

## **Sandra O. Sieber**

### **Director, Army Contracting Agency**



Mrs. Sandra O. Sieber was appointed as the first permanent Director of the US Army Contracting Agency (ACA) on April 1, 2003, by the Army Acquisition Executive. She is responsible for a staff of approximately 2100 involved primarily in all phases of contract award and administration of installation support and information technology procurements valued at about \$5 billion annually. She was designated Acting Director of the IT portion of ACA in April 2002 to help form the new Agency, and Acting Director of the ACA since mid-August. She became a member of the Senior Executive Service as the Director, CECOM Acquisition Center-Washington, in October 2000.

She previously served in many, varied, acquisition assignments. Mrs. Sieber began her acquisition career with the Naval Air Systems Command as a contract specialist intern in 1977. She served in increasingly responsible positions from GS-5 through GS-13 in this command where she was responsible for many and varied multi-million dollar contracts.

In 1984, Mrs. Sieber began work for the Department of the Army Inspector General (DAIG) in the Inspections Division. She was responsible for planning and conducting worldwide inspections in the area of acquisition and making recommendations that were presented to the Vice Chief of Staff of the Army. She was promoted to GS-14 in 1985, and continued to serve with DAIG until 1989.

Mrs. Sieber assumed the position of supervisory contracting officer with the Naval Supply Systems Command in 1990. The contracts she managed included multi-million dollar competitive and sole source contracts. From 1991-1995, Mrs. Sieber was a procurement analyst with the U. S. Army Contracting Support Agency. She led and participated in worldwide procurement management reviews of Army contracting offices. These reviews resulted in comprehensive assessments and recommendations for improvement. Mrs. Sieber served as the Army Policy Member to the DAR Council for six months in 1995 on a temporary promotion to GS-15.

From October 1995 to August 1999, Mrs. Sieber served as the Director of Contracting for the Defense Supply Service-Washington in the Pentagon where she was responsible for a staff of over 100 and contracting obligations of approximately \$1.7 billion annually.

Mrs. Sieber received a Bachelor of Science Degree from the University of Massachusetts in 1969 and a Master of Public Administration Degree from the George Washington University in 1981. She completed the OPM Executive Potential Program, the Federal Executive Institute Leadership for a Democratic Society, and the Defense Systems Management College Program Management Course. She received a Master of Science in National Resource Strategy from the Industrial College of the Armed Forces in June 2000.

She is an NCMA Certified Professional Contract Manager and Fellow and served as National Vice President for Marketing and National Secretary. She is Level III Certified in Contracting and is a member of the Army Acquisition Corps. Mrs. Sieber has received the Superior Civilian Service Award and the Commander's Award for Civilian Service.

Mrs. Sieber is married to Charles Sieber, and has one married daughter.