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MEMORANDUM FOR SECRETARIES OF THE MILITARY DEPARTMENTS
CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF

SUBJECT: Partial Mobilization (World Trade Center and Pentagon Attacks) and Redelegation of Authority Under Title 10, United States Code, Sections 123, 123a, 527, 12006, 12302, and 12305, 12011, and 12012

References: (a) Executive Order 13223 of September 14, 2001 "Ordering the Ready Reserve of the Armed Forces to Active Duty and Delegating Certain Authorities to the Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Transportation"
(b) Executive Order 12728 of August 22, 1990 "Delegating the President's Authority to Suspend any Provision of Law Relating to the Promotion, Retirement, or Separation of Members of the Armed Forces"

This memorandum supercedes my September 14, 2001 memorandum of the same subject.

Pursuant to Section 12302 of title 10 of the United States Code and Reference (a), I hereby delegate to the Secretaries of the Military Departments authority to order to active duty Ready Reserve members as follows:

(1) Army: not more than 10,000 members of the Army Ready Reserve
(2) Navy and Marine Corps: not more than 3,000 members of the Naval Ready Reserve and not more than 7,500 members of the Marine Corps Ready Reserve.
(3) Air Force: not more than 13,000 members of the Air Force Ready Reserve.

The Secretaries of the Military Departments shall submit to me requests for additional authority to order Ready Reserve units and personnel to active duty as necessary, after coordination with the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Pursuant to references (a) and (b), I hereby redelegate to the Secretaries of the Military Departments the President's authorities under sections 123, 123a, 527, 12006, 12011, 12012, and 12305 of title 10, United States Code. In addition, I am suspending the restrictions on E-8 and E-9 grade ceilings in accordance with section 517 of title 10, United States Code.

The Secretaries of the Military Departments shall coordinate their exercise of the authorities delegated by this memorandum with the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff or his designee, and the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness or his designee prior to their announcement. The authorities delegated by this memorandum may be redelegated to civilian subordinates who are appointed to their offices by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. The Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness or his designee may issue such instructions consistent with this memorandum as may be necessary to ensure the effective implementation of this memorandum.