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MEMORANDUM FOR DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY FOR DEFENSE EXPORTS AND COOPERATION DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE NAVY FOR INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS DEPUTY UNDER SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE FOR INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS DIRECTOR, DEFENSE CONTRACT MANAGEMENT AGENCY DIRECTOR, SECURITY ASSISTANCE, DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE DIRECTOR, DEFENSE INFORMATION SYSTEMS AGENCY DIRECTOR, DEFENSE THREAT REDUCTION AGENCY DIRECTOR, NATIONAL GEOSPATIAL-INTELLIGENCE AGENCY DIRECTOR, MISSILE DEFENSE AGENCY DIRECTOR, DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY DIRECTOR, DEFENSE LOGISTICS INFORMATION SERVICE DIRECTOR, DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY DISPOSITION DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR INFORMATION ASSURANCE. NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY

SUBJECT: Assignment of Program Code "7H" to track Fiscal Year (FY) 2018 Afghanistan Security Forces Fund, DSCA Policy 17-44 [SAMM E-Chang 373]

Effective immediately, Program Code "7H" is assigned to track FY 2018 Afghanistan Security Forces Fund (ASFF) funds that are available to provide assistance to the security forces of Afghanistan. Funds are provided under Division D of the Continuing Appropriations, 2018 and Supplemental Appropriations for Disaster Relief Requirements Act, 2017 (P.L. 115-56) and will remain available until December 8, 2017.

Once the National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) 2018 and the full-year appropriation bill are issued, the instructions for preparing 7H cases and Letter of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) notes and the Security Assistance Management Manual (SAMM) will be revised to cite the appropriate public laws. All implemented cases should be modified prior to case closure to reflect the 2018 NDAA authorization legislation and the full-year appropriations legislation. Management and execution of FY 2018 ASFF (7H) programs will comply with guidance provided in the SAMM, Chapter 15.

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

Organization		Combatant Command \1	Regional Grouping \2	FMS AECA Eligible \3	Accel. Case Closure Eligible
Afghanistan Security Forces Fund (ASFF), FY 18	7H	CE	NR	AECA Only	No

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	Funds Cancel on
ASFF	7H	P.L.114- 328	Provide assistance to Afghanistan National Security Forces	21 18/19 2091	P.L. 115- 56	December 8, 2017	December 8, 2023

Instructions for preparation of 7H 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 7H LOAs will be fully expended and 7H 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@dsca.mil, (703) 697-9073.

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