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OSD Number:	071563-17	Subject: (S//REL) Revised OIR Force Management Construct	
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☒ ExecSec MA & ExecSec Date: <u>9/10</u> (S//REL) Policy seeks SD approval of the plan for OIR (TAB B) to implement the new force management construct based on Baseline forces and Temporary forces. (S//NF) The proposed implementation plan [REDACTED] (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		☐ Box ☐ Byers ☐ DCoS ☐ Donnelly ☐ Walsh ☐ Machine ☐ Mikolay ☐ Reid ☐ Walsh Date: <u>1/1</u>	
		☒ MA Date: <u>21/SEP/17</u> Sir, APPROVAL OF THIS MEMO DIRECTS FM ACCOUNTING TO THE BASELINE AND TEF RULES FOR OIR. CONFIRMED W JS JS THAT WE HAVE NOT TRANSITIONED TO THIS ACCOUNTING FOR OIR. RUC APPROVAL. <i>PHIL</i>	
		☒ SMA Date: <u>9/27/17</u>	
(S//NF) Under the new construct, total force numbers to be publically disclosed: 1. Iraq - 5200 2. Syria - 2000 3. Afghanistan - 11,000 @		☐ SOM ☒ CoS <i>for Smt.</i> Date: <u>9/27/17</u>	
		☐ SOM ☐ Confidential Assistant Date: <u>1/1</u>	
☒ DepSecDef <i>for PM</i>		Date: <u>9/26/17</u>	
☒ SecDef <i>ADD TO CJCS DISCUSSION, FRIDAY, 29 SEP</i> <i>* Approved 10/6 -> SEE NOTES</i> <i>SR @ PM SMA</i>		Date: <u>9/28/17</u>	
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Prepared by: (b) (6) SA/ME, (b) (6)

FOR: SECRETARY OF DEFENSE *Jm 9/28*

258 SEP 19 2017

FROM: Robert Story Karem, Performing the Duties of the Under Secretary of Defense (Policy)

SUBJECT: (~~S//REL~~) Revised OIR Force Management Construct

PURPOSE: (~~S//REL~~) This memo seeks your approval of the plan for Operation INHERENT RESOLVE (TAB B) to implement the new force management construct based on Baseline forces and Temporary Enabling forces.

COORDINATION: (~~S//REL~~) Policy coordinated the implementation plan with OGC, OSD PA, OSD LA, and the Joint Staff.

BLUF: (~~S//REL~~) Your signature on this memo would approve the OIR force management implementation plan.

DISCUSSION: (~~S//REL~~) There is a tension between the two goals of (1) providing public transparency on the total force numbers and (2) (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

Your memo to APNSA on April 10 (TAB C) and your internal DoD memo on April 26 (TAB D) provided that (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

DoD will not provide day-to-day updates on the number of forces in Iraq or Syria. DoD will only disclose a Public Approximate number for each country, with the acknowledgment that forces regularly flow in and out and operationally sensitive forces are not reported. Additionally,

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(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)



- ~~(S//REL)~~ DoD has been fully transparent in closed congressional briefings on total force numbers under FML/TDY, and will continue this transparency under the new construct.

RECOMMENDATION: (U) Sign below to approve the implementation plan for OIR (TAB B).

Approve: ✓ 10/7 Disapprove: _____ Other: Discuss w/ CHAIRMAN
FRIDAY

Attachments: approve

TAB A: Summary of Changes to OIR and OFS Force Reporting

TAB B: OIR Force Management Implementation Plan

~~TAB C: Memo to APNSA on Force Management in Iraq and Syria, April 10, 2017~~ C

~~TAB D: Memo to DoD on FML Authority for OIR, April 26, 2017~~

~~TAB E: Coordination~~

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)



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~~(S)~~ **Summary of Changes to Force Reporting**
(force levels represent new construct if implemented on August 16)

	Iraq	Syria	Afghanistan
Current Construct	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Baseline and Temporary Enabling Construct			

* Public Approximations made with the acknowledgment that Temporary Enabling forces regularly flow in and out for shorter duration missions

** (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

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(b) (6) OSD Policy ISA/ME
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OIR Force Management Implementation Plan

~~(S//REL)~~ **Purpose.** On June 10, 2017, the Secretary approved the Joint Staff proposal to transition the Operation INHERENT RESOLVE (OIR) force management construct from Force Management Level (FML) and Temporary Duty (TDY) to a new construct based on Baseline and Temporary Enabling forces.

- ~~(S//REL)~~ The new construct seeks to 1) increase operational flexibility to counter emergent threats and 2) simplify accounting rules. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

- ~~(S//REL)~~ This implementation plan proposes a way forward that: (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

- ~~(S//REL)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

Prepared by: OSD Policy ISA/ME Iraq Team (b) (6)

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(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)



Policy Coordination Sheet

Subject: Revised OIR Force Management Construct

Control Number: *USP071657-17*

Title/Organization	Name	Coordination Requested	Coordination Received
PDASD ISA	Katie Wheelbarger	8/18/2017	8/18/2017
PDO/GC OGC	Paul Koffsky	8/17/2017	8/18/2017
ASD OSD/PA	Dana White	8/17/2017	8/18/2017
PDASD OSD/LA	Pete Giambastiani	8/17/2017	8/18/2017
VDJS/Joint Staff	RADM Mike Dumont	8/17/2017	8/18/2017

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DepSec Action *HAS seen / ISD*

Prepared by: (b) (6) ISA/ME, (b) (6)
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FOR: SECRETARY OF DEFENSE *gnm 8/29*

FROM: Robert Story Kareem, Performing the Duties of the Under Secretary of Defense (Policy) *HAS seen / RSK* *Aug 29 2017*

SUBJECT: ~~(S//REL)~~ Revised OFS Force Management Construct

PURPOSE: ~~(S//REL)~~ This memo seeks your approval of the plan for Operation FREEDOM SENTINEL (TAB B) to implement the new force management construct based on Baseline forces and Temporary Enabling forces.

COORDINATION: ~~(S//REL)~~ Policy coordinated the implementation plan with OGC, OSD PA, OSD LA, and the Joint Staff.

BLUF: ~~(S//REL)~~ Your signature on this memo would approve the OFS force management implementation plan.

DISCUSSION: ~~(S//REL)~~ The implementation plan identifies how the new force management construct will specifically apply OFS, and how OSD will engage relevant stakeholders. This plan mirrors a forthcoming implementation plan for Operation INHERENT RESOLVE.

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

- ~~(S//REL)~~ DoD will not provide day-to-day updates on the number of forces in Afghanistan. DoD will only disclose a Public Approximate number, with the acknowledgment that forces regularly flow in and out and operationally sensitive forces are not reported. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

- ~~(S//REL)~~ The reported Public Approximate number (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) will be reported as 11,000. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

- ~~(S//REL)~~ DoD has been fully transparent in closed congressional briefings on total force numbers under FML/TDY, and will continue this transparency under the new construct.

RECOMMENDATION: (U) Sign below to approve the implementation plan for OFS (TAB B).

Approve: *gnm 8/30* Disapprove: _____ Other: _____

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Attachments:

TAB A: Summary of Changes to OIR and OFS Force Reporting

TAB B: OFS Force Management Implementation Plan

TAB C: Coordination



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~~(S) Summary of Changes to Force Reporting~~

(force levels represent new construct if implemented on August 16)

	Iraq	Syria	Afghanistan
Current Construct	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Baseline and Temporary Enabling Construct			

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OFS Force Management Implementation Plan

~~(S//REL)~~ **Purpose.** On June 10, 2017, the Secretary approved the Joint Staff proposal to transition the Operation INHERENT RESOLVE (OIR) force management construct from Force Management Level (FML) and Boots on the Ground (BOG) exemptions to a new construct based on Baseline forces and Temporary Enabling forces. The Secretary subsequently tasked OSD-P with producing an implementation plan for force management changes for Operation FREEDOM'S SENTINEL (OFS) in Afghanistan consistent with the new OIR construct and timed with the rollout of the South Asia Strategy.

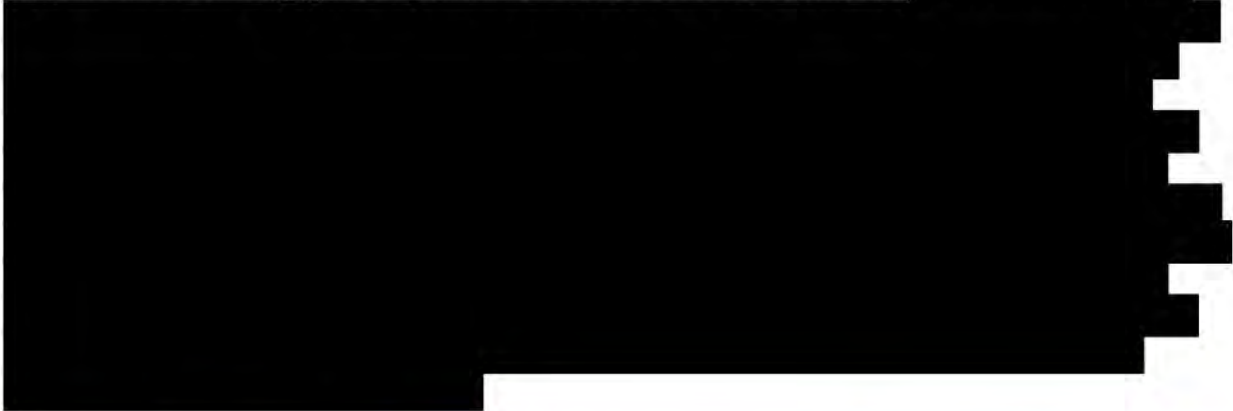
- ~~(S//REL)~~ The new construct seeks to: 1) increase operational flexibility to counter emergent threats; and 2) standardize accounting rules consistent with OIR.
- ~~(S//REL)~~ This implementation plan: 1) presents definitions of terms, a transition to the new construct, and a narrative linked to the South Asia Strategy; 2) identifies risks in implementation and offers supporting mitigation measures; and 3) establishes steps for engagement prior to executing the transition.
- ~~(S//REL)~~ This implementation plan will improve operational flexibility and improve transparency, but risks increased media attention and scrutiny on U.S. force levels during the rollout of the South Asia Strategy.

~~(S//REL)~~ **Establishing Baselines and Defining Terms.** In order to standardize accounting rules and terminology with OIR, OSD-P and the Joint Staff created definitions for the Baseline forces and Temporary Enabling forces, and revised the number of U.S. forces that would be reported under this new accounting construct.

- ~~(S//REL)~~ Baseline forces will be defined as those forces necessary for OFS steady-state activities attached to the NATO Resolute Support (RS) Train, Advise, and Assist (TAA) and the U.S. Counter Terrorism (CT) missions.
- ~~(S//REL)~~ Temporary Enabling forces will be defined as those forces required for shorter duration missions – to vary based on operational conditions – which USCENTCOM assesses will not necessarily be required for the duration of OFS, and includes forces conducting relief-in-place.
- ~~(S//REL)~~ Baseline and Temporary Enabling forces will exclude Title 22-funded personnel, civilian personnel, and contractor personnel.
- ~~(S//REL)~~ Under the new accounting construct, previously undisclosed BOG-exempt forces supporting the USCENTCOM Material Retrograde Element (CMRE) and Combat Support Agencies will now be recorded in the Baseline.
- ~~(S//REL)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
[REDACTED]
- ~~(S//REL)~~ DoD will report a Public Approximate number of 11,000 for Afghanistan, with the acknowledgment that Temporary Enabling forces regularly flow in and out for shorter duration missions. This approximate number includes (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
[REDACTED]

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) excludes special mission forces (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) OSD Policy will share the total number of DoD forces in Afghanistan with Congress in closed briefings.

~~(S//REL)~~ **Transition Timeline and Messaging.** OSD-P and OSD Public Affairs will coordinate a communications engagement plan that addresses all these elements. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)



~~(S//REL)~~ **Engagement Plan.** DoD will sequence engagements with the press, congressional committees, other U.S. departments and agencies, the Government of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan, RS Allies, and operational partners to implement the new force management construct in the context of overall anticipated changes in U.S. force levels.

- ~~(S//REL)~~ OSD-P will coordinate with OSD Public Affairs and OSD Legislative Affairs to update press guidance and develop a plan for OSD-P leadership to inform congressional committees about the transition. OSD Public Affairs will include the Department of State and Embassy Kabul in development of press guidance.
- ~~(S//REL)~~ During future closed briefings with congressional committees, as requested, OSD-P will transparently provide the total numbers of Baseline forces, Temporary Enabling forces, Title 22-funded personnel, and civilian personnel, and contractor personnel in Afghanistan.
- ~~(S//REL)~~ OSD-P will coordinate with USCENTCOM and draft messaging guidance to international partners, as well as agree to an appropriate corresponding division of labor.

~~(S//REL)~~ **Risks for Implementing the New Construct.** OSD-P, Public Affairs, and the Joint Staff have identified several risks in implementation of the new construct and have developed supporting mitigation measures. These measures will not completely mitigate all of the public affairs concerns, and DoD will likely face criticism over the new construct and U.S. force levels in Afghanistan under the new strategy.

- ~~(S//REL)~~ Public reaction to a higher number of U.S. forces in Afghanistan. Establishing the 11,000 Public Approximate number for Afghanistan will close the current credibility gap between the public number and total number of U.S. forces in Afghanistan; however, the new construct also risks increased media scrutiny on U.S. force levels during the South Asia Strategy rollout. DoD can mitigate this risk by reinforcing the narrative that this change to the force management structure reflects a good faith effort to improve transparency regarding total U.S. forces deployed to Afghanistan.

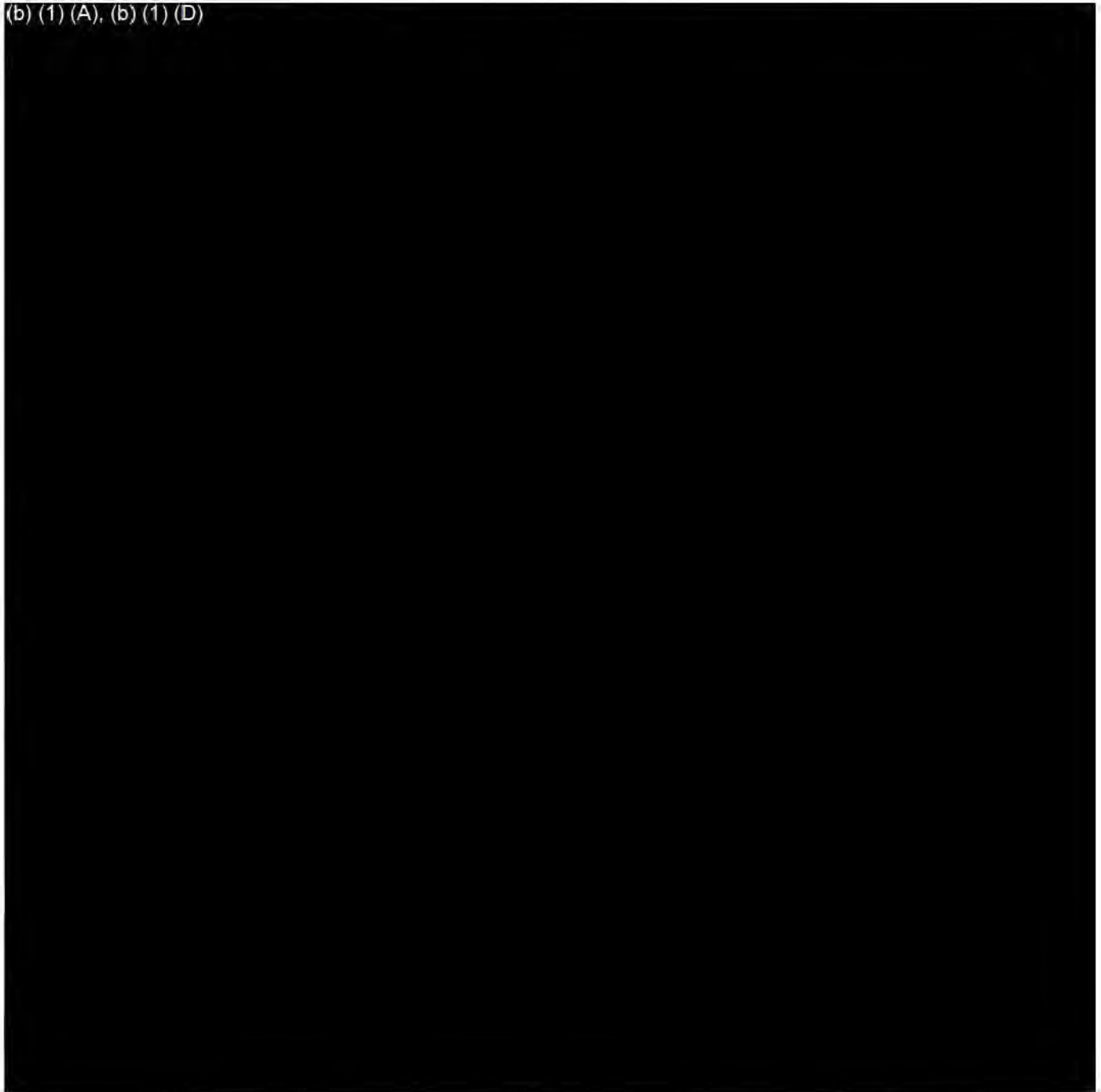
- ~~(S//REL)~~ Definitions of Baseline and Temporary Enabling Forces. The press and congressional committees may criticize the new construct as drawing inconsistent and arbitrary distinctions between Baseline and Temporary Enabling forces. If these definitions are not clear, or if a unit could be counted interchangeably between the Baseline and Temporary Enabling forces categories, then the new force management construct may invite further criticism. USCENTCOM can mitigate this risk by establishing clear definitions and business rules that minimize the ability of a unit to be counted interchangeably between the two categories.

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(U) CLASSIFIED ANNEX TO DECEMBER 2017 WAR POWERS RESOLUTION
REPORT

(U) The following information supplements the section "Military Operations Against Al-Qa'ida, the Taliban, and Associated Forces and in Support of Related U.S. Counterterrorism Objectives" in the supplemental consolidated report prepared consistent with the War Powers Resolution (Public Law 93-148), submitted on December 11, 2017.

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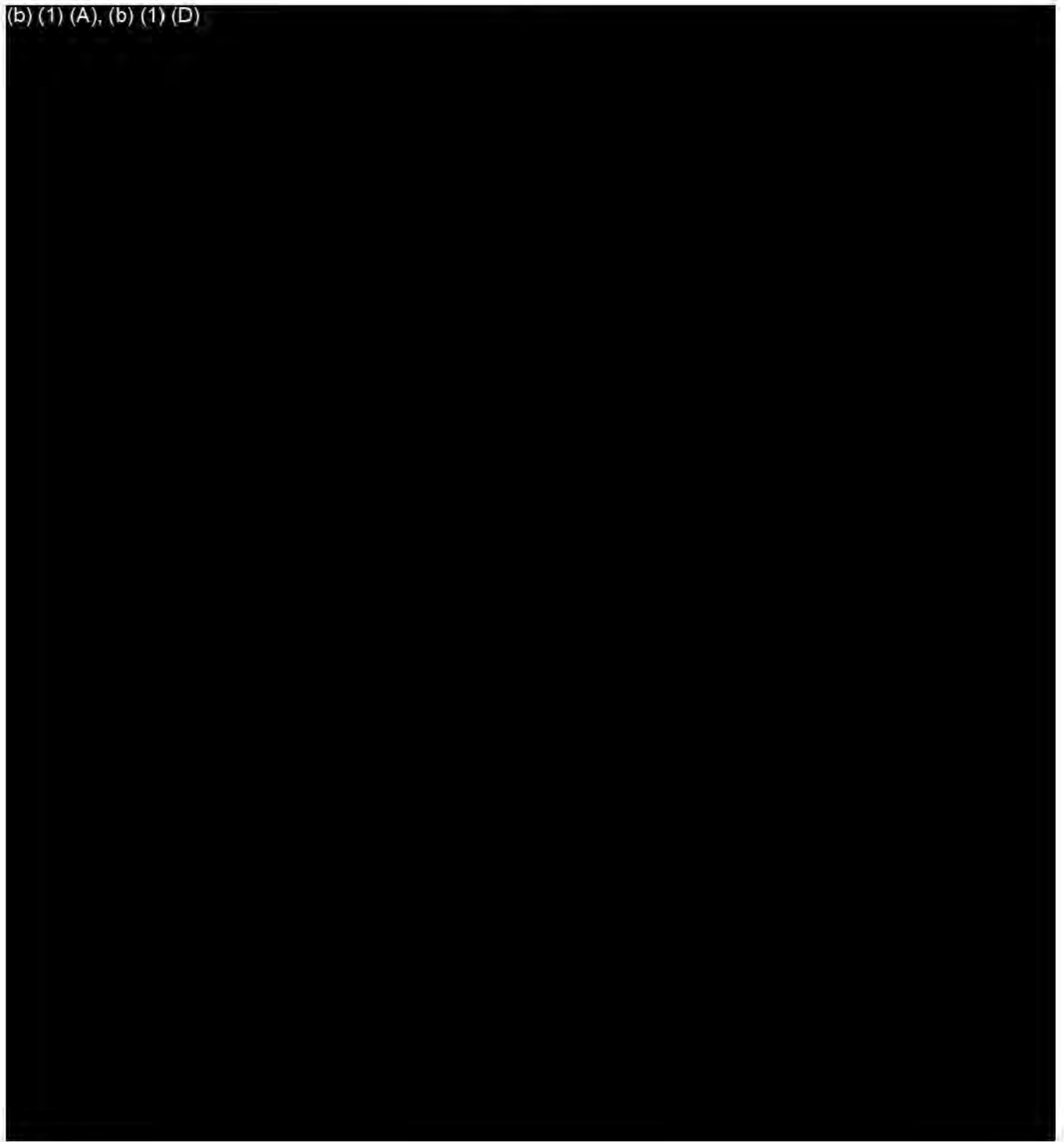


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(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)



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June 2018

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~~(S)~~ Number of Deployed DoD Military Personnel

Personnel	OIR		OFS
	Iraq	Syria	Afghanistan
	March 1, 2018		
Active Component	Active Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
Temporarily Enabling Forces (TEF) ¹			
Total Military			

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¹ (U) TEF conduct relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions. The number of TEF personnel is classified.

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~~(S)~~ Projected Personnel Total through June 1, 2018. As-of March 1, 2018

Personnel	OIR											
	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria						
	April 1, 2018		May 1, 2018		June 1, 2018							
Active Component	Active Component Personnel											
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)											
U.S. Air Force												
U.S. Navy												
U.S. Marine Corps												
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel											
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)											
U.S. Air Force												
U.S. Navy												
U.S. Marine Corps												
National Guard	National Guard Personnel											
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)											
Air National Guard												
Baseline												
TEF												
Total Military												
Civilian	Civilian Personnel											
Civilian	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)											
Contractor							Contractor Personnel					
U.S. Citizens												
Local Nationals												
Third Country Nationals												

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Personnel	OFS		
	Afghanistan		
	April 1, 2018	May 1, 2018	June 1, 2018
Active Component	Active Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard Personnel		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
TEF			
Total Military			
Civilian	Civilian Personnel		
	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Contractor	Contractor Personnel		
U.S. Citizens	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Local Nationals			
Third Country Nationals			

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~~(S)~~ **Limitations on the Number of Personnel**

~~(S)~~ The President has delegated to the Secretary of Defense the authority to set force levels in Iraq, Syria, and Afghanistan. The Secretary has determined that force levels required to accomplish the Department's mission are (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

The OIR force levels do not include TEF conducting relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

~~(S)~~ **Number of Military Personnel that are not Subject to the Limitations and Their Functions**

~~(S)~~ TEF personnel in Iraq, Syria, and Afghanistan and (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) that are designated as Operationally Sensitive Forces are not subject to the above addressed limitations. There are also 97 military personnel in Iraq not subject to these limitations, because they are under Department of State Chief of Mission authority, performing Security Cooperation functions.

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~~(S)~~ Number of Deployed DoD Military Personnel

Personnel	OIR		OFS
	Iraq	Syria	Afghanistan
	June 1, 2018		
Active Component	Active Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
Temporarily Enabling Forces (TEF) ¹			
Total Military			

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¹ (U) TEF conduct relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions. The number of TEF personnel deployed in support of OIR is classified.

~~(S)~~ Projected Personnel Total through September 1, 2018, as of June 1, 2018

Personnel	OIR											
	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria						
	July 1, 2018		August 1, 2018		September 1, 2018							
Active Component	Active Component Personnel											
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)											
U.S. Air Force												
U.S. Navy												
U.S. Marine Corps												
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel											
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)											
U.S. Air Force												
U.S. Navy												
U.S. Marine Corps												
National Guard	National Guard Personnel											
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)											
Air National Guard												
Baseline												
TEF												
Total Military	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)											
Civilian							Civilian Personnel					
Contractor							Contractor Personnel					
U.S. Citizens							(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
Local Nationals												
Third Country Nationals												

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Personnel	OFS		
	Afghanistan		
	July 1, 2018	August 1, 2018	September 1, 2018
Active Component	Active Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard Personnel		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
TEF			
Total Military			
Civilian	Civilian Personnel		
	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Contractor	Contractor Personnel		
	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Citizens			
Local Nationals			
Third Country Nationals			

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~~(S)~~ **Limitations on the Number of Personnel**

~~(S)~~ The President has delegated to the Secretary of Defense the authority to set force levels in Iraq, Syria, and Afghanistan. The Secretary has determined that required baseline force levels to accomplish the Department's mission are (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

total force levels for OIR and OFS also include TEF personnel conducting relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

~~(S)~~ **Number of Military Personnel that are not Subject to the Limitations and Their Functions**

~~(S)~~ TEF personnel in Iraq, Syria, and Afghanistan and (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) that are designated as Operationally Sensitive Forces are not subject to the above addressed limitations. There are also 97 military personnel in Iraq not subject to the above limitations set by the Secretary because they are under Department of State Chief of Mission authority, performing Security Cooperation functions.

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~~(S)~~ Number of Deployed DoD Military Personnel

Personnel	OIR		OFS
	Iraq	Syria	Afghanistan
	September 1, 2018		
Active Component	Active Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
Temporarily Enabling Forces (TEF) ¹			
Total Military			

~~(S)~~ This table is classified ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~.

*~~(S)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

¹ (U) TEF conduct relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions. The number of TEF personnel deployed in support of OIR is classified.

~~(S)~~ Projected Personnel Total through December 1, 2018, as of September 1, 2018

Personnel	OIR										
	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria					
	October 1, 2018		November 1, 2018		December 1, 2018						
Active Component	Active Component Personnel										
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)										
U.S. Air Force											
U.S. Navy											
U.S. Marine Corps											
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel										
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)										
U.S. Air Force											
U.S. Navy											
U.S. Marine Corps											
National Guard	National Guard Personnel										
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)										
Air National Guard											
Baseline											
TEF											
Total Military	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)										
Civilian							Civilian Personnel				
Contractor							Contractor Personnel				
U.S. Citizens							(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)				
Local Nationals											
Third Country Nationals											

~~(S)~~ This table is classified ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~.

Personnel	OFS		
	Afghanistan		
	October 1, 2018	November 1, 2018	December 1, 2018
Active Component	Active Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard Personnel		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
TEF			
Total Military*			
Civilian	Civilian Personnel		
	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Contractor	Contractor Personnel		
	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Citizens			
Local Nationals			
Third Country Nationals			

~~(S)~~ This table is classified ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~.

*~~(S)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

~~(S)~~ **Limitations on the Number of Personnel**

~~(S)~~ The President has delegated to the Secretary of Defense the authority to set force levels in Iraq, Syria, and Afghanistan. The Secretary has determined that required force levels to accomplish the Department's mission are (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] total force levels for OIR and OFS also include TEF personnel conducting relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

~~(S)~~ **Number of Military Personnel that are not Subject to the Limitations and Their Functions**

~~(S)~~ TEF personnel in Iraq and Syria, TEF personnel conducting relief-in-place/transfer of authority in Afghanistan, and (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) [REDACTED] that are designated as Operationally Sensitive Forces are not subject to the above addressed limitations. There are also 97 military personnel in Iraq not subject to the above limitations set by the Secretary because they are under Department of State Chief of Mission authority performing Security Cooperation functions.

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As of December 1, 2018

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~~(S//NF)~~ This is the classified annex to the fourth report under Section 1267 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2018, Public Law 115-91.

~~(S//NF)~~ On December 19, 2018, President Trump announced a withdrawal of U.S. forces from Syria. On February 21, 2019, the President decided to sustain a small residual troop presence in Syria for counterterrorism purposes. The Department is assessing the impacts of these announcements on U.S. force presence in Syria and Iraq, which will be reflected in the next submission under this reporting requirement.

~~(S)~~ **Number of Deployed DoD Military Personnel**

Personnel	OIR		OFS
	Iraq	Syria	Afghanistan
	December 1, 2018		
Active Component	Active Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
Temporarily Enabling Forces (TEF)¹			
Operationally Sensitive Forces			
Total Military			

~~(S)~~ This table is classified ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~.

¹ ~~(S)~~ TEF conduct relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions. The number of TEF personnel deployed in support of OIR is classified. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

[REDACTED]

~~(S)~~ Actual and Projected Personnel Totals through March 1, 2019²

Personnel	OIR					
	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria
	January 1, 2019		February 1, 2019		March 1, 2019	
Active Component	Active Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
National Guard	National Guard Personnel					
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
Air National Guard						
Baseline						
TEF						
Total Military						
Civilian	Civilian Personnel					
	218	3	194	8	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)	
Contractor	Contractor Personnel					
U.S. Citizens	2,808	42	3,148	101	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)	
Local Nationals	929	0	1,011	0		
Third Country Nationals	2,441	0	2,513	0		

~~(S)~~ This table is classified ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~.

² In this report, actual numbers of personnel are reflected for January 1 and February 1, 2019; March 1, 2019, numbers are projected as of December 1, 2018.

Personnel	OFS ³		
	Afghanistan		
	January 1, 2019	February 1, 2019	March 1, 2019
Active Component	Active Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard Personnel		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
TEF			
Operationally Sensitive Forces			
Total Military			
Civilian	Civilian Personnel		
	713	823	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
Contractor	Contractor Personnel		
U.S. Citizens	11,606	11,465	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
Local Nationals	6,311	6,028	
Third Country Nationals	11,472	11,763	

(S) This table is classified ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~.

³(S) The next report will provide actual personnel totals as of March 1, 2019.

~~(S)~~ **Limitations on the Number of Personnel**

~~(S)~~ The President has delegated to the Secretary of Defense the authority to set force levels in Iraq, Syria, and Afghanistan. To accomplish the Department's mission, then-Secretary Mattis authorized force levels up to (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) TEF personnel conducting relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions are not counted against these authorized force levels. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

(U) As of the date of submission of this report, the Department is implementing the President's direction to draw down U.S. forces from Syria and sustain a small residual force presence to continue counterterrorism operations to defeat al-Qaida and the Islamic State of Iraq and Syria (ISIS), and to protect the U.S. homeland, U.S. interests overseas, and U.S. allies and partners.

~~(S)~~ **Number of Military Personnel that are not Subject to the Limitations and Their Functions**

~~(S)~~ TEF personnel in Iraq and Syria, TEF personnel conducting relief-in-place/transfer of authority in Afghanistan, and (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) that are designated as Operationally Sensitive Forces are not subject to the above addressed limitations. There are also 97 military personnel in Iraq not subject to the above limitations set by the Secretary because they are under Department of State Chief of Mission authority performing Security Cooperation functions.

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As of June 3, 2019

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~~(S//NF)~~ This is the classified annex to the fifth report submitted under Section 1267 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2018, Public Law 115-91.

~~(S//NF)~~ On December 19, 2018, President Trump announced a withdrawal of U.S. forces from Syria. On February 21, 2019, the President decided to sustain a small residual force presence in Syria for counterterrorism purposes. The Department is assessing the impacts of these announcements on U.S. force presence in Syria and Iraq, which will be reflected in the next submission under this reporting requirement. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)



~~(S)~~ Number of Deployed DoD Military Personnel

Personnel	OIR		OFS
	Iraq	Syria	Afghanistan
	March 1, 2019		
Active Component	Active Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
Temporarily Enabling Forces (TEF) ¹			
Total Military			

~~(S)~~ This table is classified ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~

*~~(S)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

¹~~(S)~~ TEF conduct relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions. The number of TEF personnel deployed in support of OIR is classified. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

~~(S)~~ Actual Personnel Totals Through June 1, 2019

Personnel	OIR					
	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria
	April 1, 2019		May 1, 2019		June 1, 2019	
Active Component	Active Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
National Guard	National Guard Personnel					
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
Air National Guard						
Baseline						
TEF						
Total Military						
Civilian	Civilian Personnel					
	187	13	190	9	114	8
Contractor	Contractor Personnel					
U.S. Citizens	3,257	105	3,051	110	3,037	96
Local Nationals	1,029	0	1,138	0	1,473	0
Third Country Nationals	2,538	0	2,200	0	2,723	0

~~(S)~~ This table is classified ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~.

*~~(S)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

Personnel	OFS		
	Afghanistan		
	April 1, 2019	May 1, 2019	June 1, 2019
Active Component	Active Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard Personnel		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
TEF			
Total Military*			
Civilian	Civilian Personnel		
	832	817	770
Contractor	Contractor Personnel		
U.S. Citizens	12,247	10,878	10,495
Local Nationals	6,069	5,779	5,938
Third Country Nationals	12,245	12,086	11,381

~~(S)~~ This table is classified ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~.

*~~(S)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

~~(S)~~ **Limitations on the Number of Personnel**

~~(S)~~ The President has delegated to the Secretary of Defense the authority to set force levels in Iraq, Syria, and Afghanistan. The Secretary has determined that required force levels to accomplish the Department's mission are (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

[REDACTED]

Total force levels for OIR and OFS also include TEF personnel conducting relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

[REDACTED]

~~(S)~~ **Number of Military Personnel That Are Not Subject to the Limitations and Their Functions**

~~(S)~~ TEF personnel in Iraq and Syria, TEF personnel conducting relief-in-place/transfer of authority in Afghanistan, and (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) that are designated as Operationally Sensitive Forces are not subject to the above addressed limitations. There are also 97 military personnel in Iraq not subject to the above limitations set by the Secretary because they are under Department of State Chief of Mission authority performing Security Cooperation functions.

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~~(S//NF)~~ This is the classified annex to the report under Section 1267 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2018, Public Law 115-91, covering actual numbers and monthly projections of U.S. forces deployed to Afghanistan, Iraq, and Syria in support of OIR and OFS as of June 1, 2019, and through September 1, 2019.

Derived From: Multiple Sources
Declassify On: July 21, 2039

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~~(S)~~ Number of Deployed DoD Military Personnel

Personnel	OIR		OFS
	Iraq	Syria	Afghanistan
	June 1, 2019		
Active Component	Active Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
Temporarily Enabling Forces (TEF) ¹			
Operationally Sensitive Forces ²			
Total Military			

~~(S)~~ This table is classified ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~.

¹~~(S)~~ TEF conduct relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions. The number of TEF personnel deployed in support of OIR is classified. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

~~(S)~~ Actual and Projected Personnel Totals through September 1, 2019³

Personnel	OIR					
	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria
	July 1, 2019		August 1, 2019		September 1, 2019	
Active Component	Active Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
National Guard	National Guard Personnel					
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
Air National Guard						
Baseline						
TEF						
Total Military						
Civilian	Civilian Personnel					
	115	4	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)			
Contractor	Contractor Personnel					
U.S. Citizens	3,126	103	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)			
Local Nationals	1,493	0				
Third Country Nationals	2,753	0				

~~(S)~~ This table is classified ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~.

³ This table includes actual numbers for July 1, 2019, and projected numbers for August 1 and September 1, 2019.

Derived From: Multiple Sources

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Personnel	OFS		
	Afghanistan		
	July 1, 2019	August 1, 2019	September 1, 2019
Active Component	Active Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard Personnel		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
TEF			
Operationally Sensitive Forces			
Total Military			
Civilian	Civilian Personnel		
	752	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)	
Contractor	Contractor Personnel		
U.S. Citizens	10,648	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)	
Local Nationals	5,732		
Third Country Nationals	11,077		

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Derived From: Multiple Sources
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~~(S)~~ **Limitations on the Number of Personnel**

~~(S)~~ The President has delegated to the Secretary of Defense the authority to set force levels in Iraq, Syria, and Afghanistan. The Secretary has determined that required force levels to accomplish the Department's mission are (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

The President has authorized a small residual presence of U.S. forces in Syria. Total force levels for OIR and OFS also include TEF personnel conducting relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

~~(S)~~ **Number of Military Personnel that are not Subject to the Limitations and Their Functions**

~~(S)~~ TEF personnel in Iraq and Syria, TEF personnel conducting relief-in-place/transfer of authority in Afghanistan, and (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) that are designated as Operationally Sensitive Forces are not subject to the above addressed limitations. There are also 90 military personnel in Iraq not subject to the above limitations set by the Secretary because they are under Department of State Chief of Mission authority performing security cooperation functions.

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~~(S//NF)~~ *This is the classified annex to the seventh report submitted under Section 1267 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2018, Public Law 115-91, covering actual numbers of U.S. forces deployed to Afghanistan, Iraq, and Syria in support of OIR and OFS as of September 1, October 1, and November 1, 2019, and projected numbers for December 1, 2019.*

Derived From: Multiple Sources
Declassify On: November 12, 2039

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~~(S)~~ Number of Deployed DoD Military Personnel

Personnel	OIR		OFS
	Iraq	Syria	Afghanistan
	September 1, 2019		
Active Component	Active Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
Temporarily Enabling Forces (TEF) ¹			
Operationally Sensitive Forces ²			
Total Military			

~~(S)~~ This table is classified ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~.

¹~~(S)~~ TEF conduct relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

~~(S)~~ Actual Personnel Totals for October 1, 2019, and November 1, 2019; Projected Personnel Totals for December 1, 2019

Personnel	OIR					
	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria
	October 1, 2019		November 1, 2019		December 1, 2019	
Active Component	Active Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
National Guard	National Guard Personnel					
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
Air National Guard						
Baseline						
TEF						
Total Military						
Civilian	Civilian Personnel					
	122	6	115	4	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)	
Contractor	Contractor Personnel					
U.S. Citizens	3,044	108	3,140	79	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)	
Local Nationals	1,503	0	1,371	0		
Third Country Nationals	2,500	0	2,574	0		

~~(S)~~ This table is classified ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~.

Personnel	OFS		
	Afghanistan		
	October 1, 2019	November 1, 2019	December 1, 2019
Active Component	Active Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard Personnel		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
TEF			
Operationally Sensitive Forces			
Total Military			
Civilian	Civilian Personnel		
	776	809	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
Contractor	Contractor Personnel		
U.S. Citizens	10,750	10,007	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
Local Nationals	2,849	4,684	
Third Country Nationals	10,603	10,674	

(S) This table is classified ~~SECRET//NOFORN~~.

Derived From: Multiple Sources
Declassify On: November 12, 2039

~~(S)~~ **Limitations on the Number of Personnel**

~~(S)~~ The President has delegated to the Secretary of Defense the authority to set baseline force levels in Iraq, Syria, and Afghanistan. As of the date of submission of this report, the Department continues to implement the President's direction to draw down U.S. forces from Syria and sustain a small residual force presence in eastern Syria to continue the campaign against ISIS. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

~~(S)~~ **Number of Military Personnel That Are Not Subject to the Limitations and Their Functions**

~~(S)~~ TEF personnel in Iraq and Syria, TEF personnel conducting relief-in-place/transfer of authority in Afghanistan, and (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) that are designated as Operationally Sensitive Forces are not subject to the above addressed "baseline" number limitations. There are also 47 military personnel in Iraq not subject to the above limitations set by the Secretary because they are under Department of State Chief of Mission authority performing Security Cooperation functions.

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~~(S)~~ Number of Deployed DoD Military Personnel

Personnel	OIR		OFS
	Iraq	Syria	Afghanistan
	December 1, 2019		
Active Component	Active Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard			
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
Temporarily Enabling Forces (TEF) ²			
Operationally Sensitive Forces ³			
Total Military			

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¹(S) (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

²(S) TEF conduct relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions.

³(S) (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

~~(S)~~ Actual Personnel totals for January 1, 2020, and Projected Personnel Totals for February 1 and March 1, 2020

Personnel	OIR					
	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria
	January 1, 2020		February 1, 2020		March 1, 2020	
Active Component	Active Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
National Guard	National Guard Personnel					
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
Air National Guard						
Baseline						
TEF						
Total Military						
Civilian	Civilian Personnel					
	97	6	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)			
Contractor	Contractor Personnel					
U.S. Citizens	2,863	40	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)			
Local Nationals	1,154	0				
Third Country Nationals	2,529	0				

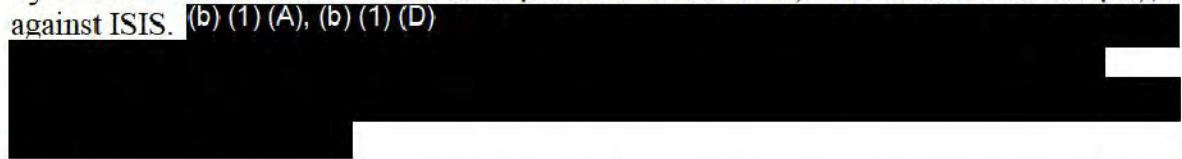
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Personnel	OFS		
	Afghanistan		
	January 1, 2020	February 1, 2020	March 1, 2020
Active Component	Active Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard Personnel		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
TEF			
Operationally Sensitive Force			
Total Military			
Civilian	Civilian Personnel		
	710	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)	
Contractor	Contractor Personnel		
U.S. Citizens	10,530	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)	
Local Nationals	5,709		
Third Country Nationals	10,306		

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~~(S)~~ **Limitations on the Number of Personnel**

~~(S)~~ The President has delegated to the Secretary of Defense the authority to set baseline force levels in Iraq, Syria, and Afghanistan. As of the date of submission of this report, the Department continues to implement the President's direction to draw down U.S. forces from Syria and sustain a small residual force presence in eastern Syria to continue the campaign against ISIS. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)



~~(S)~~ **Number of Military Personnel That Are Not Subject to the Limitations and Their Functions**

~~(S)~~ TEF personnel in Iraq and Syria, TEF personnel conducting relief-in-place/transfer of authority in Afghanistan, and (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) that are designated as Operationally Sensitive Forces are not subject to the above addressed "baseline" number limitations. There are also 37 military personnel in Iraq as of 1 January 2020 not subject to the above limitations set by the Secretary because they are under Department of State Chief of Mission authority performing Security Cooperation functions.

~~(S)~~ DoD personnel outside Afghanistan, Iraq, and Syria whose duties include, in whole or in part, supporting OIR and OFS are not subject to any limitations on force levels in those countries. As noted in the unclassified portion of the report, personnel providing such "over the horizon" support are not counted in this report because it is not feasible to identify numbers of all personnel whose duties are solely to support OIR or OFS.

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As of May 2020

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Derived From: Multiple Sources
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~~(S//NF)~~ Number of Deployed DoD Military Personnel

Personnel	OIR		OFS
	Iraq	Syria	Afghanistan
	March 1, 2020		
Active Component	Active Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
Temporarily Enabling Forces (TEF) ²			
OFS Rear Detachments*			
Operationally Sensitive Forces ³			
Total Military			

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(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

¹~~(S//NF)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

²~~(S//NF)~~ TEF conduct relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions.

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

~~(S//NF)~~ Actual Personnel Totals for April 1 and May 1 and Projections for June 1, 2020

Personnel	OIR					
	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria
	April 1, 2020		May 1, 2020		June 1, 2020	
Active Component	Active Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
National Guard	National Guard Personnel					
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
Air National Guard						
Baseline						
TEF						
Total Military						
Civilian	Civilian Personnel					(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
	91	5	96	5		
Contractor	Contractor Personnel					(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
U.S. Citizens	2,602	76	2,638	99		
Local Nationals	1,136	0	1,236	0		
Third Country Nationals	2,473	0	2,359	0		

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Personnel	OFS		
	Afghanistan		
	April 1, 2020	May 1, 2020	June 1, 2020
Active Component	Active Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard Personnel		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
TEF			
OFS Rear Detachments*			
Operationally Sensitive Forces			
Total Military			
Civilian	Civilian Personnel		
	726	591	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
Contractor	Contractor Personnel		
U.S. Citizens	10,711	9,085	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
Local Nationals	5,853	5,628	
Third Country Nationals	11,077	10,116	

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(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

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~~(S//NF)~~ **Limitations on the Number of Personnel**

~~(S//NF)~~ The President has delegated to the Secretary of Defense the authority to set baseline force levels in Iraq, Syria, and Afghanistan. As of the date of submission of this report, the Department continues to implement the President's direction to optimize U.S. forces in Afghanistan in compliance with the U.S.-Taliban agreement signed on February 29, 2020, and draw down from Syria and sustain a small residual force presence in eastern Syria to continue the campaign against ISIS. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

~~(S//NF)~~ **Number of Military Personnel That Are Not Subject to the Limitations and Their Functions**

~~(S//NF)~~ TEF personnel in Iraq and Syria, TEF personnel conducting relief-in-place/transfer of authority in Afghanistan, and (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) that are designated as Operationally Sensitive Forces are not subject to the above addressed "baseline" number limitations. As of May 1, 2020, there are also 32 military personnel in Iraq not subject to the above limitations set by the Secretary because they are under Department of State Chief of Mission authority performing Security Cooperation functions.

~~(S//NF)~~ DoD personnel outside Afghanistan, Iraq, and Syria whose duties include, in whole or in part, supporting both OIR and OFS simultaneously are not subject to any limitations on force levels in those countries. As noted in the unclassified portion of the report, personnel providing such global support are not counted in this report.

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Derived From: Multiple Sources
Declassify On: May XX, 2040

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~~(S)~~ Number of Deployed DoD Military Personnel – Actual June 1, 2020 Personnel Totals

Personnel	OIR		OFS
	Iraq	Syria	Afghanistan
	June 1, 2020		
Active Component	Active Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard			
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
Temporarily Enabling Forces (TEF) ²			
OFS Rear Detachments*			
Operationally Sensitive Forces ³			
Total Military			

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(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

¹~~(S)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

²~~(S)~~ TEF conduct relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions.

³~~(S)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

~~(S)~~ Number of Deployed DoD Military Personnel – Actual July 1 and August 1 Personnel Totals with Projections for September 1, 2020

Personnel	OIR					
	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria
	July 1, 2020		August 1, 2020		September 1, 2020	
Active Component	Active Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
National Guard	National Guard Personnel					
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
Air National Guard						
Baseline						
TEF						
Total Military						
Civilian	Civilian Personnel					(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
	104	5	80	10		
Contractor	Contractor Personnel					(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
U.S. Citizens	2,851	87	2,373	84		
Local Nationals	1,237	0	944	0		
Third Country Nationals	2,367	0	2,201	0		

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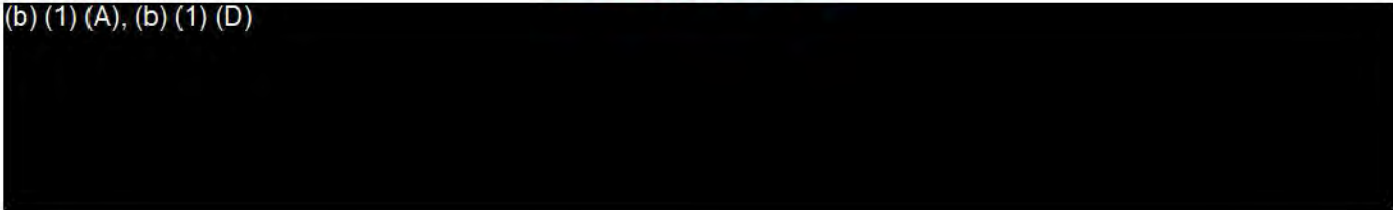
~~(S)~~ Number of Deployed DoD Military Personnel – Actual July 1 and August 1 Personnel Totals with Projections for September 1, 2020

Personnel	OFS		
	Afghanistan		
	July 1, 2020	August 1, 2020	Sept 1, 2020
Active Component	Active Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard Personnel		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
TEF			
OFS Rear Detachments*			
Operationally Sensitive Forces			
Total Military			
Civilian	Civilian Personnel		(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
	557	554	
Contractor	Contractor Personnel		
U.S. Citizens	9,776	7,908	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
Local Nationals	5,711	4,959	
Third Country Nationals	10,163	10,175	

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Declassify On: May XX, 2040

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)



~~(S)~~ **Limitations on the Number of Personnel**

~~(S)~~ The President has delegated to the Secretary of Defense the authority to set baseline force levels in Iraq, Syria, and Afghanistan. As of the date of submission of this report, the Department continues to implement the President's direction to draw down U.S. forces from Syria and sustain a small residual force presence in eastern Syria to continue the campaign against ISIS. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)



~~(S)~~ **Number of Military Personnel That Are Not Subject to the Limitations and Their Functions**

~~(S)~~ TEF personnel in Iraq and Syria, TEF personnel conducting relief-in-place/transfer of authority in Afghanistan, and (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) that are designated as Operationally Sensitive Forces are not subject to the above addressed "baseline" number limitations. As of June 1, 2020, there are also 35 military personnel in Iraq not subject to the above limitations set by the Secretary because they are under Department of State Chief of Mission authority performing Security Cooperation functions.

(S) DoD personnel outside Afghanistan, Iraq, and Syria whose duties include, in whole or in part, supporting OIR and OFS are not subject to any limitations on force levels in those countries. As noted in the unclassified portion of the report, personnel providing such global support are not counted in this report because it is not feasible to identify numbers of personnel whose duties are solely to support OIR or OFS.

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As of November 2020

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Derived From: Multiple Sources
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~~(S)~~ Number of Deployed DoD Military Personnel

Personnel	OIR		OFS
	Iraq	Syria	Afghanistan
	September 1, 2020		
Active Component	Active Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
Temporarily Enabling Forces (TEF) ²			
OFS Rear Detachments ³			
Operationally Sensitive Forces ⁴			
State Department Support ⁵			
Total Military			

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~~(S)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

²~~(S)~~ TEFs conduct relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions not routinely required to support core mission.

³~~(S)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

~~(S)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

⁴~~(S)~~ Bagdad Embassy Complex (BEC) security augmentation forces & Office of Security Cooperation-Iraq (OSC-I) personnel are not subject to baseline, but counted in Total Military.

Derived From: Multiple Sources
Declassify On: December 1, 2040

~~(S)~~ Personnel Totals for October 1, 2020 and November 1, 2020, and Projected totals for December 1, 2020

Personnel	OIR					
	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria	Iraq	Syria
	Oct 1, 2020		Nov 1, 2020		Dec 1, 2020	
Active Component	Active Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel					
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
U.S. Air Force						
U.S. Navy						
U.S. Marine Corps						
National Guard	National Guard Personnel					
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)					
Air National Guard						
Baseline ⁶						
TEF						
JTF 94-7						
State Dept. Support						
Total Military ⁷						
Civilian	Civilian Personnel					
	70	17	76	12	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)	
Contractor	Contractor Personnel					
U.S. Citizens	2,472	86	2,193	69	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)	
Local Nationals	636	0	729	0		
Third Country Nationals	1,632	0	1,545	0		

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⁶ ~~(S)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

⁷ ~~(S)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

Derived From: Multiple Sources
Declassify On: December 1, 2040

~~(S)~~ Personnel Totals for October 1, 2020 and November 1, 2020, and Projected totals for December 1, 2020

Personnel	OFS		
	Afghanistan		
	Oct 1, 2020	Nov 1, 2020	Dec 1, 2020
Active Component	Active Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
Reserve Component	Reserve Component Personnel		
U.S. Army	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
U.S. Air Force			
U.S. Navy			
U.S. Marine Corps			
National Guard	National Guard Personnel		
Army National Guard	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)		
Air National Guard			
Baseline			
TEF			
OFS Rear Detachments ⁸			
Operationally Sensitive Forces			
Total Military			
Civilian	Civilian Personnel		
	499	492	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
Contractor	Contractor Personnel		
U.S. Citizens	7,856	6,518	(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)
Local Nationals	5,067	4,627	
Third Country Nationals	9,639	7,730	

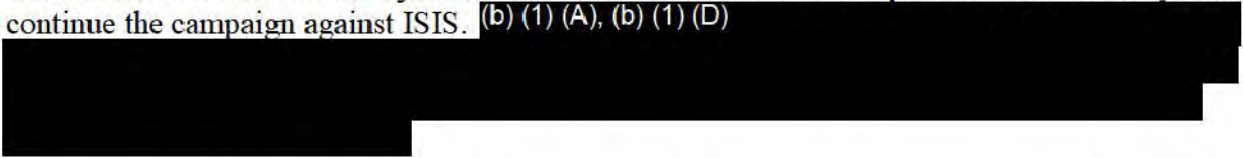
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⁸ ~~(S)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

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Declassify On: December 1, 2040

~~(S)~~ **Limitations on the Number of Personnel**

~~(S)~~ The President has delegated to the Secretary of Defense the authority to set baseline force levels in Iraq, Syria, and Afghanistan. As of the date of submission of this report, the Department continues to implement the President's direction to optimize U.S. forces in Afghanistan in compliance with the U.S.-Taliban agreement signed on February 29, 2020, and to draw down U.S. forces from Syria and sustain a small residual force presence in eastern Syria to continue the campaign against ISIS. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)



~~(S)~~ **Number of Military Personnel That Are Not Subject to the Limitations and Their Functions**

~~(S)~~ TEF personnel conduct relief-in-place/transfer of authority, temporary duty, and short-duration missions not routinely required to support core mission, and approximately (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) that are designated as Operationally Sensitive Forces are not subject to the "boots on the ground" limitations. As of November 1, 2020, there are 32 military personnel in Iraq not subject to the above limitations set by the Secretary because they are under Department of State Chief of Mission authority performing Security Cooperation functions and 164 military personnel augmenting Baghdad Embassy Compound (BEC) security. These forces also do not count against established limitations.

~~(S)~~ DoD personnel outside Afghanistan, Iraq, and Syria whose duties include, in whole or in part, supporting OIR and OFS are not subject to any limitations on force levels in those countries. As noted in the unclassified portion of the report, personnel providing such global support are not counted in this report because it is not feasible to identify numbers of personnel whose duties are solely to support OIR or OFS.

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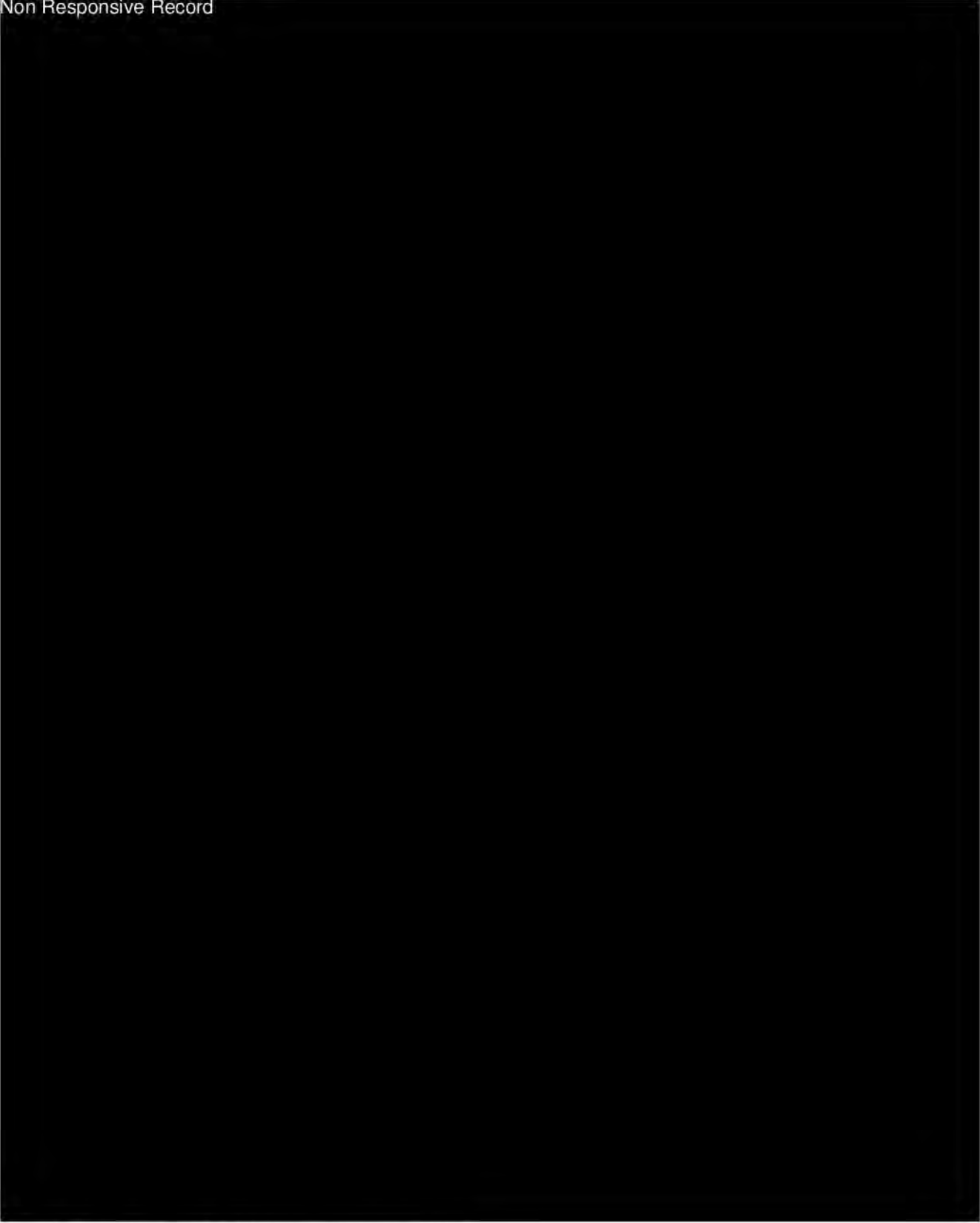
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3.C. (U) COORDINATING INSTRUCTIONS

3.C.1. (U) FORCE MANAGEMENT

3.C.1.A. ~~(S//REL)~~ IAW REF BJ, SECDEF WILL MANAGE CHANGES TO OIR FORCE LEVELS THROUGH THE ESTABLISHED REQUEST FOR FORCES (RFF) VETTING AND

SECDEF ORDERS BOOK (SDOB) APPROVAL PROCESS.

3.C.1.A.1. ~~(S//REL)~~ USCENTCOM WILL PROVIDE ADVANCE NOTIFICATION TO OSD POLICY TO FACILITATE ENGAGEMENT WITH DOS AND NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL STAFF ON ADJUSTMENTS TO FORCE LEVELS IAW REFS BK AND BL.

3.C.1.A.2. ~~(S//REL)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

3.C.1.A.3. ~~(S//REL)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

3.C.1.A.4. (U) U.S. FORCE LEVELS ARE REPORTED AS EITHER BASELINE FORCES OR TEMPORARY ENABLING FORCES (TEF).

3.C.1.A.4.A. ~~(S//REL)~~ AS REQUESTED, USCENTCOM WILL SUPPORT OSD POLICY BY PROVIDING THE TOTAL NUMBERS OF BASELINE FORCES, TEF, CHIEF OF MISSION (AS DESCRIBED IN SUBPARAGRAPH 3.C.1.C.1.), DOD CIVILIAN, AND DOD CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL IN IRAQ AND SYRIA.

3.C.1.A.5. ~~(S//REL)~~ IAW CJCSM 3130.06B, "GLOBAL FORCE MANAGEMENT ALLOCATION POLICIES AND PROCEDURES," THE TRANSITION OF FORCES FROM OIR TO OPERATION RESOLUTE SUPPORT/OPERATION FREEDOM'S SENTINEL (RS/OFS) WILL BE MANAGED AS A CHANGE TO A JOINT STAFF-VALIDATED EXISTING FORCE TRACKING NUMBER (FTN).

3.C.1.A.5.A. ~~(S//REL)~~ PRIOR TO TRANSITIONING BASELINE FORCES OR TEF FORCES FROM OIR TO RS/OFS, CDRUSCENTCOM WILL SUBMIT AN REF MOD TO AN APPROVED FTN FOR APPROVAL.

3.C.1.B. ~~(S//REL)~~ BASELINE FORCE AND TEF MANAGEMENT.

3.C.1.B.1. ~~(S//REL)~~ BASELINE FORCES: CDRUSCENTCOM'S ASSESSMENT OF FORCES REQUIRED FOR THE DURATION OF A SPECIFIC PHASE OF OPERATIONS.

3.C.1.B.1.A. ~~(S//REL)~~ THE APPROVED BASELINE FORCE IN IRAQ FOR OIR PHASE III IS (b) (1)

3.C.1.B.1.B. ~~(S//REL)~~ THE APPROVED BASELINE FORCE IN SYRIA FOR OIR PHASE III IS (b) (1)

3.C.1.B.1.C. ~~(S//REL)~~ NLT 45 DAYS PRIOR TO THE TRANSITION TO OIR PHASE IV, CDRUSCENTCOM WILL SUBMIT A CONOPS, NARRATIVE, AND EXECUTIVE SUMMARY THAT INCLUDES:

3.C.1.B.1.C.1. ~~(S//REL)~~ ANTICIPATED BASING LOCATIONS.

3.C.1.B.1.C.2. ~~(S//REL)~~ NUMBER OF U.S. MILITARY PERSONNEL ANTICIPATED.

3.C.1.B.1.C.3. ~~(S//REL)~~ ADDITIONAL REQUIRED AUTHORITIES.

3.C.1.B.1.C.4. ~~(S//REL)~~ PROPOSED HEADQUARTERS AND C2 CONSTRUCT.

3.C.1.B.1.C.5. ~~(S//REL)~~ COALITION CONTRIBUTION PLAN.

3.C.1.B.2. ~~(S//REL)~~ TEF: FORCES REQUIRED FOR SHORTER-DURATION MISSIONS - TO VARY BASED ON OPERATIONAL CONDITIONS - THAT USCENTCOM

ASSESSSES ARE NOT NECESSARILY REQUIRED FOR THE DURATION OF OIR PHASE III.

3.C.1.B.2.A. ~~(S//REL)~~ ADDITIONAL FORCES ALLOCATED TO USCENTCOM FOR TEF MISSIONS WILL BE APPROVED BY SECDEF VIA THE RFF AND SDOB PROCESS AND INCLUDE A SPECIFIED MISSION AND DURATION.

3.C.1.B.2.A.1. ~~(S//REL)~~ (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

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3.C.1.B.2.B. ~~(S//REL)~~ CDRUSCENTCOM HAS THE AUTHORITY TO ADD TEF TO OIR FROM FORCES ALREADY ALLOCATED TO USCENTCOM. THESE FORCES WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE WEEKLY PROJECTION REPORTS REQUIRED BY SUBPARAGRAPH 3.C.1.D. THIS AUTHORITY IS FURTHER DELEGABLE TO CDR CJTF-OIR.

3.C.1.C. ~~(S//REL)~~ ALL ROTATIONAL AND EMERGENT FORCES, INCLUDING JOINT MANNING DOCUMENT (JMD) PERSONNEL IN OIR IN IRAQ AND SYRIA, ARE ACCOUNTED FOR UNDER BASELINE FORCE AND TEF ACCOUNTING EXCEPT:

3.C.1.C.1. ~~(S//REL)~~ U.S. FORCES THAT FALL UNDER THE FULL RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CHIEF OF MISSION (E.G., OFFICE OF SECURITY COOPERATION-IRAQ AND U.S. EMBASSY-BAGHDAD STAFF).

3.C.1.C.2. ~~(S//REL)~~ U.S. FORCES IN IRAQ WHO ARE IN A LEAVE STATUS DURING A TWELVE-MONTH TOUR.

3.C.1.C.3. ~~(S//REL)~~ USG CIVILIANS AND CONTRACTORS.

3.C.1.C.4. ~~(S//REL)~~ NON-U.S. FORCES.

3.C.1.D. (U) USCENTCOM WILL REPORT FORCE PROJECTION NUMBERS FOR OIR ON A WEEKLY BASIS WITH AN "AS OF" TIME OF MONDAY 2200 ZULU. THIS REPORT WILL INCLUDE BOTH THE JOINT PERSONNEL STATUS REPORT, WHICH REPORTS THE TOTAL FORCE NUMBERS, AND THE EXEMPTIONS NOTED IN SUBPARAGRAPH 3.C.1.C. CDRUSCENTCOM WILL SEND THIS REPORT TO THE JS J-1.

3.C.2. Non Responsive Record

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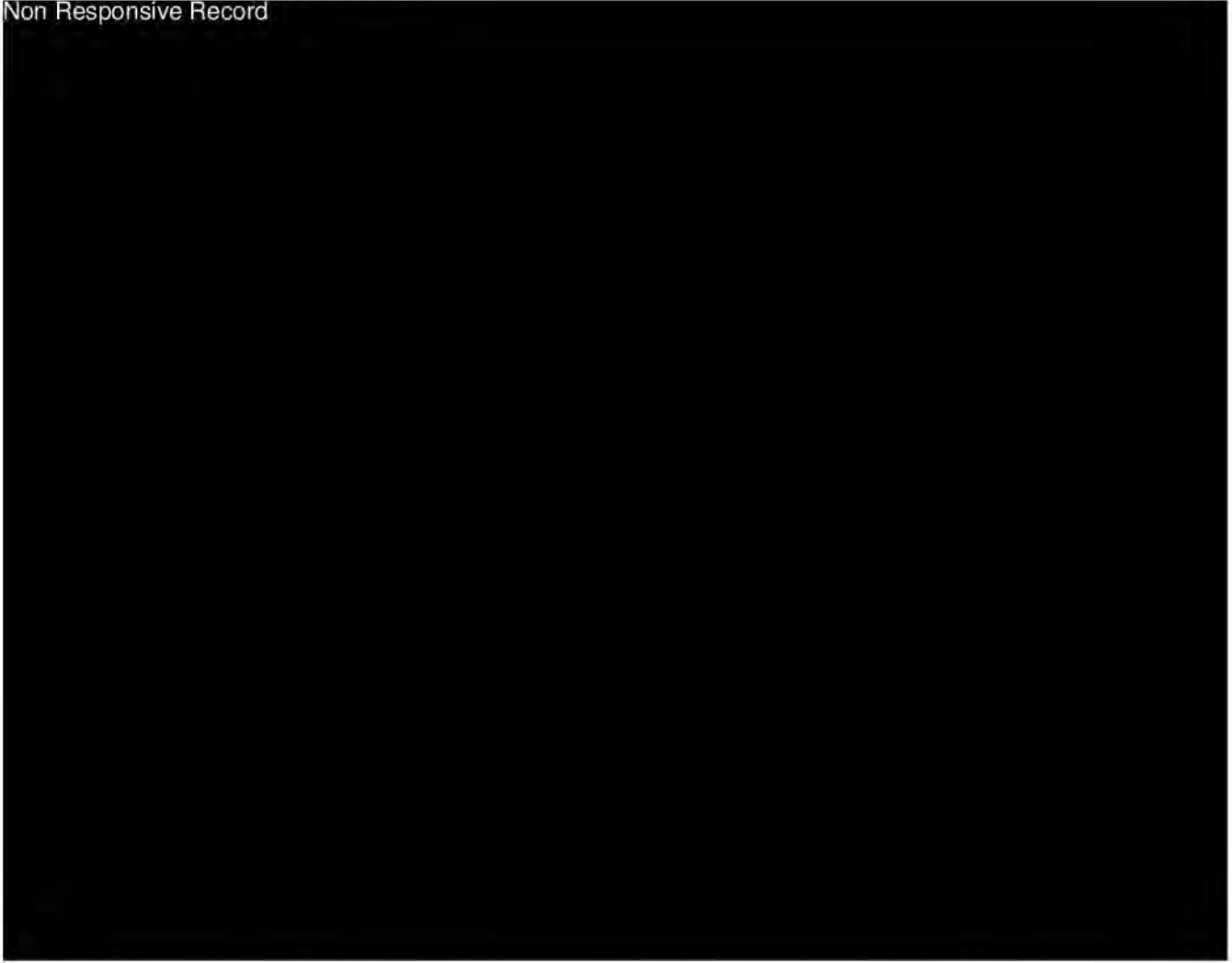
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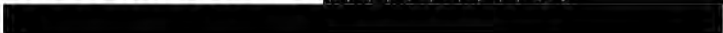
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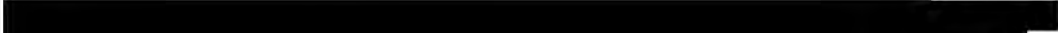
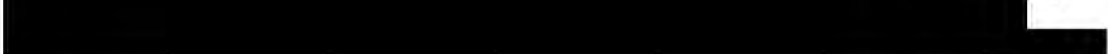
4.E.8. (U) PUBLIC AFFAIRS MAY RELEASE APPROXIMATE FORCE NUMBERS FOR SYRIA AND IRAQ. IAW REF BL, RELEASES CITING APPROXIMATE FORCE NUMBERS WILL BE MADE WITH THE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT THAT CERTAIN SENSITIVE AND TEMPORARY MISSIONS ARE NOT PUBLICLY DISCLOSED AND NOT INCLUDED IN THE RELEASED NUMBERS.

4.E.8.1. (U) THE RELEASABLE APPROXIMATE NUMBER FOR IRAQ IS 5,200.

4.E.8.1.A. (~~S~~//REL) (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) 


4.E.8.2. Non Responsive Record 



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ANNEX B TO EXORD MOD 009: OPERATION FREEDOM'S SENTINEL (OFS)

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ANNEX B - BASELINE FORCES AND TEMPORARY ENABLING FORCES (TEF)
MANAGEMENT METHODOLOGY

1. (~~S//REL~~) ADD. IN AN EFFORT TO IMPROVE OPERATIONAL FLEXIBILITY AND IMPROVE ACCOUNTABILITY, A NEW FORCE MANAGEMENT METHODOLOGY WILL ELIMINATE THE PREVIOUS BOOTS-ON-THE-GROUND (BOG) BUSINESS RULES AND WILL TRANSITION FROM A FORCE MANAGEMENT LEVEL CONSTRUCT TO A BASELINE FORCES AND TEMPORARY ENABLING FORCES (TEF) REPORTING CONSTRUCT.

1.A. (~~S//REL~~) ADD. BASELINE FORCES ARE DEFINED AS THOSE U.S. FORCES NECESSARY FOR OFS STEADY-STATE ACTIVITIES SUPPORTING THE NATO RESOLUTE SUPPORT (RS) TRAIN, ADVISE, AND ASSIST (TAA) AND THE U.S. COUNTER-TERRORISM MISSIONS.

1.A.1. (~~S//REL~~) ADD. UNDER THE NEW ACCOUNTING CONSTRUCT, PREVIOUSLY BOG-EXEMPT FORCES (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

WILL NOW BE REPORTED IN THE BASELINE.

(b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

1.A.2. (~~S//REL~~) ADD. TEMPORARY ENABLING FORCES (TEF) ARE DEFINED AS THOSE FORCES REQUIRED FOR SHORT-DURATION MISSIONS THAT VARY BASED ON OPERATIONAL CONDITIONS, WHICH USCENTCOM ASSESSES WILL NOT BE REQUIRED FOR THE DURATION OF OFS (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

TEF WILL NOT BE LIMITED TO 120-DAY TDY PERSONNEL.

1.A.3 (~~S//REL~~) ADD. BASELINE FORCES AND TEMPORARY ENABLING FORCES WILL EXCLUDE PERSONNEL UNDER CHIEF OF MISSION AUTHORITY, U.S. GOVERNMENT CIVILIAN PERSONNEL, AND CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL.

1.A.4 (~~S//REL~~) ADD. OPERATIONALLY SENSITIVE FORCES (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) ARE NOT CATEGORIZED UNDER BASELINE FORCES OR TEF; HOWEVER, THEY ARE INCLUDED IN THE MONTHLY REPORT TO CONGRESS. (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

1.B. (U) ADD. USCENTCOM WILL REPORT FORCE PROJECTION NUMBERS FOR AFGHANISTAN WEEKLY WITH AN "AS OF" TIME OF MONDAY 2200 ZULU. THIS REPORT WILL INCLUDE BOTH THE JOINT PERSONNEL STATUS REPORT (JPERSTAT) AND BASELINE/TEF OR OPERATIONALLY SENSITIVE CATEGORIZATION. THIS REPORT WILL ACCOMPANY EACH SECRETARY OF DEFENSE ORDERS BOOK (SDOB) TO APPRISE THE SECRETARY OF THE CURRENT FORCE LEVEL IN AFGHANISTAN. THIS REPORT WILL BE SENT TO THE JOINT STAFF J-3 POINTS OF CONTACT IN PARAGRAPH 5 OF THE BASE OFS EXORD.

1.B.1. (S//~~REL~~) ADD. FORCE OVERLAPS INCIDENT TO THE RELIEF IN PLACE/TRANSFER OF AUTHORITY (RIP/TOA) PROCESS WILL BE CONDITIONS-BASED. THESE FORCES WILL BE CATEGORIZED AS TEF.

1.B.2. (S//~~NF~~) ADD. THE SECDEF-AUTHORIZED BASELINE FORCE FOR AFGHANISTAN IS (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D) THE TEF WILL CONTINUE TO VARY BASED ON MISSION REQUIREMENTS AS DETERMINED BY THE CDR USCENCOM.

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~~SECRET REL TO USA/FVEY~~**ANNEX B TO EXORD MOD 010: OPERATION FREEDOM'S SENTINEL (OFS)**

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ANNEX B - FORCE MANAGEMENT METHODOLOGY AND ACCOUNTING

1. (~~S//REL TO USA, FVEY~~) CHANGE TO READ. THE FORCE MANAGEMENT METHODOLOGY DOES NOT USE THE PREVIOUS BOOTS-ON-THE-GROUND (BOG) BUSINESS RULES AND TRANSITIONS FROM A FORCE MANAGEMENT LEVEL CONSTRUCT TO A BASELINE FORCES AND TEMPORARY ENABLING FORCES (TEF) REPORTING CONSTRUCT.

1.A. (~~S//REL TO USA, FVEY~~) NO CHANGE. BASELINE FORCES ARE DEFINED AS THOSE U.S. FORCES NECESSARY FOR OFS STEADY-STATE ACTIVITIES SUPPORTING THE NATO RESOLUTE SUPPORT (RS) TRAIN, ADVISE, AND ASSIST (TAA) AND THE U.S. COUNTER-TERRORISM MISSIONS.

1.A.1. (~~S//REL TO USA, FVEY~~) NO CHANGE. UNDER THE NEW ACCOUNTING CONSTRUCT, PREVIOUSLY BOG-EXEMPT FORCES (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

WILL NOW BE REPORTED IN THE BASELINE.

1.B. (~~S//REL TO USA, FVEY~~) CHANGE TO READ. TEMPORARY ENABLING FORCES (TEF) ARE DEFINED AS THOSE FORCES REQUIRED FOR SHORT-DURATION MISSIONS THAT VARY BASED ON OPERATIONAL CONDITIONS. TEF INCLUDES FORCE LEVEL OVERLAPS INCIDENT TO THE RELIEF IN PLACE/TRANSFER OF AUTHORITY (RIP/TOA) PROCESSES AND MAY INCLUDE FORCES SUCH AS THE THEATER RESPONSE FORCE AND ADDITIONAL AND/OR PERIODIC AVIATION OR OTHER UNIT INCREASES FORMERLY EXEMPTED UNDER THE EXCEPTION FOR FORCES ON SHORT-DURATION TEMPORARY DUTY (TDY).

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1.C (~~S//REL TO USA, FVEY~~) CHANGE TO READ. IAW REF AV, THE SECDEF DIRECTED USCENTCOM TO REMAIN AT OR BELOW A FORCE LEVEL OF (b) (1) MILITARY FORCES IN AFGHANISTAN NLT 01 JUL 2018.

1.C.1 (~~S//REL TO USA, FVEY~~) CHANGE TO READ. THE PRESIDENT HAS APPROVED A MILITARY FORCE LEVEL IN AFGHANISTAN OF (b) (1) U.S. MILITARY FORCES. REQUESTS FOR FORCES IN EXCESS OF (b) (1) MILITARY FORCES REQUIRES SECDEF APPROVAL THROUGH THE SDOB PROCESS.

1.C.2. (~~S//REL TO USA, FVEY~~) CHANGE TO READ. THE MILITARY FORCE LEVEL OF (b) (1) EXCLUDES PERSONNEL UNDER COM AUTHORITY, USG CIVILIAN PERSONNEL, AND CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL.

1.C.3. (~~S//REL TO USA, FVEY~~) CHANGE TO READ. THE MILITARY FORCE LEVEL OF (b) (1) EXCLUDES (b) (1) (A), (b) (1) (D)

THESE PERSONNEL ARE INCLUDED IN QUARTERLY REPORTS TO CONGRESS.

1.C.3.1 (~~S//REL TO USA, FVEY~~) CHANGE TO READ. OPERATIONALLY SENSITIVE FORCES ARE NOMINATED BY CDR USCENTCOM AND APPROVED BY THE SECDEF AS REQUIRED TO MEET OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENTS.

1.C.4. (~~S//REL TO USA, FVEY~~) CHANGE TO READ. FORCE LEVEL OVERLAPS INCIDENT TO THE RIP/TOA PROCESSES WILL BE CONDITIONS-BASED AND MAY TEMPORARILY EXCEED THE (b) (1) (A) MILITARY FORCE LEVEL. THESE RIP/TOA FORCES ARE CLASSIFIED AS TEF AND WILL BE INCLUDED IN QUARTERLY REPORTS TO CONGRESS.

1.D. (U) ADD. USCENTCOM WILL REPORT FORCE PROJECTION NUMBERS FOR AFGHANISTAN WEEKLY WITH AN "AS OF" TIME OF MONDAY 2200 ZULU. THIS REPORT WILL ACCOMPANY EACH SDOB TO APPOSE THE SECRETARY OF THE CURRENT FORCE LEVEL IN AFGHANISTAN. THIS REPORT WILL BE SENT TO THE JOINT STAFF J-3 POINTS OF CONTACT IN PARAGRAPH 5 OF THE BASE OFS EXORD.

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