



THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY
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ACTION MEMO

FOR: DEPUTY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE

FROM: Ray Mabus, Secretary of the Navy

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SUBJECT: Department of Defense Executive Agent for Joint Military Ground-Based Counter Radio-Controlled Improvised Explosive Device Electronic Warfare Technology

- TAB A is the proposed Deputy Secretary of Defense (DEPSECDEF) memorandum to designate the Secretary of the Army as the Department of Defense (DoD) Executive Agent (EA) for Military Ground-Based Counter Radio-Controlled Improvised Explosive Device Electronic Warfare (CREW) Technology.
- TAB B is the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for transition of DoD EA and Single Manager (SM) for Military Ground-Based CREW Technology from the Department of the Navy to the Department of the Army. This MOU references the direction provided in DEPSECDEF Memo, April 10, 2013, "Resource Management Decisions for the FY14 Budget Request", to transition CREW SM and EA responsibilities to the Department of the Army. All actions and milestones critical to the transition of responsibilities have been coordinated and documented by both the Department of the Army and Department of the Navy. The Navy will continue to be the lead for classification issues (original classification authority (OCA), foreign disclosure and foreign engagement) until such time as the Army has appointed an OCA and established the necessary processes and procedures.
- DoD Directive 5101.14, June 11, 2007, "DoD Executive Agent and Single Manager for Military Ground-Based Counter Radio-Controlled Improvised Explosive Device Electronic Warfare (CREW) Technology" establishes DoD EA and SM Military Ground-Based CREW Technology roles and responsibilities and is being revised to officially document this transition.

RECOMMENDATION: DEPSECDEF sign TAB A.

COORDINATION: TAB C

ATTACHMENTS: As stated

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**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
AND
DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**

SUBJECT: Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for Transition of Department of Defense (DoD) Executive Agent and Single Manager for Military Ground-Based Counter Radio-Controlled Improvised Explosive Device Electronic Warfare (CREW) Technology from the Department of the Navy to the Department of the Army

1. References:

a. Memorandum, Deputy Secretary of Defense, 2 Feb 12, Subject: Resource Management Decisions for the Fiscal Year 2013 (FY13) Budget Request.

b. DoD Directive (D) 5101.14, 11 Jun 07, Subject: DoD Executive Agent and Single Manager for Military Ground-Based Counter Radio-Controlled Improvised Explosive Device Electronic Warfare (CREW) Technology.

c. Memorandum, Deputy Secretary of Defense, 10 Apr 13, Subject: Resource Management Decisions for the FY14 Budget Request.

d. DoDD 5101.1, 3 Sep 02, Subject: DoD Executive Agent.

2. Purpose. To transition military ground-based CREW technology Executive Agent and Single Manager responsibilities, as described in reference (a), (b), and (c) from the Department of the Navy to the Department of the Army.

3. Background:

a. Reference (c) directs the Department of the Army and the Department of the Navy to transition the Executive Agent and the Single Manager responsibilities for CREW technology, and to comply with the resourcing decisions directed therein.

b. The Directive requires the Secretary of the Navy and the Secretary of the Army to finalize and sign a MOU that includes a specific plan to transition the CREW Single Manager and Executive Agent responsibilities to the Department of the Army by Joint CREW (JCREW) completion.

b. The Secretary of the Army has designated the PEO, Intelligence, Electronic Warfare, and Sensors (IEW&S) as the Single Manager upon assignment of the Secretary of the Army as the Executive Agent.

c. Effective immediately, the PEO, IEW&S will co-chair CREW program board meetings with the outgoing Single Manager throughout the remainder of the transition period. The final transition will be complete by 30 Sep 13 concurrent with the Executive Agent transition.

7. Joint Ground CREW Program Management:

a. The current responsible PEO, JCREW technology development is the Naval Sea Systems Command, and program management responsibility is assigned to Program Manager, Expeditionary Missions (PMS 408).

b. The Department of the Army has identified the PEO, IEW&S as the responsible PEO for JCREW technology development, and will assign program management responsibility to PM, Electronic Warfare.

c. The JCREW Increment 1 Block 1 program management will remain with the PMS 408 as it transitions to sustainment. Future Joint Ground CREW initiatives will be the PEO, IEW&S' responsibility.

8. Program Management Transition:

a. The detailed planning for the transition of responsibility for managing military ground-based CREW technology development will be done by the PEO, IEW&S and the Executive Director, Naval Sea Systems Command (SEA 00B). The PEO, IEW&S and the SEA 00B have established a JCREW Program Management Office (PMO) Transition Plan IPT. The Transition Plan IPT will facilitate the transition of JCREW PMO authority to the PEO, IEW&S. The IPT will hold regularly scheduled meetings to identify transition risk areas for mitigation, to seek out immediate collaboration opportunities between the PEO, IEW&S leadership and the SEA 00B and determine the documentation and event driven timeline required for transition. The IPT conducts periodic technical interchange meetings to track JCREW PMO transition status and issue resolution, as well as fostering an atmosphere of cross program cooperation. The IPT will review program activities, and look for opportunities to drive toward commonality to show efficiencies, save resources and reduce cost. The final product will be a Transition Plan approved by the PEO, IEW&S and the SEA 00B with all associated transition activities to be concluded by September 2013.

Table 1

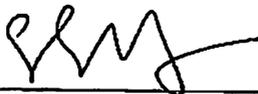
Departments of the Army and Navy CREW RDT&E Funding

Current \$M	FY14	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY18	Total
0604653A	\$20.3	\$17.2	\$8.8	\$6.0	\$6.0	\$58.4
0604653N	\$27.6	\$15.0	\$6.0	\$6.0	\$6.0	\$60.6

f. Funding is contingent upon larger DoD resource decisions.

12. **Problems/Dispute Resolution.** Disagreements between the parties arising under or related to the implementation of references (a) and (c) will be adjudicated by the Director Cost Assessment and Program Evaluation in the OSD in accordance with reference (a) and (c).

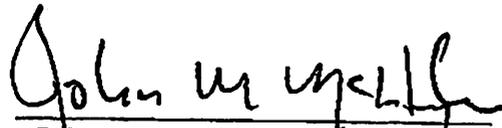
13. **Effective Date.** This MOU becomes effective upon signature of the parties to the agreement, and will continue in effect until the transition of responsibility, as articulated in reference (a), is complete. This MOU may be modified by mutual written consent, and terminated by either party with 30 days advanced written notice. In the event of termination, any agreements established under this MOU will continue in force until expiry.



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Secretary of the Navy
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John M. McHugh
Secretary of the Army

5 Sep 13

Date

b. Services are responsible for development, procurement and sustainment of individual bridging and legacy systems throughout the life-cycle of these programs.

9. Joint Ground CREW Boards. Functions and responsibilities of the CREW Program Board, the CREW Military Technical Acceptance Board and the CREW Science and Technology Board will remain as assigned by reference (b) until that directive is revised, superseded, or canceled. The Army will continue to conduct CREW boards to ensure all Service equities are addressed for CREW technology.

10. The JCREW Security Classification Guidance (SCG). The Office of the Chief of Naval Operations, Director of Expeditionary Warfare is the Original Classification Authority (OCA) for CREW Technology, and is responsible for the JCREW SCG. The Department of the Army will assume OCA responsibility concurrently with the transfer of Executive Agent and Single Manager roles.

11. Funding. The DoD directs the Department of the Army and the Department of the Navy to fund Research, Development, Technology, and Engineering (RDT&E) for the DoD CREW, in accordance with reference (c).

a. The Department of the Army will transfer funds within existing resources to the Department of the Navy for FY15 to complete JCREW Increment 1 development through Low Rate Initial Production.

b. The Department of the Army will add funds within existing resources to complete and test Duke Technology Insertion (DTI) and fund a Joint Analysis of Alternatives to determine the potential solution(s) for development of Integrated Electronic Warfare System (IEWS) Defensive Electronic Attack.

c. Both the Department of the Army and the Department of the Navy will adjust the RDT&E funding within existing resources to upgrade DTI and JCREW techniques to defeat global threats.

d. The Department of the Army will add funds within existing RDT&E resources to keep IEWS Electronic Warfare Planning Management Tool on schedule.

e. Table 1 below is the Department of the Army's and the Department of the Navy's CREW RDT&E funding from FY14-18, and includes Resource Management Decision 700A1 enhancements.

c. Resourcing decisions for the DoD ground-based CREW directed, by reference (a) for the FY13 budget, were implemented.

4. Understanding:

a. The actions necessary to affect the transition of responsibility for military ground-based CREW technology from the Department of the Navy to the Department of the Army include three major elements:

(1) The DoD Executive Agent for military ground-based CREW responsibilities.

(2) The DoD Single Manager for military ground-based CREW responsibilities.

(3) Joint Ground CREW Program Management, to include identification of the responsible Program Executive Officer (PEO) and Program Manager (PM).

b. The Joint Improvised Explosive Device Defeat Organization (JIEDDO), the Office of the Secretary of Defense (OSD) proponent for military ground-based CREW, per reference (b), will coordinate and lead a review of reference (b) in accordance with reference (d), to reflect the transition of responsibility from the Department of the Navy to the Department of the Army. An Integrated Product Team (IPT) will be established with representation from all the Services, U.S. Special Operations Command (USSOCOM), and OSD to assist in completion of this effort.

5. Transition Executive Agent Responsibilities for CREW Technology:

a. The Executive Agent for ground-based CREW technology currently is the Secretary of the Navy.

b. The Secretary of the Army will be designated as the Executive Agent for ground-based CREW technology in response to reference (a) and (c).

c. The incumbent Navy and the prospective Army Single Manager will approve and implement a plan to transfer ground-based CREW Executive Agent responsibilities, as identified in reference (d), to the Department of the Army with all associated activities completed and the transfer to occur no later than 30 Sep 13.

6. Transition Single Manager Responsibilities for CREW Technology:

a. The Secretary of the Navy has designated the Commander, Naval Surface Warfare Center as the Single Manager, in accordance with reference (b).

COORDINATION PAGE

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