



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS
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MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDERS, MAJOR SUBORDINATE COMMANDS

SUBJECT: Waiver of Bi-Weekly Pay Limitation

1. Reference memorandum, Office of Personnel Management, 29 August 2005, subject: Hurricane Katrina.
2. Addressees are authorized to waive the biweekly pay limitation for those employees directly involved in the work in support of recovery from Hurricane Katrina. This authority is applicable regardless of where the work is performed. It has been determined that the work is necessary because of an emergency posing a direct threat to life and/or property. The provisions of 5 USC 5541(b) and OPM regulation 5 CFR 550.106 are therefore applicable. An employee performing this work will be subject to an annual pay limitation rather than a biweekly limitation.
3. Questions may be addressed to Denise P. Michel, 202-761-0331.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

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