

ALARACT 015/2016

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SUBJ/ALARACT 015/2016 - HQDA G-33 MILITARY INFORMATION SUPPORT OPERATIONS (MISO) 2025 IMPLEMENTATION PLAN WORK GROUP

THIS ALARACT MESSAGE HAS BEEN TRANSMITTED BY JSP ON BEHALF OF HQDA DCS G-3/5/7//G-3 SOD//

1. (U//FOUO) SITUATION: THE HQDA G-33 DIRECTED THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PLANNING WORK GROUP TO FURTHER DEVELOP AND CODIFY A TOTAL ARMY MILITARY INFORMATION SUPPORT OPERATIONS (MISO) FORCE MANAGEMENT CONCEPT THAT ADDRESSES REQUIREMENTS' VALIDATION, ACQUISITION, AND SUSTAINMENT PROCESSES ISO THE TOTAL MISO FORCE.
2. (U//FOUO) MISSION: THE ARMY BEGINS IMMEDIATE COORDINATION AND PLANNING TO IMPLEMENT THE PROCESSES AND SOLUTIONS IDENTIFIED BY THE MILITARY INFORMATION SUPPORT OPERATIONS (MISO) WORKING GROUP AND VALIDATED BY THE MISO GENERAL OFFICER STEERING COMMITTEE (GOSC) ON 26 FEB 2016 IN ORDER TO ENSURE THE MISO FORCE MODERNIZATION PROPONENT IS FULLY STAFFED, RESOURCED, AND ABLE TO PERFORM THEIR FORCE MANAGEMENT DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE TOTAL MISO FORCE, AND ON ORDER, THE ARMY MISO FORCE MODERNIZATION PROPONENT IMPLEMENTS THE PROCESSES AND SOLUTIONS IDENTIFIED IN ANNEX A (MISO 2025 FORCE MOD PROCESS CONCEPT).
3. (U//FOUO) EXECUTION.
 - 3.A. (U//FOUO) INTENT. THE ARMY, WITH SUPPORT FROM THE RELEVANT OFFICES WITHIN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, THE JOINT STAFF, AND U.S. SPECIAL OPERATIONS COMMAND (USSOCOM) ENSURES THE MISO FORCE MODERNIZATION PROPONENT IS CAPABLE OF PERFORMING FORCE MANAGEMENT DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE TOTAL MISO FORCE.
 - 3.A.1. (U) HQDA IDENTIFIES POLICY AND REGULATORY IMPEDIMENTS TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROPOSED PROCESS SOLUTION OUTLINED IN ANNEX A. FULL DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROCESS REQUIRES SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE OF VARIOUS OFFICES WITHIN OSD, THE JOINT STAFF, HQDA, AND USSOCOM.
 - 3.A.2. (U) THE OBJECTIVE IS TO PRODUCE A GO/FO/SES LEVEL EXORD DOCUMENTING THE SOLUTION PROCESS NLT 23 MAY 2016.
 - 3.A.3. (U) THE FOLLOWING STAKEHOLDERS HAVE A ROLE IN SUPPORTING FULL

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE IDENTIFIED SOLUTIONS:

3.A.3.A. (U) DOD: ASD, SO&LIC.

3.A.3.B. (U) JOINT STAFF: J-8.

3.A.3.C. (U) HQDA: ASA-ALT, ASA-M&RA, HQDA G-3 (SOD, DAMO-CI, DAMO-ODCI), G-4, G-8.

3.A.3.D. (U) USSOCOM: J-39, FMD-J7/9, J-8.

3.A.3.E. (U) USFORSCOM.

3.A.3.F. (U) TRADOC: ARCIC, MCCOE.

3.A.3.G. (U) USASOC: G-8, G-9.

3.A.3.H. (U) USARC: G-3/5/7, G-39.

3.A.3.I. (U) USAJFKSWCS: SOCOE CDID OFFICE, PSYOP COMMANDANTS OFFICE AND BRANCH PROPONENT.

3.A.3.J. (U) USACAPOC: G-3FD/FM, G-8.

3.B. (U//FOUO) CONCEPT OF THE OPERATION.

3.B.1. (U//FOUO) EXECUTION OF THIS PLAN REQUIRES CONCURRENT EFFORT AND SUPPORT FROM THE VARIOUS STAKEHOLDER ORGANIZATIONS IN ORDER TO A) DEVELOP THE VALIDATION, ACQUISITION, AND SUSTAINMENT PROCESSES; B) IDENTIFY REGULATORY CONFLICT; AND C) PURSUE REGULATORY AND POLICY CHANGES WHERE REQUIRED. HQDA G-3 SOD COORDINATES WITH THE VARIOUS STAKEHOLDER ORGANIZATIONS AND SYNCHRONIZES THESE EFFORTS TO ENSURE EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT STAFFING AND SUBSEQUENT IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CONCEPT PLAN. GENERALLY, THERE ARE FOUR CONSECUTIVE AND CONCURRENT PHASES TO THIS CONCEPT PLAN INITIATIVE:

3.B.1.A. (U//FOUO) PHASE 1: PHASE 1 BEGINS ON 03 MAR 2016 WITH THE IMPLEMENTATION WORK GROUP INITIAL PLANNING CONFERENCE AND ENDS ON 30 MAR 2016 WITH COMPLETION OF DRAFT ORDER DESCRIBING THE PROPOSED FORCE MANAGEMENT PROCESS WITH IDENTIFIED REGULATORY CHALLENGES PROHIBITING IMPLEMENTATION.

3.B.1.B. (U//FOUO) PHASE 2: PHASE 2 BEGINS ON 31 MAR 2016 WITH AN UPDATE TO THE HQDA G-33 AND ENDS WITH GO/SES LEVEL APPROVAL OF THE CONCEPT PLAN COMPLETE NLT 23 MAY 2016.

3.B.1.C. (U//FOUO) PHASE 3: PHASE 3 IS EXECUTED CONCURRENTLY WITH PHASES 1 AND 2 AND IDENTIFIES REGULATORY CHALLENGES AND, AS REQUIRED,

INITIATES THE PROCESS TO CHANGE POLICIES AND REGULATIONS THAT PROHIBIT CONCEPT PLAN IMPLEMENTATION.

3.B.1.D. (U//FOUO) PHASE 4: PHASE 4 IS ALSO A CONCURRENTLY EXECUTED PHASE THAT REFLECTS SENIOR LEADER ENGAGEMENT REQUIRED TO SOCIALIZE, GAIN SUPPORT, AND ULTIMATELY IMPLEMENT THIS CONCEPT PLAN.

3.B.2. (U//FOUO) FORSCOM, USASOC, TRADOC, USARC, HQDA (G8-FD, DAMO-CI) WILL DETERMINE AND COMMIT NECESSARY REPRESENTATIVES TO THIS EFFORT. TASKS TO ARMY ORGANIZATIONS ARE IDENTIFIED BELOW.

3.B.2.A. (U//FOUO) USASOC. USASOC WILL DEVELOP A DETAILED REQUIREMENTS VALIDATION PROCESS, NESTED WITH EXISTING JCIDS (CJCSI 3170.01I) AND/OR SOFCIDS (USSOCOM DIRECTIVE 71-4) PROCESSES, THAT ENSURES KEY ARMY STAKEHOLDERS' (SPECIFICALLY, BUT NOT LIMITED TO RELEVANT CENTERS OF EXCELLENCE, TRADOC/ARCIC, USARC/FORSCOM, HQDA [DAMO-CI]) EQUITIES AND POSITIONS ARE ADEQUATELY CONSIDERED WHEN EXAMINING CONVENTIONAL FORCE CAPABILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR WHICH IT HAS FORCE MODERNIZATION RESPONSIBILITY.

3.B.2.B. (U//FOUO) USARC. USARC WILL IDENTIFY THE RELEVANT OFFICE AND COMMIT THE NECESSARY LEVEL OF SUPPORT TO INFORM USASOC'S FORCE MANAGEMENT PROCESS DEVELOPMENT. USARC WILL ENSURE THAT ADEQUATE REPRESENTATION IS ON-HAND FOR ALL SCHEDULED WORK GROUP EVENTS.

3.B.2.C. (U//FOUO) TRADOC. TRADOC WILL IDENTIFY THE RELEVANT OFFICE AND COMMIT THE NECESSARY LEVEL OF SUPPORT TO INFORM USASOC'S FORCE MANAGEMENT PROCESS DEVELOPMENT. TRADOC WILL ENSURE THAT ADEQUATE REPRESENTATION IS ON-HAND FOR ALL SCHEDULED WORK GROUP EVENTS.

3.B.2.D. (U//FOUO) HQDA G-37 CI (DAMO-CI) AND G-39 (DAMO-ODCI), G-8 FD, DAMO-CI AND DAMO-ODCI WILL IDENTIFY THE RELEVANT OFFICE AND COMMIT THE NECESSARY LEVEL OF SUPPORT TO ASSIST G-3 SOD'S EFFORTS TO FACILITATE USASOC'S DEVELOPMENT OF A SUITABLE AND FEASIBLE FORCE MANAGEMENT PROCESS THAT MEET'S THE HQDA G-3/5/7'S INTENT.

3.B.2.E. (U//FOUO) HQDA G-3 SOD. G3 SOD WILL SUPPORT USASOC'S DEVELOPMENT OF A REVISED FORCE MANAGEMENT PROCESS BY ASSISTING WITH THE IDENTIFICATION OF PROHIBITIVE ARMY, JOINT STAFF, AND DOD POLICIES AND THEN FACILITATING REGULATORY CHANGE AS REQUIRED.

3.B.3. (U//FOUO) GIVEN THEIR CRITICAL ROLE IN INFORMING HQDA G-3/5/7 AND USASOC'S EFFORT TO DEVELOP A FORCE MANAGEMENT PROCESS THAT MEETS THE DCS G-3/5/7'S INTENT, THE HQDA G-33 REQUESTS THE FOLLOWING STAKEHOLDER ORGANIZATIONS PROVIDE REPRESENTATION AT THE SCHEDULED WORK GROUP EVENTS: ASD SO/LIC, ASA ALT, ASA M&RA, JOINT STAFF J8, USSOCOM J8 AND J7/J9 FMD,

3.B.4. (U//FOUO) STAKEHOLDERS ARE DIRECTED OR REQUESTED TO PROVIDE POC DATA OF THEIR IDENTIFIED PARTICIPANTS TO THE POCS IDENTIFIED IN PARA 5 BELOW.

3.C. (U) SCHEME OF MANEUVER.

3.C.1. (U//FOUO) 01 MAR 2016, G33 RELEASES AMHS IMPLEMENTATION PLAN WORK GROUP DIRECTIVE.

3.C.2. (U//FOUO) 03 MAR 2016, INITIAL PLANNING TEAM SVTC (DETAILS FORTHCOMING).

3.C.3. (U//FOUO) 10-11 MAR 2016, WORKING GROUP MEETING AT DOD MARK CENTER.

3.C.4. (U//FOUO) 11 MAR 2016, WORKING GROUP IPR #1 (IF NECESSARY).

3.C.5. (U//FOUO) 14 MAR 2016, IPR #1 TO HQDA G-33.

3.C.6. (U//FOUO) 30 MAR 2016, WORKING GROUP IPR #2.

3.C.7. (U//FOUO) 31 MAR 2016, IPR #2 TO HQDA G-33.

3.C.8. (U//FOUO) O/A 01 APR 2016, G-33 O-6 LEVEL STAFFING OF DRAFT EXORD.

3.C.9. (U//FOUO) O/A 15 APR 2016, DAS TASKING MEMO STAFFING.

3.C.10. (U//FOUO) O/A 02 MAY 2016, GO/SES REVIEW OF DRAFT / APPROVAL OF DRAFT EXORD.

3.C.11. (U//FOUO) O/A 23 MAY 2016, GO/SES APPROVAL OF EXORD FOR IMPLEMENTATION.

4. (U) SUSTAINMENT.

4.A. (U) ANY REQUIRED TEMPORARY DUTY OR TRAVEL RELATED EXPENSES ARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE STAKEHOLDER ORGANIZATION / AGENCY. VIDEO AND TELECONFERENCE COORDINATION WILL BE USED WHENEVER FEASIBLE.

4.B. (U) ANNEXES IDENTIFIED BELOW WILL BE PROVIDED TO THE STAKEHOLDERS UPON IDENTIFICATION OF POCS AS DIRECTED A/O REQUESTED ABOVE.

5. (U) COMMAND AND SIGNAL.

5.A. (U) REPORTING REQUIREMENTS IN SUPPORT OF THIS PLAN REMAIN TO BE DETERMINED.

5.B. (U) POINTS OF CONTACT.

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6. (U) THE EXPIRATION OF THIS MESSAGE IS 14 MAR 2017.

ATTACHMENTS:

ANNEX A - MISO 2025 FORCE MOD PROCESS CONCEPT.

ANNEX B - MISO 2025 WORKING GROUP (17-19 NOV 2015) EXSUM.

ANNEX C - USASOC TOTAL ARMY MISO ASSESSMENT GOSC RESULTS INFO PAPER.