DoD Directive 5118.07

Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller) (DUSD(C))

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Purpose: This issuance:

- Updates responsibilities, functions, relationships, and authorities of the DUSD(C), pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Defense by Sections 113 and 137a of Title 10, United States Code (U.S.C.) and the delegation of authority, in accordance with DoD Directive (DoDD) 5118.03.

- Retitles the Principal Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller) as the DUSD(C), pursuant to Section 906 of Public Law 115-91, codified at Section 137a of Title 10, U.S.C.
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SECTION 1: GENERAL ISSUANCE INFORMATION

APPLICABILITY. This issuance applies to OSD, the Military Departments, the Office of the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and the Joint Staff, the Combatant Commands, the Office of the Inspector General of the Department of Defense, the Defense Agencies, the DoD Field Activities, and all other organizational entities within the DoD.
SECTION 2: RESPONSIBILITIES, FUNCTIONS, RELATIONSHIPS, AND AUTHORITIES

DUSD(C). As the principal assistant to, and under the authority, direction, and control of, the Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller)/Chief Financial Officer, Department of Defense (USD(C)/CFO), the DUSD(C):

a. Pursuant to Sections 135 and 137a of Title 10, U.S.C., exercises the full powers of the USD(C)/CFO on any and all matters of which the USD(C)/CFO is authorized to act, pursuant to Title 10, U.S.C., and DoDD 5118.03, except in those areas where delegation of the USD(C)/CFO authority is otherwise restricted by higher authority or prohibited by law. This all-inclusive authority may not be further delegated in toto; however, the DUSD(C) is authorized to make specific written delegations, where authorized and as required.

b. Helps the USD(C)/CFO carry out responsibilities, fulfill functions, manage relationships, and exercise authorities as provided for in law and DoDD 5118.03.

c. Advises on and assists the USD(C)/CFO with all responsibilities in providing staff advice and assistance to the Secretary of Defense.
# Glossary

## Acronyms.

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