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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY FOREIGN AREA OFFICER STEERING
COMMITTEE

Effective 1 May 1981

This revision reflects changes in the membership of the DA Foreign Area Officer (FAO) Steering Committee. Local supplementation of this regulation is prohibited, except upon approval of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans.

The DA Committee Management Officer concurs in the continuance of the DA FAO Steering Committee.

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1. Purpose. This regulation provides for the DA FAO Steering Committee to serve as a continuing committee to provide technical advice and assistance to the Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel (DCSPER) on the Foreign Area Officer Specialty (FAOS).

2. Applicability. This regulation applies to the Active Army, the US Army Reserve, and the Army National Guard.

3. Related references. a. AR 135-11, Foreign Area Officer Program/Reserve Component: A Career Program.

b. AR 600-101, Officer Personnel Management System Specialty Proponency.

c. DA Pam 600-3, Officer Professional Development and Utilization.

4. Mission. The FAO Steering Committee will assist the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans (DCSOPS) in providing technical advice and assistance to the DCSPER on the FAOS. The committee will—

a. Advise the heads of Army elements concerned to fulfill their responsibilities as they pertain to FAOs.

b. Recommend proper training to develop program members for later service in key positions.

c. Advise the Army Educational Requirements Board in determining graduate degree requirements related to FAO positions.

5. Composition. a. The FAO Steering Committee will consist of the DCSOPS (Chairman) or the principal deputy and one principal representative designated by the following:

(1) Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics (DCSLOG).

(2) Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence (ACSI).

(3) Commanding General (CG), US Army Military Personnel Center (MILPERCEN).

(4) CG, US Army Reserve Components Personnel and Administrative Center (RCPAC).

(5) CG, US Army Training and Doctrine Command (TRADOC).

(6) Commandant, US Army Institute for Military Assistance (USAIMA).

(7) CG, US Army Intelligence and Security Command (INSCOM).

b. The chairman may invite representatives of Army commands and other Army Staff agencies to attend when matters in their area of interest are be-

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ing discussed. These additional attendees will have no vote on matters brought before the committee.

c. The chairman and each board member will designate an alternate member. The alternate will be authorized to act for the member in his or her absence. Names of alternate members will be reported to the Strategy, Plans, and Policy Directorate, ODCSOPS (HQDA(DAMO-SSA)).

d. The chairman will appoint a committee secretary from the Strategy, Plans, and Policy Directorate, ODCSOPS. The secretary will—

(1) Serve without vote on the FAO Steering Committee.

(2) Serve as the chairman of the FAO Steering Committee Working Group.

6. FAO Steering Committee Working Group. a. Each Army element head represented on the FAO Steering Committee will appoint a working representative. This person will be a member of the FAO Steering Committee Working Group. He or she will assist in preparing papers, studies, or recommendations for the committee's consideration.

b. The FAO Steering Committee Working Group will periodically review proposals to be submitted to the committee for consideration.

7. Direction and control. a. The DCSOPS has pri-

mary staff responsibility for the operations and functions of the committee.

b. The FAO Steering Committee will—

(1) Meet at least once a year at the call of the chairman.

(2) Furnish reports to the DCSOPS.

c. Changes in designations of principal, alternate, and working representatives of the FAO Steering Committee will be reported to the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans (DAMO-SSA).

d. The FAO Steering Committee chairman may request Army Staff agencies or activities to provide information and assistance required for the committee to perform its functions.

e. ODCSOPS will furnish all administrative support (staff, space, and equipment) for the FAO Steering Committee.

f. The parent organization of the FAO Steering Committee member will provide the funds for travel, per diem, and overtime when required.

8. Correspondence. All communications to the committee will be sent to the Chairman, Foreign Area Officer Steering Committee, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans (HQDA(DAMO-SSA), WASH DC 20310).

The proponent agency of this regulation is the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans. Users are invited to send comments and suggested improvements on DA Form 2028 (Recommended Changes to Publications and Blank Forms) direct to HQDA(DAMO-SSA) WASH DC 20310.

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