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NOTICE TO THE TRADE - DeCA NOTICE 22-79

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) national/name brand products not currently provided by the DeCA commercial activity contractor or under direct store delivery (DSD)/direct store delivery-single (DSD-S) orders/ deliveries.

**DeCA will expand use of a third party to accomplish stocking of FDS national/name brand chill, frozen, and dry grocery products to the following commissaries on September 1, 2022:**

- **Ellsworth AFB, SD**
- **Fort Hood I, TX**
- **Fort Sill, OK**
- **Los Angeles SFB, CA**
- **NS Mayport, FL**
- **Schofield Barracks, HI**
- **Shaw AFB, SC**
- **Whiteman AFB, MO**
- **NAS Whiting Field, FL**

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

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