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MEMORANDUM FOR ALL CAP UNIT COMMANDERS

FROM: CAP/CC

SUBJECT: Interim Change Letter – CAPR 173-3, Payment for Mission Support

1. The following changes will be implemented immediately in order to avoid missions being planned or executed with outdated information:

The \$15 per flying hour charge for handheld camera systems for external customers has been deleted. Attachment 1, Note 8 is changed to:

8. Cost estimates for the use of leased imagery collection systems or deployable systems maintained by the national headquarters operations directorate will be developed by CAP/DO based on validated requests for support made through the NOC. Costs can vary considerably due to several factors like the size of the area to be collected, resolution of the imagery required by the customer, and the processing necessary to create desired output formats. Wings are encouraged to contact the NOC as soon as there are indications of potential need so that CAP/DO can determine availability and develop cost estimates to meet customer needs. Systems can normally be deployed within 24 to 72 hours of validated mission requirements and customer funding approval to begin operations, but greater lead time is always advantageous as CAP/DO may be able to reduce costs by avoiding expensive shipping or sourcing other processing options.

Attachment 1, Note 10 is deleted. Aircraft maintenance for approved national flight academies is now managed with other aircraft maintenance requirements by CAP national headquarters.

2. Any questions can be directed to CAP's Director of Operations, John Desmarais, at jdesmarais@capnhq.gov or 334-953-9105.

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