

FSD 15.34 pays Shelter Cost at the post plus up to \$70 per month to cover unspecified incidental expenses resulting from your separation and need to maintain two households.

Note - Remember that your allowances (FSP, PDA) are based on the number of dependents who actually accompany you and will reside with you at the time you arrive at the post. The amounts payable will be adjusted when the separated dependent(s) finally join you.

2.3.3 REMOVAL COMPANIES

Selecting a Mover

The reality of your upcoming posting will probably not begin to sink into place until you start going through your personal and household effects in preparation for moving day. The first concrete step is choosing a company that will be hired to pack up and store those belongings. Form EXT-225 (See Figure 9) is used for this purpose and will have been handed to you at the time of your pre-posting briefing. You are requested to select one company and bring the form with you to your interview in APRK.

All of the companies listed are located in the Ottawa/Hull area and have been approved by the Department of Supply and Services for packing, crating and storage in Canada. The notation "(B)" following certain names indicates that bonded storage facilities are available at the firm's warehouse. The Department does not favour one company over another. All are required to meet federal and/or provincial standards and make available performance statistics on their estimates, on-time deliveries and settlement of claims. If you are overly concerned about which one to choose, remember that reputable firms will be eager to answer your questions, explain their procedures and packing methods and even let you visit their storage facilities.

Household Effects Survey

Following your interview, APRR will arrange for a representative from the company you have chosen to contact you for an appointment to visit your residence. Your cooperation is appreciated. In order to determine the cost of your move and the weight and volume of your possessions, it is necessary that the representative see everything you intend to have shipped or stored. Don't forget to include items in the attic, basement, storage locker, garage as well as any items, including non-perishable foodstuffs, you intend to purchase before packing day.