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## ***CURRENT/FUTURE RELEASES***

Current IATS Release is 7.0.1 for Army and COE, Navy and USMC is still using 6.21.6.

IATS 7.0.1 was mailed on October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2018. To install the 7.0.1 software, follow the directions in the 701SVD.PDF file found in the root folder on the accompanying CD.

**NOTE: DTOD 31 does not support XP machines. Do not remove your DTOD 28 on your XP machines.**

## **IATS Help Desk**

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## ***BACKUP USING IATS 7.0***

It has been reported that some users are experiencing backup related issues using IATS 7.0.

The solution to this can be either:

Back up manually by shutting down the service, copying the database & restarting the service.

Change the physical location of the IATS database so that does not reside under the program files directory and then change the ODBC settings for it to reflect this change.

## **\*\* Screen Resolution \*\***

IATS 7.1 is due to be released in early 2019. The screens have been enlarged, so users' PCs will be required to have a minimum screen resolution of 1920 x 1080 to see all screens.

# IATS 7.0.1

This interim change package incorporates tax changes propagated through Public Law 115-97, known as the “2018 Tax Cuts and Jobs Act” which repealed moving expenses deduction (26 U.S.C. § 217) along with the exclusion reimbursements and payments of moving expenses (26 U.S.C § 132(g)) effective January 1, 2018. As a result, certain expenses listed in FTR § 302-17.8 that was previously considered as not taxable will now become taxable, which effectively means that all civilian relocation entitlements are now fully taxable.

This release also corrects issues presented in previous versions of IATS 7.X regarding the posting of CCV’s, as well as the processing of certain TDY supplementals and finally Lump Sum TQSE involving OCONUS to CONUS or CONUS to OCONUS CIVPCS travel.

**You must either be currently on version 7.0, or 7.0.0 before installing 7.0.1. If you are not on version 7.0 please install that change package and then install 7.0.1. If you require assistance with upgrading to version 7.0 and/or installing version 7.0.1 please contact the IATS Help Desk at 317-212-7718 (DSN 699), or via e-mail at [dfas.indianapolis-in.ztd.other.iats-help-desk@mail.mil](mailto:dfas.indianapolis-in.ztd.other.iats-help-desk@mail.mil).**