**NOTATION GUIDE**

# = These positions may require typing skill. Be sure to include typing speed (words per minute) in the appropriate block of your application.

* = These positions may or may not represent an opportunity for employment. Applications will not be evaluated until position descriptions/manpower authorizations are approved and a request for applications is received from the servicing Civilian Personnel Office (CPO).

** = Applications can be accepted for nationwide consideration; however, some positions are currently authorized at specific locations only. The locations listed represent the best opportunity for employment.

+ = Applications will be accepted from non-preference eligibles, but will not be considered if veteran preference candidates are available.

The Special Examining Unit does not maintain registers for all position titles/grade levels. However, vacancies occurring with a different position title or at a lower/higher grade level may be filled from appropriate existing registers. Due to daily changes, a list of specific vacancies is not maintained.

The complete Application Package must be submitted by 11:59 PM Eastern Standard Time (EST) on the closing date of each announcement. **INCOMPLETE APPLICATION PACKAGES WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED AND WILL RECEIVE AN INELIGIBLE RATING. TO BE RECONSIDERED, YOU MUST SUBMIT A NEW APPLICATION PACKAGE.**

No written tests are required. All ratings will be based upon evaluation of experience, education, and training as shown in your application and other required forms. **DO NOT ATTACH** the following documents: official position descriptions, performance evaluations, letters of recommendation, etc. These have no bearing whatsoever upon the evaluation process.