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## CATERING ACCOUNTING REGULATIONS

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#### **FOREWORD**

1. JSP 456, Defence Catering Manual (DCM) provides an amalgam of regulations, instructions, advice and a point of reference for Service caterers to assist them in the delivery of the catering function across the entire range and diversity of Armed Forces Catering. The DCM is split into 4 Volumes for ease of Reference:

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JSP 456 Volume 1 – Catering Management

JSP 456 Volume 2 – Catering Accounting Regulations

JSP 456 Volume 3 – Food Safety Management

JSP 456 Volume 4 – Catering, Retail and Leisure
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- 2. The content of each of the Volumes has been agreed through consultation between staff representing the Defence Food Services Integrated Project Team (DFS IPT) and the lead Commands of each of the 3 Arms of Service and, whilst common processes and practices have been adopted where appropriate, individual Service requirements are included as necessary. Additional chapters will be added as standard procedures and convergence, common to the 3 Services, develops.
- 3. Instructions and regulations detailed in this publication supersede all single Service catering instructions. Where accounting procedures unique to either one or a combination of the Service Arms exist, their applicability is covered within this manual and where extracts from this manual are printed in single-Service publications; they are to be reproduced verbatim.
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#### INTRODUCTION

- 1. The Defence Food Services IPT have endorsed the production of JSP 456 Defence Catering Manual Volume Two Catering Accounting Regulations to align the three Services' Catering Accounting procedures. This volume contains Tri-Service rules for messing entitlements, the application of catering accounting procedures and it is to be used as the authoritative document for all messing and Catering Accounting related business. Specific single Service accounting instructions are detailed in Chapters 18,19 and 20.
- 2. This publication will be updated as necessary. Where sections are reproduced in single-Service instructions they are to be reproduced verbatim.

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#### **GLOSSARY OF TERMS, ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS**

1PBS First Patrol Boat Squadron

ACF Army Cadet Force

ADS Arduous Duty Supplement
AFPRB Armed Forces Pay Review Body
AFV

AFV Armoured Fighting Vehicle

AS Arctic Supplement
Adv Trg Adventure Training
ATC Air Training Corps
BOP Basis of Provision
BF(G) British Forces Germany

BLC Base Logistics Commander
CAUG Computer Accounting User Guide

CCF Combined Cadet Force CCM Cash Casual Meals

CESCEA Chief Executive of Service Children's Education Agency

CILOR Cash In Lieu Of Rations
CINCFLEET Commander in Chief Fleet

CMR Casual Meal Rate
CO Commanding Officer

COMRFA Commodore Royal Fleet Auxiliary
CTA Cookery Training Allowance
CONSUPP Consolidated Supplement
D of Q Denomination of Quantity

DFC Daily Food Charge

DFS IPT Defence Food Services IPT
DIA Director of Internal Audits

DMR Daily Messing Rate

DNR Director of Naval Recruiting
DWM Defence Watch Messing
EMC Extra Messing Charge
EMI Extra Messing Income
EOAP End of Accounting Period
EOFY End Of Financial Year

F&C Foreign and Commonwealth

FFR Fixed Forces Rate
FLC Front Line Commands
FSC Full Support Contract
FSO Food Services Officer

FSWO Food Services Warrant Officer

GM General Messing

GORS General Overseas Ration Scale
HAS High Attendance Supplement
HDMR Hospital Daily Messing Rate
HQNI Headquarters Northern Ireland
HQRM Headquarters Royal Marines

HQSCE Headquarters Service Children Education

HRS Home Ration Scale
IAC Internal Accounting Code
LRS Local Resource Section
LSO Logistics and Supply Officer

JNCO Junior Non-Commissioned Officer

JSCTC Joint Services Correction Training Centre

LTDD Long Term Detached Duty
MDP Ministry of Defence Police
MMP Missed Meals Payment
MOA Meals Out Allowance
MOIC Medical Officer in Charge
MOD Ministry of Defence

MOR Movement Occurrence Report
MOU Memorandum Of Understanding

MQ/SFA Married Quarter/Service Family Accommodation

MRC Medical Reception Centre
MRT Mountain Rescue Team
MS Mess Subscriptions

MUFC Married Unaccompanied Food Charge

MWD Military Working Dogs
NAO National Audit Office
NDM Night Duty Meal
NET Non-Entitled Tariff
NNIA Not Notified in Advance
NRS Norway Ration Scale
ORP Operational Ration Packs

OSSS Ocean Survey Ship Supplement PACE Police and Criminal Evidence Act

PE Personal Expenses

PFM Publicly Funded Messing

PMDS Packed Meal Drink Supplement

PMS Packed Meal Supplement POC Potential Officer Candidate

QR Queen's Regulations

RAF Royal Air Force

RAO Ration Accounting Officer
RAS Replenishment at Sea
RB Roulement Battalion
RFA Royal Fleet Auxiliary
RLC Royal Logistic Corps

RM Royal Marines

RMA Retail Messing Allowance RMR Royal Marines Reserve

RN Royal Navy

RNR Royal Naval Reserve
RPI Retail Price Index
SAR Search and Rescue

SARDA Search and Rescue Dog Association

SCC Sea Cadet Corps

SFC Single Food Charge SFO Special Forward Order

SI Seriously ill

SMA Special Messing Allowance SMC Station Medical Centre

SM CONSUP Submarine Consolidated Supplement SNCO Senior Non-Commissioned Officer

SSN Patrol Submarine

STTD Short Term Detached Duty
SUS Serviceperson Under Sentence

TA Territorial Army

TAVR Territorial Army Volunteer Reserve

TLB Top Level Budget
TMP Transit Meal Pack
TMR Transit Meal Rates
TR Tied Residence
TSSBN Trident Submarine
TTW Transition to War

UAO Unit Administration Office
UAS University Air Squadron
VCDS Vice Chief of Defence Staff

VSI Very Seriously ill

WRVS Women's Royal Voluntary Service