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MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY (ACQUISITION,  
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE NAVY (RESEARCH  
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE (ACQUISITION)  
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE  
(INSTALLATIONS, ENVIRONMENT AND LOGISTICS)

SUBJECT: 2016 Product Support Manager Workshop

It is my pleasure to announce the 2016 Office of the Secretary of Defense Product Support Manager (PSM) Workshop. The workshop theme is Product Support in a Future Dominated by Uncertainty and will feature government and industry presentations on An Uncertain Environment (Day 1), Innovation in Managing Uncertainty (Day 2), and PSM Critical Thinking – The Source of Innovation (Day 3). This Acquisition, Technology and Logistics (AT&L) approved workshop will provide an opportunity to develop the workforce's Life Cycle Logistics competency in applying Better Buying Power principles, share best practices, and strengthen collaboration between industry and government leaders. I strongly encourage your support for this workshop.

The 2016 PSM Workshop will begin on Tuesday, April 5, 2016, with check in starting at 7:30 am, and will conclude at 11:45 am, on Thursday, April 7, 2016. The workshop will take place at the Defense Acquisition University (DAU) in Howell Auditorium, Scott Hall, Building 226 at Fort Belvoir, Virginia. A non-reimbursable \$77.00 Catering Service Fee will offset the cost of two luncheons at the Fort Belvoir Officer's Club, three continental breakfasts, coffee, tea, water, and light snacks. For those outside the local area who cannot attend the workshop, Video Teleconference Capability will be available at DAU locations outside the National Capital Region and additional dial-in sites based on anticipated attendance.

Online registration for the 2016 PSM Workshop will be available through Friday, April 1, 2016 at [http://www.acq.osd.mil/log/MR/PSM\\_workshop.html](http://www.acq.osd.mil/log/MR/PSM_workshop.html). The agenda, directions, and other administrative information will be located on the same website. Briefing charts will be posted no later than Friday, April 1, 2016. Workshop attire is business causal and uniform of the day.

Questions may be addressed to the PSM Workshop Coordinator, Mr. Karl Amick, OASD(L&MR)/Materiel Readiness, (703) 614-4859/DSN 260-4859; [karl.g.amick.civ@mail.mil](mailto:karl.g.amick.civ@mail.mil).

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