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19 April 2017

MEMORANDUM FOR ARNG Personnel Programs, Resources, and Manpower staff of all States, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, Guam and the District of Columbia

SUBJECT: Army National Guard Selected Reserve Incentives Program (SRIP) for Fiscal Year(FY) 2017 (Policy # 17-01)

1. Reference DAPE-MPA Memorandum for Director, Army National Guard, Subject: Fiscal Year 2017 (FY17) Army National Guard (ARNG) Selected Reserve Incentive Program (SRIP).
2. Purpose: To authorize the use of incentives to attract and retain individuals processing or qualifying for training in critical skills and/or critical units needed in wartime and to sustain membership and maintain readiness in the Army National Guard. Incentives are implemented in those situations where other less costly methods have proven inadequate in supporting unit and skill staffing requirements.
3. Applicability: This policy applies to individuals entering or currently serving in an active status in the ARNG. Soldiers affiliating/enlisting, accessing, or reenlisting/extending for the purpose of qualifying for an Active Guard and Reserve (AGR) or Dual Status (DS) Military Technician (MilTech) position, including mobilized Soldiers returning to an AGR or DS MilTech position after Release From Active Duty (REFRAD) and DS MilTechs on Leave Without Pay (LWOP) are not eligible.
4. Effective 19 April 2017, Education and Incentives Operation Memorandums (EIOM) EIOM #16-003 and 16-005 are suspended with the release of the ARNG Selected Reserve Incentives Program (SRIP) policy for Fiscal Year 2017 (enclosed).
5. Changes in the ARNG SRIP provide for greater vacancy incentive opportunities to Non Prior and Prior Service accessions while only being able to select one specific incentive program. In addition, provides a desktop incentive matrix for quick reference, but must be used in conjunction with the ARNG FY 17 SRIP for eligibility requirements.
6. Education Service Officers (ESO) will follow the processing instructions outlined in the Temporary ARNG MGIB Kicker Processing Instructions (enclosed) and the GI Bill Manager's SOP when verifying MGIB-SR Kicker contracts. Contracts will be auto-populated in GIMS at a \$200.00 rate code and the Kicker addendum under the ARNG FY17 SRIP is a rate of \$350.00.

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7. The point of contact is LTC Bradley Chaney at 703-601-7651 or email bradley.h.chaney.mil@mail.mil.



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1. [FY17 SRIP Policy signed.pdf](#)
2. [Temporary Kicker Processing Instructions.pdf](#)

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