Rehabilitation Program 11-23

## Exhibit 11.7b

## **Rehabilitation Assignment Priority**

Whenever possible, assign qualified employees to rehabilitation job assignments duty in their regular craft, during regular tour of duty, and in their regular work facility.

Prioritize the rehabilitation job assignment in the following manner:

- To the extent that there is adequate work available within the employee's work limitation tolerances, within the employee's craft, in the work facility to which the employee is regularly assigned, and during the hours when the employee regularly works, that work constitutes the rehabilitation job assignment to which the employee is assigned.
- If adequate duties are not available within the employee's work limitation tolerances in the craft and work facility to which the employee is regularly assigned within the employee's regular hours of duty, other work may be assigned within that facility.
- If adequate work is not available at the facility within the employee's regular hours of duty, work outside the employee's regular schedule may be assigned as rehabilitation. However, all reasonable efforts must be made to assign the employee to a rehabilitation job assignment within the employee's craft and to keep the hours of the rehabilitation job assignment as close as possible to the employee's regular schedule.
- An employee may be assigned rehabilitation outside of the work facility to which the employee is normally assigned only if there is not adequate work available within the employee's work limitation tolerances at the employee's facility. In such instances, every effort must be made to assign the employee to work within the employee's craft within the employee's regular schedule and as near as possible to the regular work facility to which the employee is normally assigned.

If it is necessary to change any of the elements to meet the employee's physical limitations or to provide the employee with suitable work, the elements must be changed in this specific order:

Priority of Choice	Regular Craft	Regular Tour	Regular Facility
1st	Within	Within	Within
2nd	Outside	Within	Within
3rd	Within	Outside	Within
4th	Outside	Outside	Within
5th	Within	Within	Outside
6th	Outside	Within	Outside
7th	Within	Outside	Outside
8th	Outside	Outside	Outside