



# Office of Counterterrorism & Special Missions



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# Overview



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# Location & Organization



## ➤ Location.

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## ➤ Organization.

- Office of Counterterrorism & Special Missions.
  - Member of the Joint Service Small Arms Program (JSSAP).
- Organization Staffing.
  - Captain Stephen Austin (Office Chief).
  - Commander Aaron Davenport (Division Chief).
  - Lieutenant John Strasburg (Small Arms Program Manager).
- Liaison Positions.
  - Small Arms Repair Facility at NSWC Crane, Indiana.
  - Liaison to the Naval Operational Logistics Support Center (NOLSC) Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania.



# Handgun Replacement Project



## ➤ SIGARMS P229R-DAK is Replacing the M9 Beretta.

- Officially began 07 Oct 05.
  - Sector Delaware Bay was the first unit to completely transition.
  - Well received by the field.

## ➤ Type classification – NSWC Crane Division.

- .40 caliber (frangible, JHP, & Ball).
- 5 year Indefinite Delivery/Indefinite Quantity (IDIQ) contract anticipated.





# Disabling Fire Weapon



- **Transition from a Bolt Action to a Semi-Auto Rifle.**
  - RC-50 Robar – Is CG’s current DFW.
  - M107 Barrett – potential.
- **M107 is being Operationally Tested and Evaluated, because it meets many of the internally derived requirements.**
- **Non-operational training & evaluation with M107 was satisfactory.**
- **Green light to employ “limited” operational.**





# Urgent Requirements



- **7.62mm lethal ammunition with a reduced range for use in constricted waterways.**
- **“Flash bang” type device used in potentially explosive environment (intrinsically safe).**



# Coast Guard Small Arms



M14 T (Tactical)



P229R-DAK



M4



M107