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5. This determination when printed in the JTR.

6. Action Officer: Velda A. Potter (velda.a.potter.civ@mail.mil).

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1. A Service member TDY aboard a ship is provided meals with or without charge, and is ineligible for per diem beginning at 0001 on the day after arrival through 2400 on the day before departing the ship.

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1. Normally, a Service member TDY traveler aboard a ship is provided meals with or without charge, making the traveler a service member and is ineligible for per diem beginning at 0001 on the day after arrival through 2400 on the day before departing the ship.

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