

RESERVE OBLIGATION All of you have incurred a Reserve Obligation. Upon your entrance into the service you incur a 6 year obligation, either active or inactive or a combination of both.

Enlisted members credited with 2 years but less than 3 years active duty and assigned to a Reserve unit will be required to satisfactorily participate in unit training for a maximum of 2 years or until the completion of 5 years satisfactory military service (Active duty and Ready Reserve), whichever occurs first. There is one exception to this policy: enlisted members receiving early release from active duty who subsequently voluntarily affiliate themselves with a unit prior to the second anniversary date of entry on active duty will be required to satisfactorily participate in unit training until the fourth anniversary date of entry on active duty.

Enlisted members credited with 3 years but less than 4 years active duty who, upon released from active duty, volunteer to serve in a unit will be required to satisfactorily participate in unit training for 1 year or until completion of 5 years of satisfactory military service (Active duty and Ready Reserve), whichever occurs first. Those enlisted members for whom no unit assignment is available and those who do not volunteer for unit training will be assigned to the Control Group (Reinforcement)

Enlisted reservist credited with 4 years active duty will not be involuntarily assigned to any USAR unit or involuntarily retained in the Ready Reserve. An enlisted reservist in this category will be transferred from the Ready Reserve to the Standby Reserve for the remaining period of his statutory obligation, unless he volunteers to serve in the Ready Reserve, the enlisted reservists will be required to complete the agreement specified in AR 140-25 or 135-133.

When active duty is performed the combined active duty and satisfactory participation as a member of the Ready Reserve must total 5 years before the reservist is eligible for transfer to the Standby Reserve.

The 90 day Readjustment Period. Obligated reservist released from 2 years active Army duty and transferred to the Army Reserve are authorized a 90 day readjustment period during which participation in training is not required. You may voluntarily join a unit of the ARNGUS or USAR during the first 60 days of the readjustment period.

You may fulfill your Reserve Obligation either with the Army Reserve that serves you local area or the Army National Guard; The choice is yours. Both offer certain advantages that may suit your individuals needs; I suggest you visit the units when you arrive home and find out what is best for you. Remember the choice is up to you.

You are obligated to report to the Selective Service Board within 10 days of your separation date. You may report to any Selective Service Board within the United States. You do not necessarily have to report to the one in your hometown. You may report in person, write them, or call them, but remember you do have to report to them. ANY QUESTIONS GENTLEMEN?