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LANGLEY AIR FORCE BASE, VIRGINIA

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MEMORANDUM FOR ACC MEDICAL GROUP COMMANDERS

FROM: HQ ACC/SG
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SUBJECT: Selective Reenlistment Bonus Program Reductions and Eliminations

1. As indicated in Major General Brannon's memo, a sweeping review of the Selective Reenlistment Bonus (SRB) Program has just been completed. This review analyzed reenlistment rates, retention trends in each AFSC, and suggested significant reduction or elimination of a large number of AFSCs from the SRB program. All enlisted medical AFSCs were removed from SRB.
2. Our enlisted men and woman are highly trained and dedicated professionals. It is my personal opinion that one of the real strengths of our Air Force, and of our AFMS, is the superb quality of our professional NCO Corps. They are without a doubt among the world's finest in dedication and service.
3. Though some may interpret this decision as a decline in the appreciation for their skills and service; please ensure your airmen this is not the case! Their very tangible contributions in the delivery of healthcare are vital to our Air Force. Our enlisted airmen are a critical part of our team and I thank each and every one of them for their continued hard work. Please assure that this message is passed enthusiastically – from me as well as from you!

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Russell J. Kilpatrick".

RUSSELL J. KILPATRICK
Brigadier General, USAF, MC, CFS
Command Surgeon

1 Attachment:
AF/SGC Memo, undated