Surface Deployment & Distribution Command

The Road Ahead

Providing End-To-End Deployment/Distribution Support

NDIA Panel: Distribution Challenges and Initiatives

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OBJECTIVES

- SIMPLIFY Deployment for Military Units
- EMPOWER E2E Distribution Process
- LEVERAGE Commercial Capabilities
- MIGRATE to Common C2 Platforms, Systems & Processes
OIF/OEF Container Detention Costs

Situation:
$10-15 Million/Month & Poor On-Hand Visibility

- How & Why Did We Get Here
- How Do We Fix It

No Easy Fix
Pre-War Container Business Process

Key Points:
- Fixed Facilities/Mature Process
- Locally Managed/Centrally Paid
- Containers = Trans Assets

Wartime Container Business Process

Key Points:
- Fixed Facilities Overwhelmed
- Insufficient Military Containers
- No Local Mgmt/Visibility Lost
- Containers = Trans/Storage/Protection Assets
**Tomorrow’s Container Business Process**

- **Key Points:**
  - End to End Container Management Structure
  - End to End Visibility
  - End to End C2 Tools
  - End to End Accountability

- **Assigned Accountability**

- **Inattention**

- **Force Protection**

- **Office**

- **Storage**
CME = Cont Mgmt ELE
DSE = Deployment SPT ELE
MCB = Movement Control BN
MCT = Movement Control Team
CONTAINER MANAGEMENT TASKS
AS OF 15 FEB 05

- All Containers RF Tagged at SPOD
  - Establish Container Content Database (Concept to Fielding 95 Days $400K)
  - Enforce Shipper/Carrier Electronic Documentation (“Do Not Lift” Policy)
  - Equip & Certify SPOD Contractors (Contracts Initiated)

- No Carrier Containers North of Tallil
  - Contractor Cross-Load En-route (10-20 Minutes & $200 per box)
  - Military Cross-Load at Tallil (Not Pretty; Govt Owned containers still in short supply)

End-to-End Management
- Train, Equip & Field SWA Container Management Teams
- Test and Document Joint Distribution procedures at designated nodes in Iraq. (Coordination with CFLCC, MNC-I, II MEF, 1st COSCOM)
- Develop an Army capability to complement USAF Contingency Response Groups and provide initial intermodal platform mgnt and movement control (Ongoing)

Container Management
- USTC-Army MOA (Funding, Accountability and Disposition) (NLT 2 May 05)
- Implement Contingency Clauses in USC 05 (Ongoing)
- Transition Plan to 4PL (a la Global POV; Discussions Initiated; Long-Range)