



DEFENSE INFORMATION SYSTEMS AGENCY

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Network Services (NS) Customer Notice 2014-02

5 May 2014

SUBJECT: Acceleration of DISN ATM Services (DATMS) Elimination Schedule

1. **Purpose:** Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA) is initiating an aggressive strategy to accelerate the elimination of DATMS from the Department of Defense (DoD) Information Network (DoDIN) by 1 October 2014.
2. **Applicability:** This is applicable to all Defense Information Systems Network (DISN) mission partners.
3. **References:** Following are the references pertaining to this notice:
 - (a) DoD Chief Information Officer (CIO) Memorandum, Defense Information Systems Network Asynchronous Transport Mode Elimination Plan Update , dated 21 Dec 2012
 - (b) NS Memorandum, DATMS Elimination, dated 4 Oct 2011
4. **General Information:** Financial pressures from the Office of the Secretary of Defense (OSD) and Congress make it necessary to expedite the schedule to realize cost avoidances from legacy systems. Eliminating DATMS will allow DISA to realize a cost avoidance of \$27 million in Monthly Recurring Costs (MRC) for leased bandwidth over the next 18 months, as well as reduce the costs associated with sustaining and operating the legacy network. DISA is now targeting 1 October, 2014 for the completion of all DATMS elimination implementation and circuit transition actions.
5. **Required Actions:** In order to successfully accomplish this mission, the following measures are directed:
 - 5.1. **Information Distribution** – All information regarding DATMS Elimination will flow through the NS Center for Communications (NS1). Karen Hogan will act as the NS Point of Contact (POC) for this program. Please contact Karen Hogan as follows:

KAREN HOGAN
SBU Email: karen.r.hogan.civ@mail.mil
CML (301) 225-2147
DSN (312) 375-2147
 - 5.2. **DATMS Elimination Working Group** – The composition of the DATMS Elimination Working Group is unchanged by this action and working group meetings will continue until all DATMS elimination actions are complete.

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6. **Waiver Requests** – Mission partners may request waivers to comply with the 1 October 2014 elimination by submitting a waiver request 15 May 2014. Please submit online waiver requests via the following web address: <https://snap.dod.mil/gcap/login.do>
7. **Point-of-Contact:** For questions regarding this NS Customer Notice, please contact Martha Buck as follows:

MARTHA O. BUCK
SBU Email: martha.o.buck.civ@mail.mil
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8. **Effective Date:** This NS Customer Notice is effective 5 May 2014.

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For CINDY E. MORAN
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