

DEFENSE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SERVICE PRESS RELEASE (JULY 7, 2004) DFAS NAMES TIMOTHY HARP COMPONENT ACQUISITION EXECUTIVE

ARLINGTON, Va.—The Defense Finance and Accounting Service (DFAS) recently named **Timothy J. Harp** its component acquisition executive, effective July 25, 2004.

Harp currently serves as the assistant deputy under secretary of defense (innovation and technology integration) and as the special assistant to the defense acquisition executive (USD (AT&L)). He brings demonstrated experience in managing major programs at the defense agency level and expertise in developing, implementing and managing a robust acquisition organization.

“Mr. Harp has a keen understanding of the steps necessary to implement the acquisition program with DFAS,” said Zack E. Gaddy, DFAS director. “His 25-years+ career has provided him with the depth and breadth of knowledge and experiences necessary to successfully fill the demanding role as the component acquisition executive. I know he will help the DFAS team achieve our vision of being a world-class finance and accounting organization.”

NEW COMMANDANT FOR DEFENSE ACQUISITION UNIVERSITY (JULY 15, 2004)

Air Force **Col. Mary D. Kringer** was assigned as the new commandant of the Defense Acquisition University (DAU) effective July 15, 2004. Prior to joining the DAU headquarters staff at Fort Belvoir, Va., she served as the chief, contracting division, Directorate of Logistics, for Headquarters, U.S. Air Forces in Europe.

Kringer was commissioned through Officer Training School in January 1979 at Lackland AFB. She has served in a variety of acquisition positions at all Air Force levels.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (JULY 19, 2004) FLAG OFFICER ASSIGNMENT

Chief of Naval Operations Adm. Vern Clark announced the following flag officer assignment:

Navy Rear Adm. (lower half) James A. Winnefeld Jr., is being assigned as commander, Carrier Group Two, Nor-

folk, Va. Winnefeld is currently assigned as director, Warfare Programs and Readiness, U.S. Atlantic Fleet, Norfolk, Va.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (JULY 20, 2004) FLAG OFFICER ANNOUNCEMENT

Secretary of Defense Donald H. Rumsfeld announced today that the president has nominated **Navy Vice Adm. Kirkland H. Donald** for appointment to the rank of admiral and assignment as director, Naval Nuclear Propulsion Program, Department of the Navy/Department of Energy, Washington, D.C. Donald is currently serving as commander Submarine Force, U.S. Atlantic Fleet and commander, Submarine Allied Command, Atlantic, Norfolk, Va.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (JULY 22, 2004) GENERAL OFFICER ASSIGNMENTS

Air Force Chief of Staff Gen. John P. Jumper announced today the following assignments:

Air Force Brig. Gen. Ronald R. Ladnier is being assigned as director, logistics readiness, deputy chief of staff, installations and logistics, Headquarters United States Air Force, Pentagon, Washington, D.C. Ladnier is currently assigned as commandant, Air Command and Staff College, Air University, Air Education and Training Command, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.

Air Force Brig. Gen. (select) Randal D. Fullhart is being assigned as commandant, Air Command and Staff College, Air University, Air Education and Training Command, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala. Fullhart is currently assigned as commander, College of Aerospace Doctrine, Research and Education, Air University, Air Education and Training Command, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (JULY 26, 2004) FLAG OFFICER ASSIGNMENT

Chief of Naval Operations Adm. Vern Clark announced the following flag officer assignment:

Navy Rear Adm. (lower half) Timothy J. McGee is being assigned as commander, Naval Meteorology and Oceanography Command, Stennis Space Center, Miss. McGee is currently assigned as deputy/vice commander/assistant chief of Naval Research, Office of Naval Research, Arlington, Va.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (JULY 22, 2004)

GENERAL OFFICER ASSIGNMENT

The Chief of Staff, Army announces the assignment of the following officer: **Brigadier General Volney J. Warner**, director, strategy and analysis, J-5, United States Joint Forces Command, Norfolk, Va., to deputy commandant, United States Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

THE WHITE HOUSE (JULY 27, 2004) PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION

The president announced July 27 his intention to nominate **Raymond F. DuBois**, of the District of Columbia, to be deputy under secretary of defense (logistics and materiel readiness). DuBois currently serves as deputy under secretary of defense for installations and environment. He previously served as special assistant to the secretary and deputy secretary of defense. Earlier in his career, DuBois was president of Potomac Strategies International, a consulting firm that provides strategic management solutions to companies in the aerospace, electronics, telecommunications, and telemedicine industries. DuBois received his bachelor's degree from Princeton University.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (JULY 29, 2004)

FLAG OFFICER ASSIGNMENTS

Chief of Naval Operations Adm. Vern Clark announced the following flag officer assignments:

Navy Rear Adm. (lower half) Joseph F. Kilkenny is being assigned as special assistant for human capital strategy, commander, Naval Air Force, Norfolk, Va. Kilkenny is currently assigned as director, Aviation Plans and Requirements Branch, N780, office of the Chief of Naval Operations, Arlington, Va.

Navy Rear Adm. (selectee) Dennis D. Woofter is being assigned as deputy director for naval medicine, N093B, office of the chief of naval operations, Arlington, Va. Woofter is currently assigned as chief of staff, program executive officer, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, Washington, D.C.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (AUG. 6, 2004)

FLAG OFFICER ASSIGNMENTS

Chief of Naval Operations Adm. Vern Clark announced the following flag officer assignments:

Navy Rear Adm. James B. Godwin III is being assigned as director, Navy and Marine Corps Intranet (NMCI), Arlington, Va. Godwin is currently assigned as program executive officer for Tactical Aircraft Programs, Patuxent River, Md.

Navy Rear Adm. (lower half) David J. Venlet is being assigned as program executive officer for Tactical Aircraft Programs, Patuxent River, Md. Venlet is currently assigned as commander, Naval Warfare Center, Weapons Division, China Lake, Calif.

Navy Rear Adm. (lower half) Wayne G. Shear is being assigned as deputy director, Ashore Readiness Division, N46A, office of the Chief of Naval Operations, Washington, DC. Shear is currently assigned as deputy commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Washington, D.C.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (AUG. 2, 2004)

GENERAL OFFICER ASSIGNMENTS

The Chief of Staff, Army announces the assignments of the following general officers:

Major General Ann E. Dunwoody, commanding general, Military Surface Deployment and Distribution Command, Alexandria, Va., to commanding general, United States Army Combined Arms Support Command and Fort Lee, Fort Lee, Va.

Major General Jeanette K. Edmunds, commanding general, 19th Theater Support Command, Eighth United States Army, Korea, to assistant deputy chief of staff, G-4, United States Army, Washington, D.C.

JASSM PROGRAM DIRECTOR ASSUMES NEW RESPONSIBILITIES (AUG. 10, 2004)

Dale Bridges, program director of the Joint Air-to-Surface Standoff Missile (JASSM) program for the past five years, has turned the program's reins over to a new group commander. Bridges first served in the JASSM program office as the technical director and most recently as the program director. Under his leadership, the program completed development, entered low-rate initial production, and accelerated early deliveries to provide war-ready inventory ahead of schedule. Bridges takes over technical leadership of the 46th Operations Group of the 46th Test Wing at Eglin AFB, Fla.

**NEW LEADER FOR JASSM PROGRAM
(AUG. 10, 2004)**

Air Force Col. Jim Geurts has taken command of the Long Range Missile Systems Group and leadership of the Joint Air-to-Surface Standoff Missile (JASSM) program at Eglin AFB, Fla. Geurts brings extensive experience to his new job in programs ranging from intercontinental ballistic missiles to surveillance platforms to tactical aircraft. He spent three years as a program element monitor on the Air Force's acquisition staff in Washington, D.C. Prior to assuming his current position at Eglin as the Area Attack System Program director, he led the avionics development program for the multi-national, multi-Service F-35 Joint Strike Fighter program.

**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS
RELEASE (AUG. 10, 2004)****FLAG OFFICER ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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

Navy Rear Adm. Mark P. Fitzgerald for appointment to the rank of vice admiral and assignment as commander, SECOND Fleet, Norfolk, Va. Fitzgerald is currently serving as director, Air Warfare Division, N78, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations, Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

Navy Rear Adm. Joseph A. Sestak Jr. for appointment to the rank of vice admiral and assignment as deputy chief of naval operations for warfare requirements and programs, N6/N7, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations, Pentagon, Washington, D.C. Sestak is currently serving as director, Assessment Division, N81, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations, Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS
RELEASE (AUG. 18, 2004)****GENERAL OFFICER ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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

Marine Corps Lt. Gen. Edward Hanlon Jr. for reappointment to the rank of lieutenant general and assignment as the United States military representative to the NATO Military Committee. Hanlon is currently serving as the commanding general, Marine Corps Combat Development Command, Quantico, Va.

Air Force Maj. Gen. Stephen G. Wood for appointment to the rank of lieutenant general with assignment as

deputy chief of staff, plans and programs, Headquarters United States Air Force, Pentagon, Washington, D.C. Wood is currently serving as commander, Air Warfare Center, Air Combat Command, Nellis Air Force Base, Nev.

**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS
RELEASE (AUG. 19, 2004)****GENERAL OFFICER ASSIGNMENT**

The Chief of Staff, Army announces the following general officer assignment: *Maj. Gen. N. Ross Thompson III*, commanding general, United States Army Tank-automotive and Armaments Command, Warren, Mich., to director, program analysis and evaluation, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-8, United States Army, Washington, D.C.

**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS
RELEASE (AUG. 19, 2004)****GENERAL OFFICER ANNOUNCEMENT**

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

Air Force Lt. Gen. Ronald E. Keys has been nominated for appointment to the rank of general with assignment as commander, Air Combat Command, Langley AFB, Va. Keys is currently serving as deputy chief of staff, air and space operations, United States Air Force, Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

Air Force Lt. Gen. Carrol H. Chandler has been nominated for reappointment to the rank of lieutenant general with assignment as deputy chief of staff, air and space operations, Headquarters United States Air Force, Washington, D.C. Chandler is currently serving as commander, Alaskan Command, United States Pacific Command; commander, Eleventh Air Force, Pacific Air Forces; and commander, Alaskan North American Aerospace Defense Command Region, Elmendorf AFB, Alaska.

Air Force Lt. Gen. Bruce A. Wright has been nominated for reappointment to the rank of lieutenant general with assignment as commander, United States Forces Japan and Commander, Fifth Air Force, Pacific Air Forces, Yokota AB, Japan. Wright is currently serving as vice commander, Air Combat Command, Langley AFB, Va.

Air Force Maj. Gen. Kevin P. Chilton has been nominated for appointment to the rank of lieutenant general with assignment as commander, Eighth Air Force, Air Combat Command, Barksdale AFB, La. Chilton is currently serving as director, programs, deputy chief of staff, plans and programs, Headquarters United States Air Force, Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

Air Force Maj. Gen. William M. Fraser III has been nominated for appointment to the rank of lieutenant general with assignment as vice commander, Air Combat Command, Langley AFB, Va. Fraser is currently serving as director, Operations, Headquarters Air Education and Training Command, Randolph AFB, Texas.

Air Force Maj. Gen. Dennis R. Larsen has been nominated for appointment to the rank of lieutenant general with assignment as vice commander, Air Education and Training Command, Randolph AFB, Texas. Larsen is currently serving as commander, Thirteenth Air Force, Pacific Air Forces, Andersen AFB, Guam.

Army Maj. Gen. David F. Melcher for appointment to the rank of lieutenant general and assignment as deputy chief of staff, G-8, U. S. Army, Washington, D.C. Melcher is currently serving as the director, program analysis and evaluation, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-8, U.S. Army, Washington, D.C.

AIR FORCE SENIOR LEADER MANAGEMENT OFFICE (AUG. 19, 2004) GENERAL OFFICER NOMINATIONS

The president has nominated to the Senate the following general officer for reappointment to the grade of general with assignment as indicated:

Gen. Gregory S. Martin, from commander, Air Force Materiel Command, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, to commander, United States Pacific Command, Camp H.M. Smith, Hawaii.

The president has nominated to the Senate the following general officer for appointment to the grade of general with assignment as indicated:

Lt. Gen. Bruce A. Carlson, from commander, Eighth Air Force, Air Combat Command, Barksdale AFB, La., to commander, Air Force Materiel Command, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.

The president has nominated to the Senate the following general officer for appointment to the grade of lieutenant general with assignment as indicated:

Maj. Gen. Kevin P. Chilton, from director, programs, deputy chief of staff, plans and programs, Headquarters United States Air Force, Pentagon, Washington, D.C., to commander, Eighth Air Force, Air Combat Command, Barksdale AFB, La.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (AUG. 20, 2004) FLAG OFFICER ANNOUNCEMENT

Secretary of Defense Donald H. Rumsfeld announced today that the president has made the following nomination:

Navy Rear Adm. James K. Moran for appointment to the rank of vice admiral and assignment as commander, Naval Education and Training Command, Pensacola, Fla. Moran is currently serving as commander, Naval Personnel Development Command/special assistant to the Chief of Naval Operations for Task Force Excel, Norfolk, Va.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (AUG. 25, 2004) GENERAL OFFICER ANNOUNCEMENT

Secretary of Defense Donald H. Rumsfeld announced today that the president has nominated **Army Maj. Gen. Robert T. Dail** for appointment to the rank of lieutenant general and assignment as deputy commander, U.S. Transportation Command, Scott Air Force Base, Ill. Dail is currently serving as the director, J-3/4, U.S. Transportation Command, Scott Air Force Base, Ill.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE NEWS RELEASE (SEPT. 7, 2004) GENERAL OFFICER ASSIGNMENT

The Chief of Staff, Army announces the following general officer assignment:

Brigadier General Roger A. Nadeau, deputy commanding general, United States Army Research, Development and Engineering Command, Fort Belvoir, Va., to commanding general, United States Army Research, Development and Engineering Command, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.