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MEMORANDUM FOR ALMAJCOM/CE  
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SUBJECT: Pesticide Environmental Stewardship Program Champion Award

We are proud to forward the attached memo recognizing the contribution that the Services made leading to the Environmental Protection Agency's selection of the DoD Armed Forces Pest Management Board (AFPMB) as a Pesticide Environmental Stewardship Program (PESP) Champion for 2002. The PESP is given in recognition of outstanding efforts towards risk reduction and commitment to the common goals of protecting human health and the environment and promoting integrated pest management.

Air Force pest management personnel are strong leaders in their field, and their efforts contributed significantly towards receipt of this award. In addition to their contributions toward environmental protection and quality of life, they provide an invaluable function crucial to military readiness, force protection, and Homeland Security. Please pass on our heartfelt appreciation to our outstanding pest management professionals.

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MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY  
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE NAVY  
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE  
(INSTALLATIONS, ENVIRONMENT AND LOGISTICS)  
DIRECTOR, DEFENSE LOGISTICS AGENCY (D)

SUBJECT: 2002 Pesticide Environmental Stewardship Program Champion Award

I want to express my appreciation to you and the pest management program professionals in your organization for the contributions made by the Components which led to the Environment Protection Agency's selection of DoD's Armed Forces Pest Management Board (AFPMB) as a Pesticide Environmental Stewardship Program Champion for 2002.

The award (see attached) recognizes DoD's extraordinary level of commitment to protecting human health and the environment through the use of integrated pest management (IPM) to reduce reliance on pesticides. Your program professionals, working through the AFPMB, helped craft ambitious strategies to implement IPM, and then implemented those strategies to produce the results that won this award.

DoD's federal leadership in pesticide environmental stewardship enables us to support military readiness and carry out our national defense mission while averting future pollution. Well done!

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Principal Assistant Deputy Under Secretary of Defense  
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