

ALARACT 068/2022

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SUBJ/ALARACT 068/2022 - FISCAL YEAR 2023 APPROVED CLOTHING BAG LIST, INITIAL CLOTHING ALLOWANCE, CLOTHING REPLACEMENT ALLOWANCE, AND CASH ALLOWANCE

THIS ALARACT MESSAGE HAS BEEN TRANSMITTED BY JSP ON BEHALF OF HQDA, DCS, G-4 /DALO-SPT

1. (U) REFERENCES:

1.A. DODI 1338.18, ARMED FORCES CLOTHING MONETARY ALLOWANCES PROCEDURES

1.B. 37 USC 418, CLOTHING ALLOWANCE: ENLISTED MEMBERS

1.C. 37 USC 419, CIVILIAN CLOTHING ALLOWANCE

1.D. DOD 7000.14-R, FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT REGULATION VOLUME 7A, CHAPTER 29, CLOTHING MONETARY ALLOWANCES

2. (U) PURPOSE. ANNOUNCING THE APPROVED FISCAL YEAR 2023 (FY23):

2.A. INITIAL CLOTHING ALLOWANCE FOR MALE AND FEMALE SOLDIERS.

2.B. REGULAR ARMY ENLISTED SOLDIERS CLOTHING REPLACEMENT ALLOWANCE (CRA) AND INITIAL ENTRY SOLDIERS CASH ALLOWANCE.

3. (U) THE EFFECTIVE DATE FOR THIS MESSAGE IS 01 OCTOBER 2022.

4. (U) THERE ARE THREE TYPES OF CLOTHING MONETARY ALLOWANCES CONTRIBUTING TO THE OVERALL CHANGES IN FY23 RATES: INITIAL CLOTHING ALLOWANCE (ICA), BASIC CRA, AND STANDARD CRA.

4.A. THE COST OF FY23 ICA RATE FOR MALES AND FEMALES IS AS FOLLOWS:

4.A.1. MALE SOLDIERS: THE COST OF THE ICA FOR A MALE ENLISTED SOLDIER WILL INCREASE FROM \$1,755.96 TO \$1,799.23. THERE IS NO CASH ALLOWANCE FOR A MALE SOLDIER.

4.A.2. FEMALE SOLDIERS: THE COST OF THE ICA FOR A FEMALE SOLDIER WILL INCREASE FROM \$2,063.36 TO \$2,171.63, WHICH INCLUDES A CASH ALLOWANCE OF \$406.60.

5. (U) THE CRA IS PAID TO A REGULAR ARMY ENLISTED SOLDIER TO REPLACE CLOTHING BAG ITEMS. THE TWO TYPES OF CRA ARE BASIC AND STANDARD.

THE BASIC CRA BEGINS TO ACCUMULATE AFTER THE ENLISTED SOLDIER COMPLETES SIX MONTHS OF ACTIVE-DUTY SERVICE AND IS PAID FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE ENLISTED SOLDIER'S FIRST THREE YEARS OF CONTINUOUS SERVICE. THE STANDARD CRA BEGINS TO ACCUMULATE THE DAY AFTER THE ENLISTED SOLDIER COMPLETES 36 MONTHS OF ACTIVE SERVICE. THE STANDARD CRA WILL BE PAID FOR THE REMAINDER OF A SOLDIER'S CONTINUOUS ACTIVE DUTY. THE BASIC AND STANDARD CRA IS PAID ANNUALLY ON THE ANNIVERSARY MONTH THE SOLDIER ENTERED SERVICE.

5.A. THE BASIC CRA IS PAID TO REGULAR ARMY ENLISTED SOLDIERS WITH 6-36 MONTHS OF ACTIVE SERVICE.

5.A.1. MALE SOLDIERS: THE BASIC MALE CRA WILL INCREASE FROM \$356.38 TO \$362.14.

5.A.2. FEMALE SOLDIERS: THE BASIC FEMALE CRA WILL DECREASE FROM \$393.25 TO \$355.24; THE DECREASE IS DUE TO A CHANGE IN PRICES FOR THE HOT WEATHER UNIFORM.

5.B. THE STANDARD CRA IS PAID TO REGULAR ARMY ENLISTED SOLDIERS WITH 37 MONTHS OR MORE ACTIVE SERVICE.

5.B.1. MALE SOLDIERS: STANDARD MALE CRA WILL INCREASE FROM \$509.11 TO \$517.34.

5.B.2. FEMALE SOLDIERS: STANDARD FEMALE CRA WILL DECREASE FROM \$561.78 TO \$507.48. THE DECREASE IS DUE TO A CHANGE IN PRICES FOR THE HOT WEATHER UNIFORM.

6. (U) THE APPROVED FY23 CASH ALLOWANCES FOR INITIAL ENTRY SOLDIERS IS AS FOLLOWS.

6.A. MALE: MALE SOLDIERS DO NOT RECEIVE A CASH ALLOWANCE. NO CHANGE.

6.B. FEMALE: FEMALE SOLDIERS CASH ALLOWANCE WILL INCREASE FROM \$265.23 TO \$406.60

7. (U) THE ENCLOSURE CONTAINS THE APPROVED FY23 ARMY INITIAL CLOTHING BAG LIST FOR ALL REGULAR ARMY, U.S. ARMY RESERVE, AND ARMY NATIONAL GUARD SOLDIERS.

8. (U) THE OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE FOR PERSONNEL AND READINESS, MILITARY POLICY, WILL DETERMINE AND PUBLISH THE FY23 CIVILIAN CLOTHING ALLOWANCE.

9. (U) HQDA, ODCS, G-4 POINTS OF CONTACT.

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10. (U) THIS ALARACT MESSAGE EXPIRES ON 30 SEPTEMBER 2023.

ATTACHMENT:

BAG LIST AT STANDARD SELLING PRICE FISCAL YEAR 2023 ARMY MEN/WOMEN

**Bag List at Standard Selling Price
Fiscal Year 2023
Army - Men**

Lead National Stock Number	Product Group Code	Bag List	FY 23 Qty.	FY 23 Price	Monetary Allowance
8465-01-604-6541	36096	Bag, Duffel, Improved	1	\$ 39.90	\$ 39.90
8315-01-683-9267	12174	Belt Buckle	1	\$ 2.56	\$ 2.56
8415-01-630-9491	04015	Belt, Riggers, Tan 499	1	\$ 5.15	\$ 5.15
8440-01-683-9172	00360	Belt, Trouser, Cotton Webbing w/Clip	1	\$ 5.66	\$ 5.66
8405-01-088-7805	01724	Beret, Wool, Black Shade 1593	1	\$ 22.79	\$ 22.79
8430-01-632-2475	04039	Boots, Combat, Hot Weather Coyote	2	\$ 96.96	\$ 193.92
8405-01-683-5732	00176	Cap, Garrison, Unisex	1	\$ 14.42	\$ 14.42
8415-01-630-8905	04009	Cap, Patrol, Army Combat Uniform OCP	2	\$ 9.45	\$ 18.90
8405-01-524-2671	28903	Cap, Synthetic Microfleece, Black	1	\$ 7.06	\$ 7.06
8415-01-623-5052	03976	Coat, Army Combat Uniform OCP	2	\$ 51.07	\$ 102.14
8415-01-670-9017	00044	Coat, IHWCU	2	\$ 40.69	\$ 81.38
8405-01-683-0695	00178	Coat, Men's, Belted with Bi swing	1	\$ 196.24	\$ 196.24
8405-01-683-8982	00181	Coat, Men's, All Weather, Army	1	\$ 125.60	\$ 125.60
8415-01-667-3015	00031	Combat Gloves	1	\$ 43.44	\$ 43.44
8415-01-690-5477	12510	Cover, Face, Coyote	1	\$ 4.81	\$ 4.81
8415-01-692-4240	12514	Cover, Face, Black	1	\$ 4.81	\$ 4.81
8420-01-669-3645	00038	Drawers, Men's Brief, Tan 499 (7 PK)	1	\$ 27.70	\$ 27.70
8415-01-644-6067	04119	Glove, Inserts, Cold, Black	1	\$ 3.11	\$ 3.11
8415-01-644-6075	04120	Glove, Inserts, Cold, Coyote	1	\$ 3.11	\$ 3.11
8415-01-644-4837	04118	Glove, Light Duty Utility, (LDUG) Black	1	\$ 25.50	\$ 25.50
8440-01-683-7751	00183	Gloves, Leather, Unisex	1	\$ 26.35	\$ 26.35
8415-01-623-8613	03990	Jacket, Unisex APFU	1	\$ 55.09	\$ 55.09
8440-01-684-6367	00359	Necktie, Unisex	1	\$ 12.51	\$ 12.51
8415-01-623-8702	03988	Pants, Unisex APFU	1	\$ 31.77	\$ 31.77
8415-01-623-2643	03984	Shirt, L/S, APFU	2	\$ 8.99	\$ 17.98
8405-01-683-2886	00188	Shirt, Men's, Dress, Long Sleeve	1	\$ 31.36	\$ 31.36
8405-01-683-2284	00194	Shirt, Men's, Dress, Short Sleeve	1	\$ 23.46	\$ 23.46
8415-01-623-2516	03983	Shirt, S/S, APFU	3	\$ 6.35	\$ 19.05
8430-01-686-2368	03896	Shoes, Dress, Oxford, Men's	1	\$ 78.01	\$ 78.01
8430-01-663-5838	01547	Shoes, Running Men's, Type II Stability	1	\$ 95.58	\$ 95.58
8430-01-663-4604	01548	Shoes, Running Men's, Type III Motion Control		\$ 95.58	
8415-01-692-2228	00338	Socks, Athletic, Black	7	\$ 1.27	\$ 8.89
8440-01-508-3357	02882	Sock, Boot, Green	7	\$ 1.68	\$ 11.76
8440-01-683-7644	00358	Socks, Stretch Type, Dress	2	\$ 1.69	\$ 3.38
7210-01-598-0225	34576	Towel, Bath, Brown	4	\$ 2.87	\$ 11.48
8415-01-623-3923	03977	Trousers, Army Combat Uniform OCP	2	\$ 50.68	\$ 101.36
8415-01-670-5110	00045	Trousers, IHWCU	2	\$ 54.85	\$ 109.70
8405-01-683-2511	00175	Trousers, Men's Dress	2	\$ 70.31	\$ 140.62
8415-01-623-2466	03982	Trunks, APFU	3	\$ 15.69	\$ 47.07
8415-01-630-5523	04011	T-Shirt, Moisture-Wicking Tan 499	7	\$ 5.09	\$ 35.63
8420-00-543-6643	00312	Undershirt, White Cotton	2	\$ 3.39	\$ 6.78
7210-01-598-7033	38901	Washcloth, Brown	4	\$ 0.80	\$ 3.20
Total Monetary Allowance					\$ 1,799.23

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8415-01-623-3294	03978	Coat, Army Combat Uniform-F OCP	2	\$ 48.38	\$ 96.76
8415-01-670-9017	00044	Coat, IHWCU	0	\$ -	
8415-01-687-0952	00225	Coat, IHWCU-F	2	\$ 38.56	\$ 77.12
8410-01-683-8832	00180	Coat, Women's, All Weather, Army	1	\$ 125.06	\$ 125.06
8410-01-683-1945	00179	Coat, Women's, Belted with Bi swing	1	\$ 197.69	\$ 197.69
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8440-01-684-6367	00359	Necktie, Unisex	1	\$ 12.51	\$ 12.51
8415-01-623-9309	03989	Pants, Women's APFU	1	\$ 29.87	\$ 29.87
8415-01-687-1339	00226	Pants, Women's IHWCU-F	2	\$ 53.96	\$ 107.92
8415-01-623-2643	03984	Shirt, L/S, APFU	2	\$ 8.99	\$ 17.98
8415-01-623-2516	03983	Shirt, S/S, APFU	3	\$ 6.35	\$ 19.05
8410-01-683-6990	00210	Shirt, Women's, Over Blouse, Long Sleeve	1	\$ 37.28	\$ 37.28
8410-01-683-4938	00223	Shirt, Women's, Over Blouse, Short Sleeve	1	\$ 38.19	\$ 38.19
8435-01-683-6435	03897	Shoes, Dress, Oxford, Women's	1	\$ 73.99	\$ 73.99
8435-01-663-6627	01580	Shoes, Running Women's, Stability	1	\$ 91.23	\$ 91.23
8435-01-663-6855	01581	Shoes, Running Women's, Motion Control	1	\$ 91.23	\$ 91.23
8410-01-683-7929	00192	Slacks, Women's, Dress	2	\$ 69.60	\$ 139.20
8415-01-692-2228	00338	Socks, Athletic, Black	7	\$ 1.27	\$ 8.89
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PGCs 00044 and 00045 may be used as an alternative uniform to PGCs 00225 and 00226.

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