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SUBJECT: UTD for MAP 68-15(I) -- Dependent Relocating for Personal Safety

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## 5153 TRAVEL AND TRANSPORTATION FOR A DEPENDENT RELOCATING FOR PERSONAL SAFETY

### A. General

1. The member’s spouse or the parent/court appointed guardian of a dependent child may request relocation for personal safety and may be authorized travel and transportation under this par. if the Service designated official determines that:
   
   a. The member has committed a dependent abuse offense against a member’s dependent;
   
   b. A safety plan and counseling have been provided to the dependent;
   
   c. The dependent’s safety is at risk; and
   
   d. Dependent relocation is advisable.

2. Dependent(s) relocation must be in the best interest of the:
   
   a. Member/member's dependent(s), and
   
   b. U.S. Gov’t.

### B. Definitions

1. Dependent Child. For this par., the following is a member’s dependent:
   
   a. Dependent/acquired dependent as defined in App A; and
   
   b. A member's unmarried child who was transported to the member’s PDS at Gov’t expense and who, by reason of age or graduation from (or cessation of enrollment in) an institution of higher education, would otherwise cease to be the member’s dependent while the member was serving at that station.

2. Dependent Abuse Offense. A dependent abuse offense is conducted by a member (as defined in 10 USC §1059(c)) on active duty for more than 30 days that involves abuse of the spouse/dependent child.

### C. Restriction

HHG/POV transportation may be authorized only if the member’s written agreement, or an order
of a court of competent jurisdiction, gives HHG/POV possession to the member’s spouse/dependent.

*D. Authority

*1. When a PCS order has not been issued, or when it has been issued but cannot be used as authority for the transportation of the member's dependent(s), baggage, and HHG; transportation may be authorized for the member's dependent(s), baggage, and HHG from the PDS to the designated relocation site in the U.S., or its possessions, or if the dependent(s) is a foreign national to the dependent’s native country.

*2. Transportation in kind, transportation reimbursement, or ‘MALT Plus’, is authorized for the dependent(s).

*3. If the member’s PDS is OCONUS, transportation may be authorized for one POV that is owned/leased by the member/dependent and is for the member’s dependent’s personal use.

*4. Transportation of HHG in NTS to the designated relocation site may be authorized.

*E. Reimbursement. IAW 37 USC §476(h)(4)(A), all monetary payments, except DLA, are paid directly to the dependent instead of to the member.

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*5321 HHG TRANSPORTATION FOR DEPENDENT(S) RELOCATING FOR PERSONAL SAFETY

See par. 5153.

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*F. POV Transportation for Dependent(s) Relocating for Personal Safety. See par. 5153.

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*NOTE: Par. 5153 for POV transportation for a dependent relocating for personal safety.

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*5. On behalf of dependent(s) relocating for personal safety (par. 5153); or
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5106  TRAVEL AND TRANSPORTATION FOR A DEPENDENT RELOCATING FOR PERSONAL SAFETY

A.  General

1.  The member’s spouse or the parent/court appointed guardian of a dependent child may request relocation for personal safety and may be authorized travel and transportation under this par. if it is determined by the Service designated official that:
   a.  The member has committed a dependent abuse offense against a member’s dependent;
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D. Authority

1. When an order directing a member’s PCS has not been issued, or when it has been issued but cannot be used as authority for the transportation of the member’s dependent(s), baggage, and HHG; transportation may be authorized for the member’s dependent(s), baggage, and HHG from the PDS to the designated relocation site in the U.S., or its possessions, or if the dependent(s) is a foreign national to the dependent’s native country.

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3. If the member’s PDS is OCONUS, transportation may be authorized for one POV that is owned/leased by the member dependent and is for the member’s dependent’s personal use.

4. Transportation of HHG in NTS to the designated relocation site may be authorized.

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