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Additional Duty AFSC for Capt. I.T. McDonald Jr, USAF  
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1. Captain Irving T. McDonald Jr., USAF, 18471A, is assigned to the National Security Agency as the Assistant to the Special Assistant to the Director. He has been performing the duties of a field-grade officer for more than a year with responsibilities in the fields of intelligence, research and development, communications, security, administration, and high-level staff coordination in matters pertaining thereto.
2. Captain McDonald is currently fulfilling the requirements of a USAF directed duty assignment within the R&D field. His duty AFSC is 8441, R&D Administrator. This is justified in view of his close association with the activities of the NSA Scientific Advisory Board. However, AFSC 8441 provides a very incomplete reflection of Captain McDonald's current assignment.
3. After referring to the USAF "Officers' Classification Manual" (AFM 36-1), and considering the scope and level of this officer's duties, I find that the duties and responsibilities enumerated under AFSC 2016, Intelligence Staff Officer, coupled with those of the R&D Administrator, provide a considerably more accurate description of the duties of this assignment.
4. Captain McDonald wants to make a career in the field of intelligence rather than in research and development.
5. It is considered in the best interests of NSA, the Air Force, and the officer concerned, to have Captain McDonald's records reflect more accurately the true nature of his assignment and current experiences.
6. In the light of all the foregoing, it is requested that the AFSC 2011, Intelligence Staff Officer, be awarded to Captain McDonald as an additional duty AFSC.

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