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0529: Shipment of a POV in the CONUS

### 052901. Shipment of a POV at Government Expense

A. **Eligibility.** A Service member or a dependent may be authorized POV transportation within CONUS when an order has been received for either of the following:

1. An authorized change in ship’s home port or

2. A PCS between CONUS permanent duty stations (PDSs) and the Service member is physically unable to drive or has insufficient time to drive and report to the PDS as ordered.

B. **Allowances.** See par. 053001.

### 052902. Shipment of a POV by the Member

A. **Eligibility.** A Service member with dependents, who are relocating due to PCS orders in CONUS, may be authorized to transport a privately owned vehicle (POV). A Service member is not authorized reimbursement to ship a POV if he or she has no dependents or has dependents who are either ineligible for transportation at Government expense or are not being relocated as a result of the Service member’s permanent change of station (PCS).

B. **Allowances.** Reimbursement for shipping for one POV may be authorized in the CONUS under the circumstances specified in Table 5-63. See [Computation Examples](#).

| Table 5-63. Shipment of a POV by the Service Member |
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| Service Member Ships a POV | • A Service member with eligible dependent are relocating between PDSs in the CONUS and must meet all of the following conditions: |

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● The dependent is eligible for transportation at Government expense and relocates with the Service member.
● The Service member or his or her eligible dependent owns more than one POV that must be relocated.
● The Service member and all of his or her dependents travel at one time in one POV.
● The Government’s transportation cost to ship the second POV is limited to the remainder of the monetary allowance in lieu of transportation (MALT) plus flat per diem (MALT Plus) for driving two POVs to the new PDS.
● The Service member is financially responsible for all excess costs and additional expenses associated with shipping the second POV.
● MALT and cost reimbursement are separately authorized for the POV being driven.

1. Limitations. A Service member who is authorized to ship a POV is ineligible for any of the following allowances:

   a. Commercial travel at Government expense for the Service member or dependent.
   b. Government-procured transportation (as the Service member must self obtain.
   c. Reimbursement for TDY mileage or MALT to drop off or pick up the POV.
   d. POV storage at Government expense instead of POV transportation.
   e. Transportation of a POV from the location in the CONUS where the POV was left while the Service member was stationed overseas to a new PDS in the CONUS unless it was stored at Government expense because it could not be transported to the PDS outside of the CONUS (OCONUS).

2. A Service member who drives one vehicle and ships his or her second vehicle must receive authorization or approval through the Secretarial Process to drive any additional vehicles.

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C. Dependent Student. The safe haven or designated place replaces the Service member’s PDS as the destination authorized under par. 050618 when a dependent student is attending school in the United States, and the Service member is authorized transportation allowances for the dependent student to travel to the PDS but the PDS has been evacuated. Evacuation allowances begin on the date the dependent student would have joined the Service member OCONUS had it not been for the evacuation.
3. Unless terminated sooner for other reasons, evacuation allowances continue until the dependent student departs the safe haven to return to school to resume classes there, starts attending classes at a school, or the date the student would have returned to the school under the provisions of par. 050618 from the Service member’s PDS, whichever occurs first.

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10. For return transportation to CONUS, the former spouse and/or dependents or former dependent children of a member when such dependents or former dependents are located OCONUS, even though the marital relationship with the member was terminated by divorce/annulment before the member was eligible for return transportation. See par. 050203.;

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B. Allowances. See par. 053001.

052902. Shipment of a POV by the Member

A. Eligibility. A Service member with dependents, who are relocating due to PCS orders in CONUS, may be authorized to transport a privately owned vehicle (POV) or have the Government ship a POV for use by the Service member or his or her dependents. A Service member is not authorized reimbursement to ship a POV transportation at Government expense if he or she has no dependents or has dependents who are either ineligible for transportation at Government expense or are not being relocated as a result of the Service member’s permanent change of station (PCS).
B. Allowances. **Reimbursement for shipping** for one POV may be authorized in the continental United States (CONUS) under the circumstances specified in Table 5-63. See Computation Examples.

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   a. A Service member who is authorized to ship a POV transportation is ineligible for any of the following allowances:

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3. Unless terminated sooner for other reasons, evacuation allowances continue until the dependent student departs the safe haven to return to school to resume classes there, starts attending classes at a school, or the date the student would have returned to the school under the provisions of par. §451-050618 from the Service member’s PDS, whichever occurs first.

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