTUAL ETS WAS IN FY06, AND ENTITLED TO AN SRB UNDER CURRENT MESSAGES.
 - A. MULTIPLIERS ARE INCREASED 0.5 FOR SOLDIERS WITH AN ETS BETWEEN 6 JANUARY 2006 AND 30 SEPTEMBER 2006 (TO INCLUDE INCLUSIVE DATES) AND 1.5 FOR SOLDIERS WITH AN ETS BETWEEN 1 OCTOBER 2006 AND 30 SEPTEMBER 2007 (TO INCLUDE INCLUSIVE DATES). MULTIPLIER INCREASES ARE BASED ON CONTRACTUAL ETS AND NOT STOP LOSS ETS.
 - B. SRB CAPS ARE INCREASED BY \$7,500.
 - C. THE CAP AND MULTIPLIER INCREASES ARE IN ADDITION TO THE CAPS AND MULTIPLIERS IN EFFECT UNDER CURRENT SRB MESSAGES AT THE TIME OF REENLISTMENT. AS AN EXAMPLE, A SOLDIER IN THE GRADE OF E-4 WITH A CONTRACTUAL ETS BETWEEN 1 OCTOBER 2006 AND 30 SEPTEMBER 2007 IS ENTITLED TO A 1.5A MULTIPLIER AND THEIR SRB IS CAPPED AT \$10,000. THEIR NEW MULTIPLIER IS 3.0A WITH A NEW CAP OF \$17,500.
6. THE PROVISIONS OF AR 601-280 STILL APPLY WHEN DETERMINING ELIGIBILITY FOR A SRB. PAYMENT WILL BE LUMP SUM.
7. THIS BONUS ENTITLEMENT IS NOT RETROACTIVE.
8. SOLDIERS WITH QUESTIONS PERTAINING TO BONUSES AND ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS ADDRESSED IN THIS MESSAGE SHOULD CONTACT THEIR SERVICING CAREER COUNSELORS. SERVICING CAREER COUNSELORS WITH QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MESSAGE SHOULD CONTACT YOUR APPROPRIATE MACOM RETENTION OFFICE FOR CLARIFICATION. HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND, ALEXANDRIA, VA, POC IS MRS. CARROLL, DSN 221-5400.