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### NEW ACQUISITION, TECHNOLOGY AND LOGISTICS UNDER SEC- RETARY ANNOUNCED

**T**he Department of Defense announced June 7 that Kenneth J. Krieg has taken over the duties as the under secretary of defense for acquisition, technology and logistics. Krieg, who served as special assistant to the secretary and director of the office of Program Analysis and Evaluation, was nominated to be the Pentagon's acquisition chief by President Bush on April 4, 2005, and confirmed by the Senate on May 26, 2005. He joined the Department of Defense in July 2001 to serve as the executive secretary of the Senior Executive Council. The SEC, composed of the secretary, deputy secretary, Service secretaries, and under secretary of defense for acquisition, technology and logistics, is responsible for leading initiatives to improve the management and organization of the Department of Defense.



Before joining the Department of Defense, he was the vice president and general manager of the Office and Consumer Papers Division for International Paper. Prior to that, he was the business manager for the office and consumer paper business. Before joining International Paper, he worked in a number of defense and foreign policy assignments in Washington, D.C., including positions at the White House, on the National Security Council staff, and in the Office of the Secretary of Defense. Krieg received his bachelor's degree in history from Davidson College and his master's in public policy from the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University.

### APPOINTMENT OF THE SPECIAL ASSIS- TANT FOR BUSINESS TRANSFORMATION

**E**ffective April 17, 2005, Paul A. Brinkley has been appointed as the special assistant to the under secretary of defense (acquisition, technology, and logistics (AT&L)) for business transformation. Brinkley will lead AT&L's oversight of the business transformation efforts for the department, including the Business Management Modernization Program, the assimilation of transferred personnel and resources from the Business Management Systems Integration office into AT&L, and the realigned AT&L offices supporting business transformation.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS  
RELEASE (MAY 9, 2005)

### GENERAL OFFICER ANNOUNCEMENTS

**S**ecretary of Defense Donald H. Rumsfeld announced today that the president has made the following nominations:

**Air Force Brig. Gen. Ted F. Bowlds** has been nominated to the rank of major general while serving as the deputy for acquisition, Aeronautical Systems Center, Air Force Materiel Command, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio.

**Air Force Brig. Gen. David M. Edgington** has been nominated to the rank of major general while serving as the vice commander, Air Armament Center, Air Force Materiel Command, Eglin Air Force Base, Fla.

**Air Force Brig. Gen. Wendell L. Griffin** has been nominated to the rank of major general while serving as the mission area director, Global Reach, Office of the Secretary of the Air Force (Acquisition), Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

**Air Force Brig. Gen. Arthur B. Morrill III** has been nominated to the rank of major general while serving as the director of resources, Deputy Chief of Staff, Installations and Logistics, Headquarters United States Air Force, Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

**Air Force Brig. Gen. Jeffrey R. Riemer** has been nominated to the rank of major general while serving as the director, Operations, Headquarters Air Force Materiel Command, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio.

**Air Force Brig. Gen. Mark D. Shackelford** has been nominated to the rank of major general while serving as the deputy for Test and Assessment, Missile Defense Agency, Arlington, Va.

**Air Force Brig. Gen. John T. Sheridan** has been nominated to the rank of major general while serving as the director, Requirements, Headquarters Air Force Space Command, Peterson Air Force Base, Colo.



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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS  
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### GENERAL OFFICER ASSIGNMENT

**T**he chief of staff, Army announces the following general officer assignment:

Brig. Gen. Marvin K. McNamara, deputy director for Force Structure, Integration, and Deployment, Missile Defense Agency, Washington, D.C., to deputy director, Missile Defense Agency, Washington, D.C.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS  
RELEASE (MAY 17, 2005)

### GENERAL OFFICER ANNOUNCEMENT

**S**ecretary of Defense Donald H. Rumsfeld announced today that the president has nominated Marine Corps Maj. Gen. Richard S. Kramlich, for appointment as the deputy commandant, installations and logistics, and for appointment to the grade of lieutenant general. Kramlich is currently serving as the commanding general, 1st Force Service Support Group, Camp Pendleton, Calif.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS  
RELEASE (MAY 18, 2005)

### GENERAL OFFICER ANNOUNCEMENT

**S**ecretary of Defense Donald H. Rumsfeld announced today that the president has nominated Air Force Maj. Gen. Terry L. Gabreski for appointment to the rank of lieutenant general with assignment as vice commander, Air Force Materiel Command, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio. Gabreski is currently serving as commander, Oklahoma City Air Logistics Center, Tinker Air Force Base, Okla.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS  
RELEASE (MAY 23, 2005)

### FLAG OFFICER ASSIGNMENTS

**C**hief of Naval Operations Adm. Vern Clark announced today the following flag officer assignments:

Rear Adm. David Architzel is being assigned as commander, Program Executive Officer for Aircraft Carriers, Washington, D.C. Architzel is currently commander, Operational Test and Evaluation Force, Norfolk, Va.

Rear Adm. (lower half) William J. McCarthy is being assigned as commander, Operational Test and Evaluation Force, Norfolk, Va. McCarthy is currently commander, Carrier Strike Group Eight, Norfolk, Va.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS  
RELEASE (JUNE 1, 2005)

### GENERAL OFFICER ASSIGNMENTS

**T**he chief of staff, Army announces the following officer assignments:

Maj. Gen. Bennie E. Williams, commanding general, 21st Theater Support Command, United States Army Europe and Seventh Army, Germany, to director, logistics operations, J-3, Defense Logistics Agency, Fort Belvoir, Va.

Brig. Gen. Philip J. Thorpe, United States Army Reserve, chief of staff (Troop Program Unit), 21st Theater Support Command, Indianapolis, Ind., to deputy commanding general, 21st Theater Support Command, Germany.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS  
RELEASE (JUNE 3, 2005)

### GENERAL OFFICER ASSIGNMENTS

**T**he chief of staff, Air Force announces the assignments of the following senior leaders:

Maj. Gen. Daniel J. Darnell, commander, Space Warfare Center, Air Force Space Command, Schriever AFB, Colo. to director, legislative liaison, Office of Secretary of the Air Force, Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

Brig. Gen. (s) Susan K. Mashiko, deputy system program director, National Polar-orbiting Environmental Satellite System, Silver Springs, Md. to vice commander, Air Armament Center, Air Force Materiel Command, Eglin AFB, Fla.

### DEFENSE ACQUISITION UNIVERSITY WELCOMES NEW INDUSTRY CHAIR

**T**he Defense Acquisition University is pleased to welcome back retired Navy Rear Adm. Leonard "Lenn" Vincent as a member of the Defense Acquisition University (DAU) Executive Institute effective June 6. Vincent joins DAU as industry chair, a position previously held by Frank W. Swofford from 1998 to 2004.



Vincent retired from active duty and relinquished his position as commandant of the Defense Systems Management College on Aug. 1, 1999, after a 32-year career in the Navy. Following his retirement, he joined American Management Systems and later CACI International, Inc. As a vice president at both companies, he was re-



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sponsible for working with senior DoD and industry leaders to help solve acquisition, logistics, and financial management challenges. Since 2004, he has also served on the DAU Board of Visitors.

### DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (JUNE 6, 2005)

#### **DIRECTOR OF PROGRAM ANALYSIS AND EVALUATION ANNOUNCED**

**T**he Department of Defense today announced that **Bradley M. Berkson** has assumed the position of director for Program Analysis and Evaluation.

Berkson, who is simultaneously serving as the acting deputy under secretary of defense (logistics and materiel readiness), replaces Ken Krieg, who was sworn in as the under secretary of defense for acquisition, technology and logistics.

The former president of NEW Customer Service Companies Inc., and founder and former CEO of IP-Mill Inc., Berkson joined the office of the secretary of defense in January 2003, serving as director, studies and analysis, for the senior executive council.

Prior to his entrepreneurial efforts at IP-Mill Inc, Berkson was a partner at McKinsey & Company Inc., a leading international management consultancy. At McKinsey, he co-led the firm's corporate strategy and finance, innovation and technology management, and energy practices.

Berkson holds a B.S. in engineering, cum laude from the University of Tulsa, and graduated with a M.B.A. with scholastic honors from Harvard University. He is a pilot and flies as a volunteer for several mercy medical airlift organizations, transporting cancer and other patients, and their relatives for treatment.

As director of program analysis and evaluation, Berkson will provide independent analytic advice to the secretary of defense regarding alternative weapon systems and force structures, the development and evaluation of defense program alternatives, and the cost effectiveness of defense systems. His office conducts analysis and offers advice in a number of related areas, and is responsible for the management of the department's programming systems.

### DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (JUNE 7, 2005)

#### **FLAG OFFICER ASSIGNMENT**

**C**hief of Naval Operations Adm. Vern Clark announced the following flag officer assignment:

Rear Adm. (lower half) Alan B. Hicks is being assigned as program director, AEGIS BMD, Missile Defense Agency, Washington, D.C. Hicks is currently deputy, Surface Warfare for Combat Systems/Weapons, N76F, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations, Washington, D.C.

### USTRANSCOM NEWS SERVICE (JUNE 14, 2005)

#### **SCHWARTZ NOMINATED TO COMMAND USTRANSCOM**

**S**COTT AIR FORCE BASE, Ill.—President Bush has nominated Air Force Lt. Gen. Norton A. Schwartz to the rank of general with his next assignment as commander, U.S. Transportation Command. Schwartz is currently serving as director, the Joint Staff in Washington, D.C. Prior to that assignment he was director for operations, the Joint Staff.

A 1973 graduate of the U.S. Air Force Academy, Schwartz is also an alumnus of the National War College, a member of the Council on Foreign Relations, and a 1994 fellow of Massachusetts Institute of Technology's Seminar XXI. He is a command pilot with more than 4,200 flying hours in a variety of aircraft. Schwartz is a former commander of the Special Operations Command-Pacific, as well as Alaskan Command, Alaskan North American Aerospace Defense Command region, and the 11th Air Force.

If confirmed by the Senate, Schwartz will succeed Air Force Gen. John W. Handy, who has commanded both USTRANSCOM and Air Mobility Command since November 2001. The change of command date and the new commander for AMC have not been announced.

### DEFENSE INFORMATION SYSTEMS AGENCY (JUNE 15, 2005)

#### **NEW PROGRAM MANAGER JOINS NCES PROGRAM**

**A**RLINGTON, Va.—Lt. Gen. Harry D. Raduege, Jr., director of the Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA) and commander, Joint Task Force-Global Network Operations (JTF-GNO), announced today that Rita Espiritu, has been appointed as the new program manager for Net-Centric Enterprise Services (NCES).



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Espiritu's assignment is a major step in the continuing evolution of the NCES program's management team and reflects the importance with which DISA views the program. Her experience and technical expertise will assist DISA in ensuring NCES meets the Department of Defense's expectations.

Espiritu, a retired Naval officer, comes to DISA with over 25 years of in-depth experience in management with a focus on IT programs and acquisition. Her education includes an M.A. in personnel management; an M.S. in information systems management; and a Level III certification in program management. Prior to joining DISA, Espiritu was division manager for Science Applications International Corporation, Mclean, Va. In that position, she managed multi-million dollar contracts serving the U.S. Navy, Army Corps of Engineers, Department of Interior, and the Department of Agriculture.

Raduege also announced that Alfred Schenck, a retired Army officer with more than 30 years in management and operations, and who served as the acting program manager for the past several months, will continue as the deputy program manager. Espiritu and Schenck will work directly for Debra Filippi, the program director for NCES.

*The Defense Information Systems Agency is a Department of Defense combat support agency. DISA provides real-time information technology and communications support to the president, vice president, secretary of defense, the military services, and the combatant commands.*

### DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (JUNE 17, 2005) GENERAL OFFICER ASSIGNMENTS

**T**he chief of staff, Air Force announces the assignment of the following senior leader:

Brig Gen (s) Stephen D. Schmidt, director of logistics, Headquarters Air Education and Training Command, Randolph Air Force Base, Texas, to commander, E-3A Component, North American Treaty Organization, Airborne Early Warning Force, Geilenkirchen, Germany.

### ARCHITECT OF AIR FORCE SPACE AND MISSILE PROGRAMS DIES

**R**etired Gen. Bernard Adolph Schriever, widely regarded as the father and architect of the Air Force space and ballistic missile programs, died of natural causes at home in Washington on June 20.

Under Schriever's leadership, the Air Force developed programs such as the Thor, Atlas, Titan, and Minuteman missiles, and all aerospace systems that have been launched into orbit, including those supporting NASA in its Mercury man-in-space program.

In 1959, General Schriever assumed command of Air Research and Development Command, which became Air Force Systems Command on April 1, 1961, under a reorganization initiated by him. He was promoted to full general in 1961 and retired in 1966.

### ARMY ACQUISITION SUPPORT CENTER PRESS RELEASE (JUNE 16, 2005) ASC CHANGE OF LEADERSHIP CEREMONY HONORS OUTGOING AND INCOMING DIRECTORS

**F**ORT BELVOIR, Va.—The U.S. Army Acquisition Support Center (ASC) held a change of leadership Ceremony June 16, 2005, in Scott Hall on the Defense Acquisition University (DAU) campus at Fort Belvoir.

During the ceremony, Col. Genaro J. Dellarocco relinquished his directorship to Craig A. Spisak. Spisak, who has served as ASC's deputy director since 2002, took the helm as the organization's first civilian director. Dellarocco departed ASC to assume responsibilities in the office of



Lt. Gen. Joseph L. Yakovac Jr., military deputy to the assistant secretary of the Army for acquisition, logistics and technology presents new U.S. Army Acquisition Support Center (ASC) director Craig A. Spisak with the ASC Charter. Spisak is the organization's first civilian director.

ASC photograph by Debbie Fischer-Belous.



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the director, Force Structure, Resources and Assessment (J8), as the chief of the Requirements and Acquisition Division.

Military Deputy to the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Acquisition, Logistics and Technology (AL&T) Lt. Gen. Joseph L. Yakovac Jr., the presiding official, bid farewell to Dellarocco and thanked him for his outstanding tour of duty as ASC director. Yakovac then officially handed over responsibility for directing the organization to Spisak during the exchange of organizational colors. "You are hereby delegated the full-line authority of the Army Acquisition Executive for the management of the Acquisition Support Center," Yakovac instructed.

The military change of leadership ceremony and exchange of organizational colors dates back to the beginning of our nation's history and provides for the orderly transfer of organizational responsibility from one Army leader to another. The passing of the colors is a symbolic act through which the outgoing leader relinquishes authority to his superior, who in turn passes that authority to the incoming leader.

During the ceremony, Yakovac presented Dellarocco with a symbolic Army Acquisition Corps (AAC) flag to recognize his outstanding accomplishments and service as the ASC director and the Army's deputy director of Acquisition Career Management.

In passing the mantle of leadership to Spisak, Yakovac explained the significance of the event to the audience. "As the director of this field operating agency, Mr. Spisak will perform as the major command for the Army Acquisition Corps and the acquisition workforce reporting to the Army acquisition executive [AAE] through the military deputy [MILDEP]. As such, he will serve as the Army's 'one face' for acquisition, logistics and technology proponentcy on behalf of the AAE, the MILDEP, the AL&T community, its operating agencies, and strategic partners."

In addition to the duties outlined by the MILDEP, Spisak also assumes responsibility for ensuring synchronization of all AAC proponentcy initiatives with supporting career management organizations in concert with MILDEP direction. Additionally, he will formalize AL&T process links to Army and Joint proponentcy systems, ensuring the viability and relevancy of the workforce and its alignment with the AL&T workforce, Army/AAC transformation, the Army Campaign Plan, and overarching DoD strategic objectives.

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### ACTING DIRECTOR, FORCE TRANSFORMATION

**T**erry J. Pudas has been named acting director of force transformation, Office of the Secretary of Defense. As acting director, Pudas follows Arthur Cebrowski, the retired three-star admiral who stepped down as the Pentagon's transformation director early in 2005. Pudas previously served as the deputy director, force transformation, a position created in the aftermath of 9/11 and which he accepted in October 2001.

As the acting director, Pudas serves as advocate, focal point, and catalyst for Department of Defense transformation. The Office of Force Transformation provides recommendations for linking the Department's transformation efforts to strategic functions, evaluates the transformation efforts of the military departments, and promotes synergy by recommending steps to integrate ongoing transformation activities. Other responsibilities of the office include making policy recommendations to the secretary and deputy secretary of defense.

### DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (JUNE 29, 2005) GENERAL/FLAG OFFICER ANNOUNCEMENTS

**S**ecretary of Defense Donald H. Rumsfeld announced today that the president has made the following nominations:

**Air Force Lt. Gen. John D. W. Corley** has been nominated for appointment to the grade of general with assignment as vice chief of staff, United States Air Force, Pentagon, Washington, D.C. Corley is currently serving as principal deputy assistant secretary of the Air Force for acquisition, Department of the Air Force, Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

**Navy Rear Adm. Paul E. Sullivan** has been nominated for appointment to the grade of vice admiral and assignment as commander, Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C. Sullivan is currently serving as deputy commander for ship, design, integration and engineering, SEA-05, Naval Sea Systems Command, Washington, D.C.