Message format:

FM  Your Command
TO  Follow Chart above
INFO New Duty station
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        (Note: Do not send this message to COMNAVPERSCOM Millington TN)
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UNCLAS/CUI//N01300//
MSGID/GENADMIN/your command//
SUBJ/DEPENDENT ENTRY APPROVAL ICO rank/rate name//
POC/rank name/TEL: /Email:  // (a command point of contact is required, not the service member transferring)
RMKS/1. THE FOLLOWING REQUEST IS SUBMITTED FOR DEPENDENT ENTRY APPROVAL.//
A.  Rank/rate/civilian rating.  (If E-4, state date of rate.)
B.  Name. Complete last name, first name, and middle initial
C.  Date of marriage, relation to service member, names of family member(s), dates of birth for children and grades for current/next fiscal year (i.e. 3rd grade for 2009/2010 school year). For dependent parents, brothers, or sisters enter date of letter from Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS) approving dependency.
D.  Nationality of sponsor and family member(s).  Enter current citizenship of sponsor and family member(s). (Note: family members that hold foreign passports will require more coordination with PSD, NAVPTO, applicable foreign Embassy's or Consulates)
E.  Origin duty station. Enter geographical location of present duty station.  In the case of Ships, include the homeport.
F.  Address of family member(s). Enter telephone number and current mailing address, including ZIP Code and country where family member(s) are now located.
G.  Date departed continental United States (CONUS). If serving on overseas duty, enter date member departed CONUS for present duty. If second or consecutive overseas tour, indicate whether voluntary or involuntary.  (If not applicable indicate "N/A.")
H.  Months separated from family member(s).  Note:  Applies only to personnel assigned to a command or unit that is physically separated from homeport for operational or training purposes.  Deployment does not include shipyard time away from homeport if change of homeport was authorized.
1. Serving in a fleet unit and deployed for 6 or more consecutive months during the  previous 12 months, or for 3 or more consecutive months during the previous 6 months,  enter the number of months separated from family by deployment during past year. If not deployed per the above criteria enter "N/A."
2. Serving an unaccompanied overseas tour where dependents are authorized. Enter number of months separated from family if dependent(s) were denied entry approval  because of lack of required medical facilities. If entry approval not denied for this reason, enter “NA”.
3. Serving an accompanied overseas tour, enter number of months separated from family because of delayed granting of family entry approval due to non-availability reasons. If family entry approval was not delayed, enter "N/A."
4. Serving an unaccompanied overseas tour where family member(s) are not authorized, enter the number of months separated from family. If not applicable, enter "N/A."
5. Serving an Augmentation billet to support GWOT, enter number of months.
I. Transfer directive authority. Enter Date-Time-Group, Transfer Code (TC) number and authority.
J. Detachment date. Enter date member will detach current permanent duty station.
1. If dependents will travel at a later date include this date and reason for separate travel.
K. Ultimate duty station. In the case of ships, include the homeport.
L. Estimated date of arrival at new duty station.  Best estimate as to when the member will arrive.
M. Housing preference. Indicate preference for civilian or government housing. Indicate acceptability of civilian housing until government housing becomes available and limit of rental payment authorized. State whether member desires sponsor and whether the sponsor is or is not authorized to act as agent for civilian rental housing.
N. Passports. Advise status of appropriate passports, if completed provide passport numbers and visa requirements and state status of any other requirements IAW Foreign Clearance Guide.
O. Expiration of active obligated service (EAOS) of member or obligated service date of Naval Reserve related information.  NOTE: If member must extend for obligated service, member must actually sign an extension.  NAVPERS 1070/613, Administrative Remarks entry in the enlisted member's service record is not acceptable for travel overseas.
1. Department of Defense (DOD) prescribed accompanied tour length as indicated in Defense Travel Management Office website – Tour Lengths and Tours of Duty OCONUS. https://www.defensetravel.dod.mil/Docs/AP-TL-01.pdf
2. EAOS.
P. Certification of suitability, if complete.  Dependent Entry Approval Request does not suffice for reporting overseas screening IAW MILPERSMAN 1300-304.
Q. Remarks. Enter other appropriate information such as "spouse is an accredited teacher," etc.  List known ICD9 codes for medical ailments or physical disabilities of family member(s) and any family member(s) who display a physical, emotional or intellectual handicap requiring medically related services.  Include family member(s) who are enrolled in the Exceptional Family Member (EFM) Program, and family member(s) who require special education in DODD schools outside the United States.  Pregnancy should also be listed.//
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