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To: Senator Terry Rice, Co-Chair, Arkansas Legislative Counsel
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From: MG Jonathan M. Stubbs, The Adjutant General
Secretary, Arkansas Department of the Military

RE: Requested Information – Arkansas Legislative Counsel – November 2023

Date: April 2, 2024

At the November 17, 2023, meeting of Legislative Council, it was requested that I provide information by the April/May of Legislative Council on the progress of all high schools in Arkansas allowing the Arkansas National Guard to recruit on its campus and the needs of the Department of the Military.

Since November, our recruiting team and I have prioritized engaging high schools that have traditionally not allowed access for recruiting or only provided limited access. I have personally visited the following high schools and have seen drastically improved access:

- Bentonville
- Bentonville West
- Jacksonville
- Beebe
- Bryant
- Cabot
- Greene County Tech
- North Little Rock

Since November, our Recruiting and Retention Command Staff visited the following high schools that have traditionally not allowed access for recruiting or only provided limited access and have experienced drastically improved access:

- Fayetteville
- Lakeside (Hot Springs)
- Jonesboro
- Valley View
- Watson Chapel
- Little Rock Hall
- Warren
- Harrisburg
- Parker's Chapel

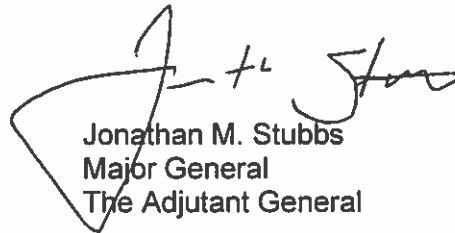
My team and I will continue to attempt to work with the following schools but as of the date of this memorandum, the following high schools either allow zero access to students or recruiting efforts are restricted to only lunchroom displays.

- Little Rock Central
- Monticello

Currently, the Department of the Military needs remain constant and include a focus on creative ways to increase recruiting incentives at the state level and addressing maintenance issues across our facilities.

If you have any questions or need anything further, please let me know.

Respectfully,



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