B. Prescribed Weight Allowances

- 1. Higher Weight Allowance Authorization
 - a. Either the Secretary Concerned or the Secretarial Process, at Service discretion, for each Service may authorize a higher weight allowance (NTE 18,000 lbs.) of a member below pay grade O-6, but only on a case-by-case basis;
 - b. No general policy statements are permitted; and
 - c. The Secretary Concerned or the Secretarial Process decision maker must issue a determination that failure to increase the member's weight allowance would create a significant hardship to the member or the member's dependents.
- 2. <u>Authorized PCS Weight Allowances</u>. Except as provided in pars. U5315 and U5330-A, authorized PCS weight allowances are:

PCS & NTS	Weight Allowances (Pounds)
Grade <u>NOTES 1</u> & <u>3</u>	With Dependents NOTE 2	Without Dependents
	Officer Personnel	
0-10 to 0-6	18,000	18,000
0-5/W-5	17,500	16,000
0-4/W-4	17,000	14,000
0-3/W-3	14,500	13,000
0-2/W-2	13,500	12,500
0-1/W-1/Service Academy Graduates	12,000	10,000
	Enlisted Personnel	
E-9	15,000 NOTE 4	13,000 <u>NOTE 4</u>
E-8	14,000	12,000
E-7	13,000	11,000
E-6	11,000	8,000
E-5	9,000	7,000
E-4	8,000	7,000
E-3 to E-1	8,000	5,000
Aviation Cadets	8,000	7,000
Service Academy Cadets/Midshipmen		350

NOTES:

- 1. Includes a Uniformed Service regular and an RC member, and an officer holding a temporary commission in the U.S. Army/Air Force.
- 2. For this table, a member "with dependents" is a member who has a dependent eligible to travel at GOV'T expense incident to the member's PCS. Actual dependent travel has no bearing. Incident to a member's first PCS after: