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MEMORANDUM FOR DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY FOR  
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**SUBJECT:** Assignment of Program Code “J8” to track Fiscal Year (FY) 2015 Funds Provided for the Afghanistan Security Forces Fund (ASFF), DSCA Policy 15-02 [SAMM E-Change 264]

Effective immediately, Program Code “J8” is assigned to track FY15 ASFF funds provided for Afghanistan National Security Forces. Division C of the Consolidated and Further Continuing Appropriations Act, 2015 provides funding for this authority through September 30, 2016. Management and execution of FY15 ASFF (J8) programs will comply with guidance provided in the Security Assistance Management Manual (SAMM), Chapter 15.

The SAMM Table C4.T2, Country and International Organization Codes and FMS Eligibility, is updated as follows:

Organization	FMS Code	Combatant Command \1	Regional Grouping \2	FMS AECA Eligible \3	Accel. Case Closure Eligible
Afghanistan Security Forces Fund (ASFF), FY 15	J8	CE	NR	AECA Only	No


The appropriation available for J8 Letters of Offer and Acceptance (LOAs) is recorded in the SAMM, Table C15.T2., Appropriation Authority column, and shall be cited on each J8 LOA in the Funds Expiration, Purpose, Availability, and Amount note.

The SAMM Table C15.T2, Building Partnership Capacity (BPC) Program Codes and Authorities, is updated as follows:

Program	Pgm Code	Program Authority	Purpose	Fund Source	Appn Authority	Funds Availability Ends on September 30	Funds Cancel on September 30
ASFF	J8	P.L. 113-291	Provide assistance to Afghanistan National Security Forces	21 15/16 2091	P.L. 113-235	2016	2021

Instructions for preparation of J8 LOA documents are found in the SAMM, Table C15.T5. Standard notes applicable to BPC programs are found in the SAMM, Appendix 6, LOA Notes Listing. Funding associated with J8 LOAs will be fully expended and J8 cases will be reconciled and closed two months before the funds cancellation date.

If you have any questions concerning this guidance, please contact Ms. Caroline Chin, DSCA-STR/POL, caroline.chin@dscamilitary.com, (703) 602-2012.

  
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