“OVERVIEW OF THE CHILEAN DEFENSE POLICY AND CHILEAN ARMY”

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CHILEAN DEFENSE POLICY

- THREE BOOKS ON THE NATIONAL DEFENSE (1997-2003-2010) GROWING REGIONAL TRANSPARENCY.

- IT'S A STATE AND PUBLIC POLICY.

- DEFINE ALL NATIONAL SECURITY AND DEFENSE OBJECTIVES.

- GUIDANCE FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE ARMED FORCES.

- COORDINATE OTHER STATE ACTORS.

- DETERMINE PRIORITIES FOR INVESTMENT OF MONETARY RESOURCES.
OVERVIEW OF THE CHILEAN ARMY
CHILEAN ARMY'S AXIS OF ACTIONS

DEFENSE

INTERNATIONAL SECURITY & COOPERATION

ARMY SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

CHILEAN ARMY
“AN ARMY PREPARED FOR COMBAT, EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT IN DETERRENCE ALSO IN THE INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AND IN THE CONFLICT. POLYVALENT, INTER-OPERATIVE AND SUSTAINABLE. WITH A FAIR MANAGEMENT CAPACITY, FUNCTIONAL AND WELL APPRECIATED BY THE CHILEAN SOCIETY.”
STRATEGIC ROLES FROM ARMY’S VISION

- Reduction of threats
- Enhance national power
- Strengthen of the joint action
- Maintain the peace

International presence
Support deterrence
Participation in peace ops.
Regional and local integration

Integration of the territory
Direct contributions for the development
Participation in science and technology

STRATEGIC CAPACITIES

Collaboration capacity
National development
International cooperation
Unity and social cohesion

Institutional capacity

- Contribution to social integration
- Permanent presence throughout the territory
- Support in emergencies and natural disasters
- Traditions, values, historical heritage
TRANFORMATION OF THE ARMY

CULTURAL CHANGES

TECHNOLOGY

OPERATIONAL DOCTRINE

TRANSFORMATIONS COMPONENTS

PROCESSES AND MANAGEMENT

MORE EFFICIENT STRUCTURE
ADDITIONALLY IMPROVE NATURAL DISATERS CAPABILITIES
• DEMINING IN CONTINENTAL TERRITORY NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN AREAS
• PART OF DEMINING MISSION ECUADOR – PERU SPONSORED BY OAS (MARMINAS)
SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH COOPERATION ALONG WITH THE
CHILEAN ANTARTIC INSTITUTE

CHILEAN ANTARTIC MILITARY PRESENCE FROM 1947
“BASE GENERAL BERNARDO O’HIGGINS”
MILITARY ENGINEERING POLICY
IN SUPPORT OF NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

• CONSTRUCTION OF ROADS AND BRIDGES IN ISOLATED AREAS OF THE NATIONAL TERRITORY
• 175,000 KM² (67,570 ML²) CONNECTED BY LAND ROAD
EARTHQUAKE AND TSUNAMI IN CHILE 27 FEB. 2010
ARMY’S RESPONSE TO THE EARTHQUAKE OF FEBRUARY 2010

4,602,139 Military troops deployment working hours

67,370 Emergency housing

411,966 m³ Removing rubbish

26,640 Search and recovery victims of tsunami

19,256 Hiring civilians for working

Deployment along 117 counties
ARMY’S RESPONSE TO THE EARTHQUAKE OF FEBRUARY 2010

10,000
Number of Troops deployed

5,704
Tons of shipment delivered

1,540,608
Litres of waters delivered

5
Field Medical Post

7,035
Medical visits

2,969 Surgeries

304
Children born in Military Medical Facilities
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• CONFIDENCE - BUILDING MEASURES.

• CO-OPERATION AND INTEGRATION:
  - Peacekeeping Operations.
  - Humanitarian Aid Operations.
  - Bilateral Army Exercises.
ARMY’S INTERNATIONAL POLICY

REGIONAL

• INTEGRATION AND COOPERATION STRENGTHEN
• DEVELOPMENT, TRAINING AND PARTICIPATION IN MULTINATIONAL ACTIVITIES:
  Peacekeeping Operations, Humanitarian Aid Operations, Bilateral Army Exercises
INTEGRATION AND COOPERATION STRENGTHEN

ARMS SYSTEMS, TECHNOLOGY, EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE, EXCHANGE AND PURCHASE

MILITARY TRAINING AND INSTRUCTION

DEVELOPMENT AND PARTICIPATION IN MULTINATIONAL ACTIVITIES:
PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS, HUMANITARIAN AID OPERATIONS, BILATERAL ARMY EXERCISES
PRINCIPLES OF PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS

- Peacekeeping Operations must be according to the United Nations Resolution.
- Chile does not provide forces for the unilateral action.
- Chile decides participation on a case by case scenario.
- Unified Command and Control of the Forces.
- Multinational Composition Force.
NEW YORK
Defense Attaché to the DPKO-UN

MIDDLE EAST (UNTSO)
Since 1967

BOSNIA – HERZEGOVINA
UNMBIH 1997 – 2002
OTAN / SFOR 2003 – 2004
EUFOR – ALTHEA since 2005

HAITÍ (MINUSTAH)
505 Military
15 Police

CHILE

CYPRUS (UNFICYP)
Since 2001

INDIA - PAKISTAN
UNMOGIP Since 1949
UNIPOM 1965 – 1966

TOTAL: 550
CHILEAN ARMY TROOPS DEPLOYED IN MINUSTAH (HAITI)

FORCE COMMANDER

MINUSTAH-HQ

CHILE Battalion: 355

Eng. Coy: 87

Aviation Unit: 56

POLICE COMMISSIONER

POLICE

TOTAL: 519

• Chilean participation since 2004
COMBINED PKO FORCE
CHILE - ARGENTINA

As from October 2000

LAND COMPONENT
900 TROOPS

NAVAL COMPONENT
600 TROOPS

AIR COMPONENT
120 TROOPS

As from October 2000
U.S. AND CHILEAN ARMIES RELATIONSHIP

- PERMANENT STAFF BILATERAL MEETINGS SCHEDULED (USSCOM - USAARSO)
- PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT WITH TEXAS NATIONAL GUARD.
- PAMS (USARPAC/CHILEAN ARMY) ANNUAL CONFERENCE SANTIAGO DE CHILE 2010
- FMS (USACSAC) PERMANENT OFFICE
CHILEAN ARMY HAS A STRONG BACKING TO BUILD ITS OWN STRATEGIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN.

CHILE HAD BEEN WORKING HARD TO TRANSFORM ITS ARMY WELL-EQUIPPED, TRAINED, AND HIGHLY OPERATIONAL TO MOVE ALONG THE OTAN STANDARDS.

READY TO RESPONSE TO NATURAL DISASTERS.

WITH SOME CAPACITIES TO FULLFIL COMPLEMENTARY DUTIES.

IT HAS A WIDE INTERNATIONAL AGENDA BASE ON ITS DEFENSE POLICY

CONSTRUCTIVE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE CHILEAN AND THE U.S. ARMY.

FINAL REMARKS

ARMY PRECISION STRIKE

SECURITY AND DEFENSE = PEACE
MAJOR GENERAL
HUMBERTO OVIEDO

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