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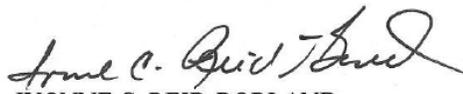
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MEMORANDUM FOR CP 11 JUNIOR EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEMBERS

SUBJECT: DEFENSE CIVILIAN EMERGING LEADERS PROGRAM - CP 11

1. This memorandum announces the official call for nomination for the Defense Civilian Emerging Leaders Program (DCELP), Class of 2016; Financial Management (FM) Career Field.
2. The DCELP is a critical component of the Department of Defense's (DoD) strategy for developing and retaining diverse leadership talent. The course of instruction concentrates on developing emerging leaders in the Acquisition (AQ), Human Resources (HR), and Financial Management (FM) career fields.
3. Nominees must a) be permanent, full-time DoD civilian employees, b) currently hold a position within the Financial Management career field, c) have a minimum of three years of federal service, d) be GS-07 to GS-11 at the time of nomination, and e) be eligible to submit training requests for DCELP in GoArmyEd. DCELP participants will be subject to a Continuing Service Agreement (CSA) for training obtained; nominations should be made for employees who intend to maintain employment within DoD through their CSA expiration.
4. DCELP starts January 2016, and consists of an orientation and four residential courses ranging from four to five days. All DCELP sessions are taught at the DoD Executive Management Training Center in Southbridge, MA; DCELP participants must attend the Southbridge, MA location, unless advised otherwise. Tuition, course materials, and lodging are centrally funded by the Office of the Secretary of Defense (OSD). Travel and per diem only are funded by CP 11.
5. A Senior Comptroller Civilian Career Program Selection Board will endorse highly qualified Army Financial Management nominees for participation in the DCELP program. The endorsed packages will then be submitted to OSD for final selection.
6. Attached are nomination packet materials and instructions. Please disseminate within your Commands and provide ranked DCELP nominations package(s) to the Comptroller Proponency Office no later than June 30, 2015.
7. Point of Contact is Mr. Brandon Robinson at the Comptroller Proponency Office, 703-692-6237, Brandon.p.robinson1.civ@mail.mil.


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