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DATE: October 3, 2008
TO: Military Agents of National Van Lines, National Forwarding Co.,
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FROM: Patrick C. Johnson, President
SUBJECT: **Further Delay in the DP3 Program**

We were recently advised that the implementation of Phase II of DP3 will be delayed until sometime after the General Officer Steering Committee Meeting currently scheduled for October 30. A copy of the message received from SDDC is reproduced below.

- NOTICE -

We have promised the Services they would receive a final briefing on DPS readiness prior to rolling out to the 18 sites. As we began coordination for our meeting with the Services to meet the planned 22 Oct roll-out, it became apparent that all major players within the DP3 General Officer Steering Committee could not make the status update during or prior to the week of the 20th of October. In order to meet our promise to the Services, DPS will not rollout on 22 October. Once final coordination with the Services is complete, a new date for roll-out will be released. The DP3 General Officer Steering Committee meeting is currently scheduled for 30 October.

It is prudent to work on the assumption that DP3 will be implemented shortly after the October 30 meeting. However, the word we get from AMSA is that the invoice module is not fully functional. Since we have been assured that DP3 will not be implemented until it is working properly, this may very well result in a delay beyond the beginning of November. We should know shortly after the October 30 meeting. We will keep you advised.

Very truly yours,

PCJ/lg