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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Assistant Secretary of the Army for Acquisition, Logistics, and Technology
2018 Army Acquisition Executive's Excellence in Leadership Awards

1. The nomination period for the Army Acquisition Executive's (AAE) Excellence in Leadership Awards is now open and will close on July 27, 2018. These awards recognize Army acquisition workforce and acquisition community members whose performance and contributions directly reflect outstanding achievements in support of the Soldier and in transforming the Army.
2. To be eligible for an Individual AAE Excellence in Leadership Award (with the exception of two awards noted below), nominees must occupy an acquisition workforce designated position and be current in their Defense Acquisition Workforce Improvement Act acquisition career field certification and continuous learning points. (NOTE: The two exceptions are the Defense Export and Cooperation Professional of the Year and the Acquisition Support Professional of the Year categories, which are open to all Army employees supporting the Acquisition Workforce)
3. The details for the criteria and categories for team and individual awards are posted on the U.S. Army Acquisition Support Center (USAASC) website: <https://asc.army.mil/web/acquisition-awards/>. The award winners will be announced in late 2018/early 2019.
4. Request Army Commands, Army Service Component Commands and Direct Reporting Units ensure that all subordinate organizations have the opportunity to nominate an eligible team and/or individual for these awards. Submit all nominations to USAASC through the web-based call for nominations application at <http://asc.army.mil/acquisition-awards/>.
5. The point of contact for this program is Ms. Vicky DeGuzman at 703-664-5633, DSN 655-5633, or victoria.l.deguzman.civ@mail.mil.

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