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Subj: POLICY ON BLOOD DONATION FOR MSC HEADQUARTERS

Ref: (a) DOD Civilian Personnel Manual Section S-11.5

1. Purpose. To provide guidance and implement policy on recuperation time for blood donors with MSC Headquarters.
2. Applicability. All military and civilian personnel within Military Sealift Command.
3. Background. CNO has tasked all commands to participate in the Navy Blood Program to the fullest extent. MSC Headquarters has a responsibility to assist USNH Bethesda in meeting its day-to-day requirements for blood and blood products through quarterly Bloodmobile visits.
4. Policy. Reference (a) states "DOD employees are encouraged to serve as blood donors and will be excused from work without charge to leave for the time necessary to donate the blood, for recuperation following blood donation, and for necessary travel." "The maximum excusal time will not exceed 4 hours."
5. Action. All Directors and Special Assistants shall provide widest dissemination and ensure compliance with this policy.

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