

CONTINUOUS OVERSEAS TOUR (COT) ELECTION STATEMENT

If you are PCSing to another overseas location, you have a COT travel entitlement. That is, the government will pay to send you to your home of record (as listed on your enlistment/reenlistment contract or EAD orders).

You may take your COT entitlement en-route to your next assignment or you may request to defer the entitlement and take it sometime during your next tour.

If you are going to another PACAF base, you may self-defer your COT entitlement.

If you are going to a different MAJCOM your commander must approve your COT deferment (template available from Outbound Assignments).

Any leave you take while en-route to your next overseas assignment is chargeable leave. You are only authorized travel days for the time it takes to fly directly from JBER to your next duty station (or to attend TDY en-route if applicable).

If you are deferring your COT, you may not take more than 10 days of leave en-route to your next assignment. If you take more than 10 days of leave en-route, your COT travel entitlement will be considered used even though you have deferred it.

If you have command sponsored dependents here at JBER who are accompanying you to your next overseas assignment, they will also receive the travel entitlement. If you are going on an unaccompanied tour they are not entitled to the COT travel entitlement.

Please make your election by completing the following statement:

I do/do not wish to defer my COT (circle one).

My home of record is: _____

By signing this form, I am stating that I have read and understand all items listed above.

Printed Name/Signature _____

Date _____