

APPENDIX F

Sample Operations Plan with Annexes

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OPLAN 1234

References:

- a. Map, series 1501, sheets NM 32-5 (FRANKFURT), edition 2, NM 32-8 (MANNHEIM), edition 3, 1:50,000 scale.
- b. 2d FSB Tactical SOP
- c. DISCOM OPLAN 2987
- d. 2d Bde OPLAN 222
- e. 2d DISCOM Tactical SOP
- f. 2d Bde Tactical SOP

Time Zone Used Throughout the Plan: ZULU

Task Organization:

HHD/2d FSB
A/2d FSB (+)
 Water team/A/132 MSB (attached)
 DAO rep/2d DISCOM
B/2d FSB
C/2d FSB (+)
 Amb team/F/132 MSB (attached)
Sig team/B/2d Sig Bn (attached)

1. SITUATION

a. Enemy Forces.

(1) 2d Bde is opposed by two tank bn, estimated to be at 95 percent strength. These ground forces are supported by a helicopter company and an artillery battery which is capable of mass artillery barrages within a 10-mile radius and attack helicopter strikes within 20 miles. Intelligence indicates that the full range of radio electronic combat elements will be employed to gather intelligence and to degrade the effectiveness of friendly command and control nets. The OPFOR has the ability to deliver nuclear weapons and chemical agents into the BSA. Intelligence also indicates that OPFOR will employ TACAIR, airborne/airmobile regular army units, and local guerrilla units in the BSA to disrupt or destroy CSS operations.

(2) See current INTSUM.

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b. Friendly Forces. 2d Bde attacks 120500 June through elements of the 1st and 2d OPFOR Tank Bn with two bn abreast. TF 3-25 on the left conducts main attack; TF 3-81 on the right conducts supporting attack. TF 3-3 follows in zone of TF 3-25. Bde secures FREISING (QU0364) and MOOSBURG (QU1773) and prepares to continue attack on to south and southwest on order.

c. Attachments and Detachments. See task organization.

d. Assumptions.

- (1) 2d FSB will be in place and prepared to support 2d Bde.
- (2) There will be air parity.
- (3) DISCOM OPLAN 2987 will be implemented.
- (4) 2d Bde OPLAN 222 will be implemented.

(5) Both threat and friendly forces are capable of initiating nuclear or chemical warfare, limited or full scale, in any combination.

2. MISSION. 2d FSB moves to, occupies, and defends BSA vicinity OBERDINGEN (QU 143635) and conducts direct support supply, maintenance, and health services operations in support of units in the 2d Bde sector.

3. EXECUTION.

a. Concept of Operations. 2d FSB and other BSA units move in seven serials to a brigade support area vicinity OBERDINGEN, establish a base cluster defense, and begin support operations no later than 5 hours after last unit clears the release point. 2d FSB supports 2d Bde by initially deploying AXPs forward in sector and an MCP vicinity Hill 760. Based on TF forecasts, 2d FSB prepares to push class III to LRPs 29 and 36. 2d FSB in coordination with 2d DISCOM DAO will coordinate for forward delivery by XX Corps of 2d Bde's CSR for 105-mm main gun, TOW, and 155-mm howitzer ammunition at LZ COSTA and LZ BLAKE. 2d FSB will be prepared to deploy additional assets to LRPs 25 and 59 in support of continued offensive operations.

- (1) Operations Overlay. Annex A.
- (2) Road Movement. Annex B.
- (3) Service Support. Annex C.
- (4) Rear Operations. Annex D.

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b. Commander's Intent. I intend to provide flexible and responsive logistics and medical support to 2d Bde's offensive operation by rapid mission analysis to determine support requirements as the battle progresses, rapidly configuring forward support elements and deploying them forward to enhance the brigade commander's tactical options. I want to project support as far forward as prudent while still retaining the BSA's capability to defend itself. I intend to defend the BSA by maximizing passive defensive measures and vigilance at all LPs/OPs and checkpoints and by increasing local and MSR patrolling. We will continue night resupply and repositioning to reduce enemy observation of our activities. If attacked, we will bring to bear the full force of coordinated artillery and aviation fires to defeat the enemy before he can threaten the BSA.

c. Company A.

- (1) Be prepared to move ATP forward on order.
- (2) Provide security for HHD.

d. Company B.

- (1) Be prepared to provide maintenance support team to 3d FSB on order.
- (2) Be prepared to receive additional reinforcing tracked vehicle maintenance teams from 132 MSB.

e. Company C.

- (1) Be prepared to reconstitute one ambulance team for 3d FSB on order.
- (2) Be prepared to reconstitute the TF 3-25 aid station on order.

f. Coordinating Instructions.

- (1) This OPLAN is effective for planning on receipt and implementation on order.
- (2) MOPP-1 is in effect.
- (3) Each company will send a perimeter security sector sketch to the CP no later than RP+5. Acknowledge completion of security plan rehearsal.

4. SERVICE SUPPORT. Support to FSB elements provided in accordance with SOP.

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5. COMMAND AND SIGNAL.

a. Command.

- (1) FSB CP located in vicinity of MA 779705.
- (2) Alternate CP is Company A in vicinity of NM 797770.

b. Signal.

- (1) Current SOI is in effect.
- (2) FM radio traffic is minimized until lifted by FSB commander.

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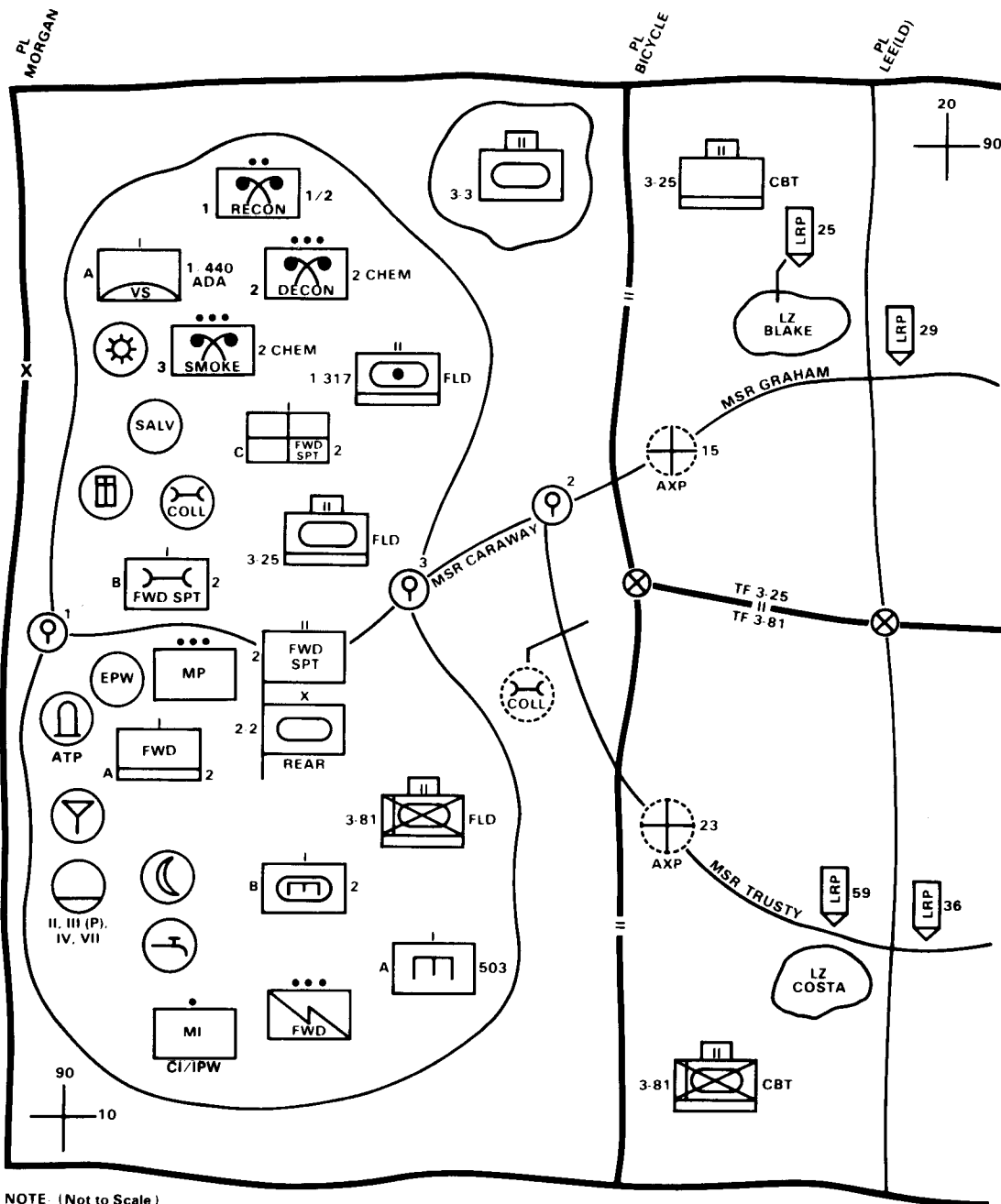
Annexes:

- A. Operations Overlay
- B. Road Movement
- C. Service Support
- D. Rear Operations

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ANNEX A (OPERATIONS OVERLAY) to OPLAN 1234--2d FSB



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ANNEX B (ROAD MOVEMENT) to OPLAN 1234--2d FSB

References:

a. Map Series 1501 sheets NM35-2 (FRANKFURT) edition 2, NM32-8 (MANNHEIM), edition 3, 1:250,000 scale.

b. 2d FSB Tactical SOP

c. DISCOM OPLAN 2987

d. 2d Bde OPLAN 222

1. SITUATION.

a. Enemy Forces. The enemy can conduct road interdiction through mining and demolition along the entire route. However, the enemy is expected to limit its interdictions to specific military objectives in ambush attacks. The enemy is capable of simultaneous and multiple convoy ambushes at critical areas. However, this is unlikely because of the restriction on convoy movement within the BSA.

b. Friendly Forces.

(1) BSA units move night of 21-22 June 19XX to assembly area in vicinity of GRAFTON (UV6302).

(2) 227th Aviation Company provides aerial observation and CAS.

(3) Battery B, 317th Artillery provides artillery support, as required.

(4) Company C, 2d FSB provides en route medical support.

(5) TMT Co, 132 MSB, provides transportation support, as required.

2. MISSION. 2d FSB moves beginning 210300 June 19XX to a new AO to support 2d Bde tactical mission.

3. EXECUTION.

a. Concept of Operations. FSB and other BSA units conduct a tactical road march in seven serials over two routes to a new AO. First serial crosses SP 210300 June and last serial crosses RP 210516 June.

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b. Convoy Organization.

- (1) Serial 1: Advance/Quartering Party
- (2) Serial 2: Company A (-), Company C (-), and HHD (-)
- (3) Serial 3: Company B (-)
- (4) Serial 4: Inf Bn Field Trains
- (5) Serial 5: Armor Bn Field Trains
- (6) Serial 6: Company A (-) and Company C (-)
- (7) Serial 7: Company B (-) and HHD (-)

c. Tasks to Subordinate Units.

- (1) Company C provides medical support along route.
- (2) Company B provides recovery support along route.
- (3) Company A provides fuel support along route.

d. Checkpoints.

<u>CHECKPOINTS</u>	<u>COORDINATES</u>	<u>KILOMETERS BETWEEN CHECKPOINTS</u>
SP	721642	9.8
40	711121	2.4
12	701243	2.3
93	693240	2.1
77	695179	2.1
RP	711234	1.9

e. Coordinating Instructions.

- (1) Advance/quartering party assembles at bn dismount point 210200 June.
- (2) Formation: Close column.
- (3) Time Gap: 15 minutes between serials.
- (4) Appendix A, Road Movement Table.
- (5) Appendix B, Route Overlay.

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4. SERVICE SUPPORT.

a. Traffic Control.

(1) Quartering party will drop 2-man traffic control teams at Critical Points 1, 2, and 4.

(2) MPs will be responsible for traffic control point at Blue River and in the town of Manndich.

b. Recovery.

(1) Units will recover organic vehicles that break down along the route.

(2) Company B trail serial will recover all vehicles beyond capabilities of owning units.

c. Medical.

(1) Company C will provide ground medical evacuation services.

(2) Aeromedical evacuation procedures. See Medical Annex, Tactical SOP.

5. COMMAND AND SIGNAL.

a. Command.

(1) Jump CP moves with Serial 2.

(2) CP opening, closing times, and locations to be announced.

b. Signal.

(1) SOI Index 1-12 is in effect.

(2) Listening silence is effective 211300 Jan.

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Appendixes:

- A. Road Movement Table
- B. Route Overlay

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APPENDIX A (ROAD MOVEMENT TABLE) to ANNEX B, OPLAN 1234--2d FSB

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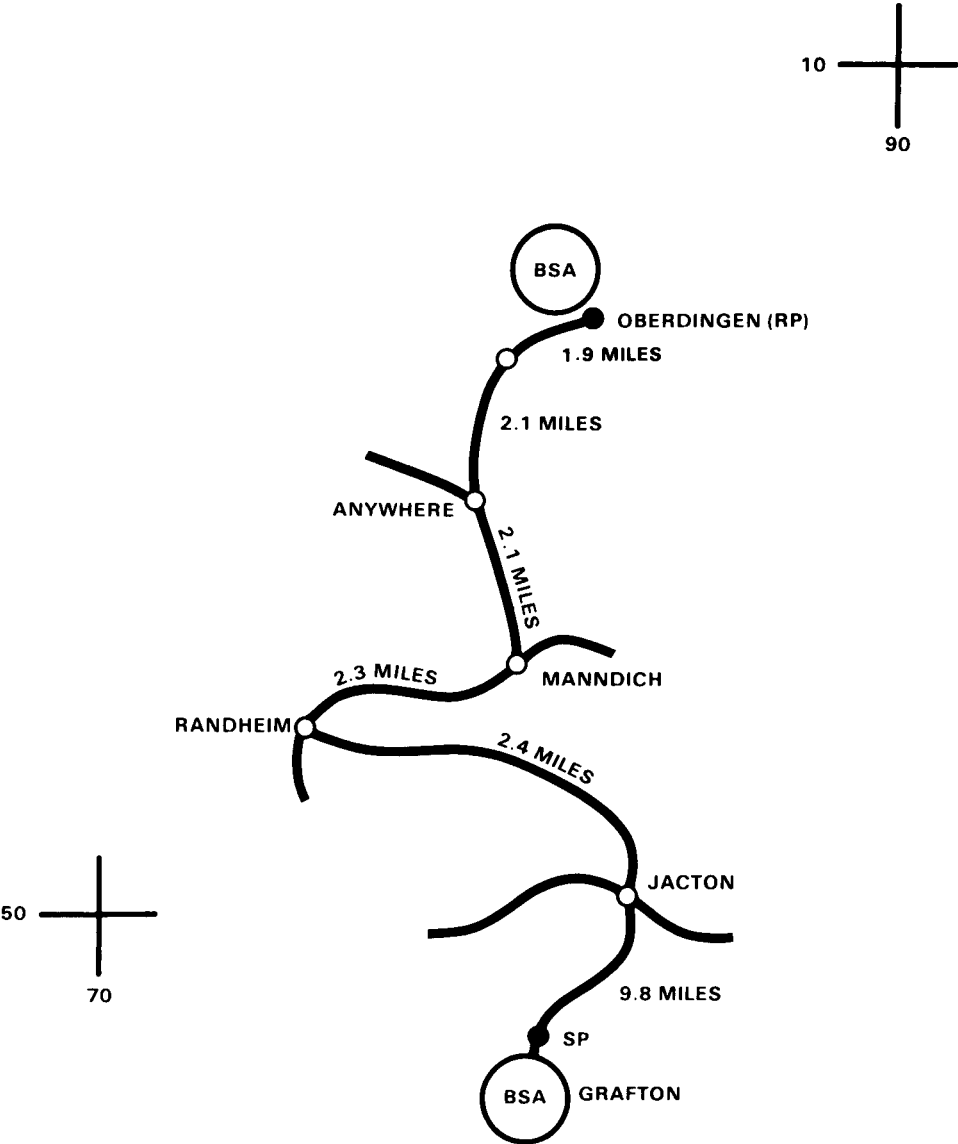
1. Average Speed:
2. Traffic Density:
3. Halts:
4. Critical Points:
 - a. SP:
 - b. RP:
 - c. Other Critical Points:
 - d. Route Classification:
 - e. Route Restrictions:
5. Main Route to SP:
6. Main Route to RP:

<u>March</u> <u>Unit</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>No of</u> <u>Vehicles</u>	<u>Class of</u> <u>Vehicles</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Route</u>	<u>Critical</u> <u>Points</u>

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ANNEX C (SERVICE SUPPORT) to OPLAN 1234--2d FSB

1. GENERAL. This annex provides the support plan for 2d Bde units and units supporting the 2d Bde. CSS will be provided/coordinated through the FSB staff and the Bde S1 and S4. BSA installations open not later than 120500 June. Appendix 1 (Service Support Overlay).

2. MATERIEL AND SERVICES.a. Supply.

(1) Class I. A/2d FSB will operate a class I supply point in the BSA for 2d Bde and its supporting units.

(a) Supply point distribution for all units supported from the BSA on 12 June only.

(b) All units maintain two rations in reserve during period 12 to 15 June inclusive.

(2) Water. The water team attached from 132 MSB will operate the water point.

(3) Class II, III (pkg), III (bulk).

(a) Class II and III (pkg). Supply point distribution will be from A/2d FSB.

(b) Class III (bulk). Supply point distribution will be from any class III supply point. A/2d FSB, will deliver to bde trains area and be prepared to push bulk fuel to LRPs 29 and 59. The Bde S4 will provide allocations when required.

(4) Class IV.

(a) Supply point distribution will be used. Selected class IV materiel will be issued by A/132 MSB.

(b) Class IV priorities to TF 3-25 on arrival objective area.

(c) The following controlled items will be requested through command channels: Culvert, nestable, 60 feet; and lumber, softwood, 2x4.

(d) No barrier/fortification materiel will be available at the BSA until 150012 June.

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(5) Class V.

(a) ATP will be operated by A/2d FSB, beginning 120700 June.

(b) Controlled supply rates for items in critical shortage as listed below. For all other items CSR will equal the required supply rate.

<u>DODAC</u>	<u>NOMENCLATURE</u>	<u>RDS/WPN</u>
1310-B568	Ctg, 40-mm, HE	8 rds/wpn
1315-C704	Ctg, 4.2-in, HE	115 wpn

(c) Units will maintain basic loads.

(6) Class VII.

(a) Class VII will not be stocked by 2d FSB.

(b) Class VII is provided through A/2d FSB.

(c) Requests to fill shortages will be submitted to Bde S4 citing MTOE authority. Battle loss replacements will be requested by submitting Daily Battle Loss Report according to tactical SOP. The Bde S4 will forward request to the FSB.

(d) The following items are command controlled:

<u>NOMENCLATURE</u>	<u>LIN</u>
Mortar, M30, M24A1	L45740
M818, 5-ton trkd	X59326

(7) Class VIII. C/2d FSB provides class VIII support.

(8) Class IX.

(a) B/2d FSB provides repair parts.

(b) Stockage objective: DS--10 days of ASL items.

(c) Critical shortages exist for the following items:

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- o Bradley fighting vehicle--engines
- o Howitzer, 155-mm--tubes

(d) Unserviceable end items and major assemblies will be evacuated to the B/2d FSB collection points. Controlled exchange may be performed at the discretion of the supported unit as prescribed by the bde commander.

(9) Class X. Civil relief supply requirements will be approved by division G5 and DISCOM and coordinated through the FSB.

(10) Air resupply. Appendix 3.

(11) Maps. Maps are provided by A/2d FSB.

(12) Captured enemy materiel. Materiel will be reported to Bde S2 for disposition instructions. Enemy rations and medical supplies will not be used or consumed by bde or BSA personnel.

(13) Excess supplies. All units will report excess supplies through supply channels to the FSB for disposition instructions.

b. Transportation.

(1) All MSRs are two-way.

(2) Ten or more vehicles dispatched to the same destination from one point of origin constitutes a convoy.

(3) Units coordinate convoy movements with the Bde S4 or FSB CP.

c. Services.

(1) Supported units will evacuate remains to the nearest GRREG collection point. The BSA collection point will be operated by A/2d FSB until division and corps assets arrive in the BSA.

(a) Army cemeteries will not be established.

(b) Concurrent return program is in effect.

(c) Isolated or mass burials are not authorized unless approved by the division commander. In emergencies, commanders may request such burials through command channels. When burials are authorized, units will report number of remains, identities (by nationality, sex, age, and name, if possible), and causes of deaths to the Bde S1 or GRREG point within 48 hours of burial.

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(2) Clothing exchange and bath services will be coordinated by Bde S4 with the FSB.

d. Maintenance.

(1) Maintenance collection points will be established in the BSA by B/2d FSB.

(2) Priority of maintenance is to TF 3-25.

(3) Repair time limits: 48 hours.

(4) The user is responsible for recovering damaged equipment to unit maintenance collection point. Damage assessment is done initially at the unit. Repair or further recovery is the unit's responsibility.

(5) B/2d FSB can provide limited recovery and evacuation assistance.

(6) Damaged equipment that requires DS maintenance or higher level maintenance and cannot be recovered by the unit will be reported through the Bde S4 to the FSB.

(7) The FSB coordinates with the 2d DISCOM MCO for heavy equipment to move tracked vehicles from designated collection points to the 132 MSB maintenance facility.

3. MEDICAL EVACUATION AND TREATMENT.

a. Evacuation.

(1) Holding policy is 72 hours.

(2) Primary means of evacuation is ground ambulance.

(3) Preferred means of evacuation is air ambulance.

b. Medical Support.

(1) Medical support will be established in each maneuver bn area and the BSA.

(2) Bde units will receive medical support from C/2d FSB.

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4. PERSONNEL.

a. Maintenance of Unit Strength. Replacements will be assigned to units based upon priorities of the commander.

b. Personnel Management.

(1) Bde evacuates EPWs to division collection points. EPWs from an NBC environment will be reported immediately to the bde or FSB command channels.

(2) Bde HQ will retain US military prisoners until sentences are approved.

c. Development and Maintenance of Morale.

(1) Postal, personnel/administrative, and finance services are provided to bde by corps teams.

(2) Legal services will be requested through S1 channels.

(3) Commanders will give special attention to the problems of illegal sale and bartering of military supplies and equipment. Incidents will be reported to appropriate criminal investigation or MP unit.

(4) Claims by indigenous personnel will be reported through Bde S1 channels.

5. CIVIL-MILITARY OPERATIONS.

a. Division G5 provides civil affairs support.

b. 288th PSYOPS Co provides PSYOPS support.

c. All civil affairs and PSYOPS activities will be coordinated through bde civil-military officer.

6. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. Subordinate units submit Battle Loss Report twice each day to the bde and FSB headquarters. Reporting periods are 0001 to 1200, due NLT 1400; 1201-2400, due NLT 0400 the following day.

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b. Bde chaplain is located at the bde CP and FSB chaplain is located at the FSB CP effective 120800 June. The bde UMT executes the bde religious support plan. It coordinates religious support between maneuver bn UMTs and div UMT. It also provides direct religious support to casualties in the BSA, US military prisoners, and detained personnel. The FSB UMT provides religious support to FSB personnel and casualties at collection points. It also responds to general religious support requirements identified by bde UMT.

c. For all reports, see Reports SOP.

d. Bde rear boundary is army light line.

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Appendixes: 1--Service Support Overlay (omitted)
2--Air Resupply (omitted)

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ANNEX D (REAR OPERATIONS) to OPLAN 1234--2d FSB

1. SITUATION. See OPLAN 1234--2d FSB.
2. MISSION. 2d FSB conducts rear operations to prevent interruptions of or promptly restore CS and CSS functions throughout the BSA.
3. EXECUTION.

a. Concept of Operations. With rear security operations as a primary consideration, units in the BSA will set up individual bases. The FSB commander is the commander of the BSA base cluster. He will set up the base cluster operations center and ensure it operates on a 24-hour basis. Base commanders are responsible for their own base defense and base damage control. The base cluster commander will coordinate and supervise base defense for bases within the cluster. Under direction of the Bde S3, supporting MPs will respond to bases under Level II threat. The Bde S3 will request the commitment of the 2d Div reaction force if a Level III threat occurs in the BSA. Bde or DISCOM commander will determine commitment of MPs or the 2d Div reaction force. Any rear operations liaison or technical support provided by division or corps will be collocated with the BCOC.

b. Base Cluster Operations Center/CP. The BCOC has the following responsibilities:

- (1) Coordinate and supervise protection against Level I threat.
- (2) Plan for and coordinate response to Level II and III threats.
- (3) Request fire support/TACAIR.
- (4) Request ADC support.

c. 2d Brigade S2 and S3. The Bde S2 and S3 have the following responsibilities:

- (1) Disseminate tactical information to BSA BCOC.
- (2) Forward request for assistance from FSB.
- (3) Forward priority communications from FSB.

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(4) Assist BCOC in setting up base defenses, on request.

(5) Monitor base defense preparations.

d. Coordinating Instructions.

(1) Individual units within the base cluster will report all observed enemy acts and locally gathered intelligence data to the BCOC.

(2) No barrier and denial operations will be conducted without the approval of the BSA BCOC.

4. SERVICE SUPPORT. See Annex C.

5. COMMAND AND SIGNAL. Command of rear operations in the BSA is directed by BSA BCOC (MA676988). Current SOI are in effect.

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