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I would like to thank The Flag and General Officers' Network, The George Washington University Law School, The Aurora Foundation and The Admiral Carey Foundation for this amazing opportunity. This is an opportunity that most law students will not experience; that is the foundation on which the military community stands. I left the Army and entered law school just days later and honestly, I thought that the camaraderie and sense of community would be extinguished with this new life change. Because of The Flag and General Officers' Network, it has not been – and will not be. I currently intern for the Office of Chief Counsel at Department of Homeland Security- Transportation Security Administration.

I am working on cases that involve the safety of our officers at airports nationwide. The Transportation Security Officer (TSO) is the backdrop with which the entire agency stands. The safety of the TSO and our national security procedures alike are at the forefront of the agency's mission. I have opportunities to sit in on meetings and even give my own input when these topics are discussed. I really feel as though I am a part of the team with the Office of Chief Counsel for TSA.

My research project for the agency is a longer termed assignment. I am looking at the attorney-client privilege as it relates to the government agency. Specifically, I am researching *who* exactly the client is in a government agency and who it is that has the power to waive that authority on behalf of the entire agency in court and board proceedings. Although I, like many other interns, am assigned to a specific practice area, I have been welcomed by many other offices within TSA, Office of Chief Counsel and been invited to experience their work as well. I have made many connections with other military veterans and even some reservists at the agency- a work relationship like none other.

I have The Flag and General Officers' Network, The Aurora Foundation and The Admiral Carey Foundation to thank for this experience. I look forward to providing my final report of this experience. Finally, I would like to add that the agency has offered me an intern position for the Fall season as well! Thank you.

Sincerely,

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