



STATE FORCE DEVELOPMENT STATUTORY TOUR PROGRAM RESPONSIBILITIES

This program provides the opportunity for each state to have one officer (O2-O6) and one enlisted (E4-E8) member assigned to a developmental Statutory Tour. The program goal is to have 54 Officer and 54 Enlisted Statutory Tour positions filled with candidates identified by the states for force development. A developmental assignment will afford members opportunities to gain staff experience at the MAJCOM, HAF, NAF, or Combatant Command level. Statutory Tour Force Development Teams will place the individuals against current/projected vacancies. There is no guarantee for award of joint credit or location of assignment. The state will determine the tour length of between one and three years, and start and end dates. Candidates will not be required to compete through the normal Military Vacancy Announcement process as outlined in ANGI 36-6. This process will be facilitated by the NGB/HR. NGB/HR and NGB FDC will have right of refusal for any nominee. A Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) will be signed by the state TAG, member and FDC outlining the specifics concerning the assignment.

Unit/State responsibilities:

- Reviewed/identified candidates through the state force development process
- Obtain TAG endorsement for submission
- Submit nomination to NGB/HR
- Identify preferred tour start/end date (members may begin and end tours at any time during the CY year)
- Identify preferred assignment recommendation
- Retain recommendation for promotion
- Retain temporary execution rights to the resource previously encumbered by the member
- Retain approval authority for nomination to resident PME upon completion of assignment
- Ensure placement of member to previous status as applicable upon completion of assignment
- Identify replacement candidate

NGB responsibilities:

- Identify funded position of assignment for nominee
- Provide support for entrance to Statutory Tour to include publishing of orders
- Provide PCS funding to and from Statutory Tour assignment
- Complete all required evaluations during the period of assignment
- Provide support for return to state, to include publishing of orders
- Provide funding for any TDY cost associated with performing their Statutory duties

Member responsibilities:

- Complete all necessary processing requirements as established by NGB/HR
- Meet all physical requirements for entrance into EAD
- Re-establish and maintain qualification for worldwide duty upon return to state
- Prepare for return to state at the established date of separation
- Sign Statement of Understanding indicating they are subject to Uniform Code of Military Justice while assigned to this Developmental Tour