

*RFI Category and Number: Assignments Working Group RFI #10*

*RFI Question:*

*The Committee requests a written response from the Army, Navy, Marine Corps and Air Force on changes to shore-based facilities, from 1 January 2016 to 1 January 2020, in structural work centers, berthing (barracks) and other areas as a result of gender integration, as well as any future plans and timeline for implementation. Include the number of facilities modified or to be modified, the number of locations, and the reasons for the modifications. At minimum address:*

- *Hygiene areas (i.e., toilet, sink, and/or shower)*
- *Security camera installation (e.g., common berthing areas, stairwells, work centers, etc.)*
- *Space security locks*
- *Restructured berthing/barracks to separate gender*
- *Other facilities*

*RFI Response:*

*The construction standard for Unaccompanied Housing (UH) has not changed during the period of Jan 2016 thru Jan 2020.*

*Current construction standard and assignment standards allow for gender separation at the barracks / UH facility unit level vs. by building floor, wing or separate gender facility. UH construction predominantly provides market unit 2-bedroom / 2 bath apartments for permanent party and shared bedroom private bath (2+0) units for pipeline students. Hygiene areas continue to be the same / gender controlled. Cameras are not a requirement in UH and are not proven effective in preventing crimes against persons as per DoD Reporting to Congress. Electronic locks are required at all exterior UH facility doors. Building access complies with CNIC and Installation standards. Electronic key card locks of industry standard are provided on all interior unit entrance, bedroom, and closet doors as well as secured common areas. An additional dead bolt is also provided on unit entrance doors. There are no known CNIC Enterprise efforts regarding restructure of UH facilities to separate gender.*

*Office Responsible: Commander, Navy Installations Command (CNIC) and N931B Unaccompanied Housing.*