

# EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR UNITED STATES ATTORNEYS OFFICE OF LEGAL EDUCATION (OLE)

# INVITATIONAL TRAVEL VOUCHER INFORMATION

#### LODGING, LODGING TAX, AND TRANSPORTATION

- If the traveler stayed at the National Advocacy Center (NAC) or the Inn at USC (used as an overflow hotel), the lodging and lodging tax charges are zero.
- If the traveler charged the airfare directly to OLE's account using the CWTSato number provided in the instructions, transportation charges will be zero.

#### MEALS AND INCIDENTAL EXPENSES (M&IE)/PER DIEM

- Breakfast and lunch are provided at the NAC; therefore, M&IE is broken down as follows: first day (travel day) is \$44.25, each full day is \$31.00, and typically the last day is \$16.25.
  - o Last day per diem: the general rule is that the last day per diem amount is \$16.25. There may be some exceptions depending on the course end time and flight schedules.
  - o Exceptions will <u>not</u> be made for travelers who choose not to eat at the NAC.
- During two-week courses, meals are provided on Saturday. Breakfast and lunch is served on Saturday–M&IE should be \$31.00. Sunday–M&IE should be \$59.00.
- For courses held at a location other than the NAC, please refer to course-specific instructions or to <a href="www.gsa.gov">www.gsa.gov</a> for current M&IE rates.

#### PRIVATELY-OWNED VEHICLE (POV)

- Privately-Owned Vehicle (POV) should only be used if advantageous to the government.
- POV mileage (plus parking at the NAC at \$5/day, if applicable) will only be reimbursed up to the cost of the common carrier (lowest cost ticket, including non-contract) + \$ estimate for miscellaneous travel (i.e. estimated cost to/from local airport; for courses at the NAC, please do not estimate to/from Columbia, SC, airport since free shuttle service is provided by OLE) + \$50 estimate for baggage (roundtrip). For current POV mileage rates, please refer to <a href="https://www.gsa.gov">www.gsa.gov</a>.

#### TAXI, MILEAGE, AND PARKING EXPENSES

- For NAC courses:
  - o If the dinner shuttle is available, taxis to/from dinner will not be reimbursed.
  - Taxi expenses to/from the Columbia airport require an explanation (i.e., flight delayed and missed last bus).
     Free transportation is provided to/from the Columbia, SC, airport on a frequent basis and should be used instead of taxis.
- Parking at the home airport is reimbursable as well as mileage to/from the home airport.
- For current mileage rates, please refer to www.gsa.gov.

#### BAGGAGE FEE

- Reimbursement for one checked bag is authorized, unless attending a two-week course.
- Overweight/oversized baggage expenses will not be reimbursed.
- Travelers attending a two-week course are authorized two checked bags; however overweight/oversized baggage expenses will not be reimbursed.

### RENTAL CARS

- Authorization for a rental car must be approved via the travel authorization PRIOR to travel.
- Rental cars may be authorized to travel to the NAC if the following criteria are met:
  - Government vehicle is not available.
  - o A determination has been made that it is more cost effective (include all costs; parking, etc.).
- Rental cars are not authorized while staying at the NAC. OLE provides bus transportation to/from the airport and to/from Five Points and Vista areas for dinner.

#### **OTHER EXPENSES**

• Tolls, ATM fees, fuel for rental car or government vehicle, and laundry/dry cleaning costs (travelers are only reimbursed for dry cleaning expenses while on official travel for <u>six</u> consecutive nights and receipts are required).

The Office of Legal Education will process vouchers as soon as possible, however, <u>no later than 30</u> <u>days from the date the voucher is received.</u>

Please call our travel helpline at (803) 705-2177 for assistance with travel-related questions.



# EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR UNITED STATES ATTORNEYS, OFFICE OF LEGAL EDUCATION (OLE)





## PLEASE COMPLETE AND EMAIL THIS FORM ALONG WITH RECEIPTS (except for meals) WITHIN FIVE DAYS AFTER THE COURSE HAS ENDED TO:

USANAC.authorizations-vouchers@usdoj.gov OR FAX TO (803) 705-5660

This form is intended for components and organizations <u>not</u> using the <u>E2 Travel System for Travel Authorizations and Vouchers</u>
Please call our travel helpline at (803) 705-2177 for assistance with travel-related questions.

Traveler Name:								E-Mail:	E-Mail:					
Voucher Type:	Preparer's Name	reparer's Name:				Trip Begin Date:			Trip End Date:					
Course Name:								Course Dates:			Course Location:			
Mode of Transp	Mode of Transportation:  Common Carrier (i.e., Plane)  Government/State/Office Vehicle  Privately-Owned Vehicle (POV)  Rental Car  Train  Other													
The following accou		Requisition #:			Fund:			Conference Code:			F		FY:	
Travel Date	Lodging	Lodging Tax	M&IE/P Diem <sup>1</sup>	•		Taxi <sup>2</sup>	ri <sup>2</sup> Pa		Baggage Fee(s)	Rental Car	Other Expenses <sup>2</sup>	Total POV Mileage		
												Total POV Miles:	*POV Mileage Reimbursement Rate: \$	
												Total Mileage Cost to be Reimbursed:  = \$  *www.gsa.gov/mileage		
Subtotals:												Voucher Total	:	
Travel to the National Advocacy Center (NAC) in Columbia, SC:  Meals and Incidental Expenses (M&IE) are broken down as follows: First Day (travel day) \$44.25; Each Full Day \$31.00; Last Day \$16.25 (two-week course, Sunday is \$59.00). For travel other than to the NAC, please refer to course-specific instructions or to <a href="https://www.gsa.gov/perdiem">www.gsa.gov/perdiem</a> for current rates.							ner Expen	nses":		Con	nments:			
Traveler's Signature (supervisor's signature not required)										OLE Use Only				
I certify this voucher is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and that payment or credit has not been received by me.  Traveler's Signature:  Phone:  Date:									Initials: Date Keyed: Document Number:					