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MEMORANDUM FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE CONTROL OFFICERS (TSCO) AND
DESIGNATED AGENCY REPRESENTATIVES (DAR) IN
THE NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION

SUBJECT: Outstanding FTS Charges

- References:
- DTS-W Newsletter dated April 2000, Page 3
 - DTS-W Memorandum dated 10 December 1999, subject: FTS2001 Late Billing
 - DISA/DITCO Memorandum dated 18 January 2000, subject: FTS2001 Late Billing
 - DTS-W Memorandum, 28 June 2000, subject same as above

Defense Telecommunications Service Washington (DTS-W) recently became aware of certain outstanding Federal Technology Services (FTS) charges identified as Dedicated Access Line (DAL) Primary Interexchange Carrier Charge (PICC). In sensitivity to your fiscal year (FY) requirements, DTS-W has begun processing these charges. You can expect to see a large spike in your April 4445R (Voucher for Transfers between Appropriations and/or Funds). These charges are reported in service code 253, Common Charges.

In an effort to resolve this matter as quickly as possible, Defense Information Technology Contracting Organization (DITCO), Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS) and DTS-W are teaming together to reach consensus on the bottom-line of the outstanding charges. These charges span several fiscal years. At this time, we are unable to provide the number of years and actual dollar amounts in question.

Future billing cycles should reflect at least two months of charges for FTS2000/2001 beginning with FY02 and proceeding to the prior years. Please know that the charges processed this month covered multiple months and future payments may not be any larger. In addition, you will be notified of the team's findings as soon as the details are available.

We regret the inconvenience this will cause and we ask for your patience. Please direct questions or concerns to DTS-W Customer Care Center on (703) 588-2581. The DTS-W points of contact for this issue Mrs. Shandell Brown on (703) 696-7856 or Mrs. Joyce A. Thompson on (703) 696-8417.

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