

MILPERSMAN 1050-310

APPELLATE LEAVE

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1. Policy

a. A Service member who has been awarded dismissal or an unsuspended punitive discharge by court-martial and who has completed all awarded confinement may be placed on appellate leave pending completion of appellate review.

b. A Service member may request voluntary appellate leave or be placed on mandatory involuntary appellate leave. Both types of leave require approval of the officer exercising general court-martial or special court-martial jurisdiction over the Service member.

c. Prior to being placed on voluntary appellate leave, a Service member must be transferred to the appropriate transient personnel unit or military processing facility for tracking and appellate leave processing unless all applicable requirements are met. If all requirements are met, the Service member may be assigned directly from confinement.

2. Additional Appellate Leave Guidance

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