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**SUBJECT:** Inclusion of Series 1301 (Physical Scientists) and 1350 (Geologists) on Interdisciplinary and Multi-Discipline Job Announcements and Developmental Assignments

**CATEGORY:** For Information

**1. References:**

- a. Civilian Personnel Position Management and Classification (ER 690-1-500) July 31, 2002
- b. Civilian Personnel Career Management (AR 690-950) December 31, 2001
- c. USACE Memo, Delegation of Civilian Human Resources Authority and Issuance of Matrix of Delegation Authority (Version 05-2014), dated 03 JUL 2014.

**2. Purpose:** The purpose of this ECB is to provide information about including Job Series 1301 (Physical Scientists) and 1350 (Geologists) on interdisciplinary and multi-discipline job announcements and developmental assignments, where appropriate, due to similarities of job duty descriptions with capabilities and duties attributed to those Series.

**3. Background:** Interdisciplinary and multi-discipline job announcements and developmental assignments describe job positions that can be filled by groups of applicants with similar skill sets, abilities, and practices. Currently, these announcements do not generally include Series 1301 (Physical Scientists), and 1350 (Geologists), even when the job duty descriptions for those Series meet the job duty requirements stated within the announcement.

**4. Inclusion:** If an interdisciplinary position advertised is an interdisciplinary 0800 series position that does not require a professional registration in a specific discipline or other specific professional level certification then the following series 1301 and 1350 must be included in the job announcement. This requirement can be waived by the selecting official by concurrently submitting a justification for the waiver concurrent with the request for recruitment of the position. The decision on waiving the inclusion of these additional series rest with the selecting official and this decision is considered final.

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