Optional Pay Documentation/Approval Grid

	Documentation Required	Level of Approval
Retention of Employee (verifiable job offer)	See section IV. A. in policy Questionnaire not required	Appointing Authority may approve up to 10% of annual salary. Employees at range maximum shall not be eligible for this payment.
Disparate Pay Situation	See section IV. B. in policy Questionnaire not required	Appointing Authority may approve up to 10% of annual salary. Employees at range maximum shall not be eligible for this payment.
Difficult-to-Fill Positions	See section IV. C. in policy Questionnaire not required	Appointing Authority may approve up to 10% of annual salary. Employees at range maximum shall not be eligible for this payment.
Significant Additional Duties (temporary and permanent)	See section IV. D. in policy Optional Pay Adjustment Questionnaire for Additional Duties required	Appointing Authority may approve up to 5% of annual salary. An employee may not receive more than 100 base pay increases within three consecutive years for significant additional duties.

NOTE: For additional information, please refer to DOA Personnel Policy No. 38.