

12-MONTH TOUR IN RVN

# NO TOUR CHANGE

WASHINGTON (AFPS)--The 12-month tour established in 1965 for troops serving in the Republic of Vietnam has been "frequently reviewed," according to Defense officials.

So far, the officials report, "circumstances have precluded any reductions" in the tour length.

Among reasons given are:

--The effect of tour length on

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--Have completed 21 months of active service on his current tour of obligated service if he will have a reserve obligation after separation.

--A Defense official said a recognized vocational or technical school is one which is approved by a state board for vocational education or is accredited by a nationally recognized accrediting agency or association listed by the US Commissioner of Education.

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the operations readiness of the overseas areas.

--The ability of the services to support short-term rotation within authorized numerical strength and skill resources.

--The movements generated by increased movement of personnel to and from overseas areas.

--Officials also cited the turbulence that would be created in activities located in the United States, which must continually supply personnel for overseas shipment and absorb returning personnel.

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