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SUBJECT: Army Directive 2015-22 (Revision to List of Special Command Sergeant Major Positions)

1. References:

a. Army Regulation (AR) 420-1 (Army Facilities Management), 12 February 2008, Including Rapid Action Revision No. 2 Issued 24 August 2012.

b. Memorandum, OSD DA&M, June 28 2013, subject: Special Command Position (SCP) Submission.

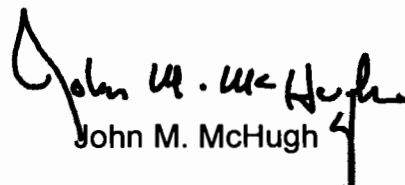
c. Memorandum, DACS-SM, 9 April 2014, subject: Update to the Special Command Sergeant Major (CSM) Position List and Changes in AR 420-1.

2. Applicability. This policy applies to the Active Army, Army National Guard/Army National Guard of the United States and U.S. Army Reserve, unless otherwise stated. In addition, it applies to tenants on active Army installations.

3. Policy. This directive outlines changes to the Special CSM position list in AR 420-1, table 3-9 that correlate to the current Special Command for General Officer positions. The revised list is at the enclosure and is effective immediately. Only Special CSMs on the enclosed list who have entertainment requirements in their duty description are eligible for representational housing. Official entertainment is defined as events paid for with official representation funds. Under this revised policy, all other E-9 positions categorized as nominative CSMs or sergeants major will fall within the housing standards set for E-9 personnel.

4. Proponency. In accordance with AR 420-1, paragraph 3-71, the Chief of Staff, Army is the approving authority for designation of new Special CSM positions and the cancellation of old ones. The proponent for the overall housing policy in AR 420-1 is the Assistant Chief of Staff for Installation Management, who will incorporate the provisions of this directive into the next revision of AR 420-1. This directive is rescinded upon publication of the revised regulation.

Encl

  
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**Table 3-9**  
**Special Command Sergeant Major positions**

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Senior Enlisted Advisor to the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff: aligns with SCP 1  
Sergeant Major of the Army: aligns with SCP 3  
Command Sergeant Major (CSM), National Guard Bureau: aligns with SCP 8  
CSM, U.S. European Command/NATO Supreme Allied Commander Europe: aligns with SCP 10  
CSM, United Nations Command/Combined Forces Command/U.S. Forces Korea: aligns with SCP 11  
CSM, U.S. Africa Command: aligns with SCP 12  
CSM, U.S. Southern Command: aligns with SCP 14  
CSM, Eighth Army: aligns with SCP 15  
CSM, U.S. Army Forces Command: aligns with SCP 16  
CSM, U.S. Army Europe: aligns with SCP 17  
CSM, U.S. Army Materiel Command: aligns with SCP 18  
CSM, U.S. Army Pacific: aligns with SCP 19  
CSM, U.S. Army Training and Doctrine Command: aligns with SCP 20  
CSM, U.S. Army Japan/I Corps (Forward): aligns with SCP 21  
CSM, U.S. Army War College: aligns with SCP 22  
CSM, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College: aligns with SCP 23  
CSM, Dwight D. Eisenhower School for National Security and Resource Strategy: aligns with SCP 24  
CSM, National War College: aligns with SCP 25  
CSM, U.S. Military Academy: aligns with SCP 29  
Commandant, U.S. Sergeants Major Academy: aligns with SCP 20

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**Note 1:** The Senior Enlisted Advisor to the Chairman, Sergeant Major of the Army and the Commandant of the United States Sergeants Major Academy are authorized Special Command Position amenities that include designated homes, crystal and china. Only those nominative command and staff sergeants major (SGM/E-9) and billeting identified in table 3-9 of AR 420-1 are considered special. All other E-9 positions that may be categorized as a nominative position (CSM or SGM) will fall within the housing standards set for E-9 personnel.

**Note 2:** Unless the CSM has an official requirement outlined within his or her duty description to routinely entertain, the CSM should not be arbitrarily granted this benefit. "Official entertainment" is defined as events paid for with official representation funds.