[UNIT'S OFFICIAL LETTER HEAD]

[Date]

From: [Member Requesting the Exception to Policy]

To: Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment

Via: Headquarters [Insert Service Department]

Subj: [State the Request i.e. Exception to Policy to Execute Permanent Change of Station

Orders via Air Mobility Command Patriot Express with an Unusual Pet]

Ref: (a) [Include References if Applicable]

Encl: (1) [Include Supporting Documents if Applicable]

- 1. State your request. I am requesting an exception to the policy outlined in DoDI 4515.13, which states that passengers traveling under Permanent Change of Station (PCS) orders may ship their pets at their own expense. I have been directed to utilize the Air Mobility Command (AMC) Patriot Express (PE) and require an exception to policy to travel with more than two pets.
- 2. Insert justification. Why do you need an exception to policy?
- 3. [Any additional information i.e. Point of Contact.]

[Insert Signature Block]