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NOTICE TO THE TRADE – DeCA NOTICE 22-18

SUBJECT: Vendor Stocking Initiative Update

The purpose of this notice is to provide an update to Industry on DeCA's initiative to explore alternatives to the current vendor stocking program. For the purpose of this announcement, vendor stocking is defined as those services for frequent delivery system (FDS) products not currently provided by the DeCA commercial activity contractor or under direct store delivery (DSD) orders/deliveries.

DeCA has made an Agency decision that they will now perform vendor stocking services utilizing in-house personnel to accomplish stocking of FDS brand name chill, frozen, and dry grocery products to the following 24 commissaries effective immediately. Thus, your vendor stocking services are no longer required for these locations:

**Arnold AFB
Bridgeport
Buckley AFB
Camp Merrill
Crane NSA
Dahlgren NSF
Dugway PG
El Centro NAF**

**Fort Greely
Fort Hunter Liggett
Great Lakes NS
Lakehurst NAS
Meridian NAS
Parris Island MC
Picatinny Arsenal
Pittsburgh Area**

**Travis AFB
Yuma PG
Albany MCLB
Bangor ANGB
Cherry Point MCAS
Fort Buchanan
Kings Bay NSB
San Onofre**

The stocking of milk, eggs, fresh chicken, and National Industries for the Blind (NIB) impulse strip clips and racks is not included as a part of this program.

Point of contact for this initiative is Mr. Judge Mays, Chief, Brand Name Resale Contracting, (804) 734-8000 extension 48923, or judge.mays@deca.mil.

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