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Defense Environmental International Cooperation (DEIC) Program: A Department of Defense Perspective on the Challenges Associated with Environmental Engagement throughout Europe



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Agenda

- EUCOM Strategic Mission
- Defense Environmental International Cooperation (DEIC) Role in Meeting EUCOM Mission
- Plans for FY2010
- Questions



EUCOM Mission



- Maintain ready forces for full spectrum operations
 - Unilaterally or in concert with coalition partners
- Enhance transatlantic security through support of NATO
- Promote regional stability
- Counter terrorism
- Advance U.S. interests in the AOR

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EUCOM's Vision



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Defense Environmental International Cooperation (DEIC)

- Mechanism for construction of lasting partnerships that provide opportunities for long term influence.
- Focused on positive outcomes
- Must be appropriately leveraged!
- DEIC is funded through OSD (I&E) and has a natural linkage with the Energy Industry. Its very modest fund profile (<\$2 Million / year for global distribution) provides a tremendous return.
- Proposals are defended annually to the ODUSD(I&E)ER&S, ODASD(Policy/Policy Planning), and the Office of the Chairman of the Joint Staff.

DEIC Is an Integral Part of EUCOM's UNCLASSIFIED Strategy of Active Security / Theater Security Cooperation Through Environmental Security Engagement



Fiscal year	FY06▲	FY07▲	FY08 🛦	FY09
Total for EUCOM AOR	155K	316K	500K	206K
Number of projects	5	7	13	8

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TYPES OF ACTIVITIES

- CAPACITY-BUILDING
- COMBINED STUDIES
- INFORMATION AND DATA SHARING
- MULTINATIONAL CONFERENCES
- MILITARY TO MILITARY CONTACTS



STRATEGIC BENEFITS

- HELP ASSURE ACCESS TO AIR, LAND, AND SEA
- BUILD COALITION PARTNER CAPABILITIES
- PROMOTE REGIONAL STABILITY
- EMPHASIZE CIVILIAN OVERSIGHT & OPENNESS
- PROMOTE PROBLEM SOLVING AND DIALOGUE
- BUILD GOOD WILL AT LOW COST w/MILITARIES



PRACTICAL BENEFITS

- ENHANCE INTEROPERABILITY WITH ALLIES
- ACCESS FOREIGN DATA AND TECHNOLOGIES
- BUILDING CAPABILITIES OF ALLIES AND FRIENDS
- RAISING STANDARDS TO MEET ESOH NEEDS
- INFORMING US INDUSTRY OF FOREIGN NEEDS



DEIC Proposal Development, Funding, and Approval Process

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FY10-11 DEIC Concept Scoring **HEADQUARTERS** Submit by Email UNITED STATES EUROPEAN COMMAND **Directorate of Logistics and Security Assistance Reviewer Name Engineer Division** Unit 30400 **Current Date** APO AE 09131 Country *Custom Entries Allowed **Environmental Engagement Concept Scoring Sheet Thank you** for taking this Survey. The survey should take less than five minutes of your time to complete.

Click the "Submit by Email" button to submit the survey.

Please score each of the following environmental engagement concepts:

Green = This concept would be very beneficial Yellow = This concept would be moderately beneficial Red = This concept would not be beneficial

General Environmental Engagement Concepts for FY10:	Reneficial	Neutral	Futile
 Military Training Area Flora and Fauna Data Collection: This effort would focus on the collection of regional information associated with military training areas. 	•	0	•
2. Environmental Engagement Needs Assessment: This proposal is to conduct a 5-day Traveling Contact Team visit with defense authorities to evaluate the effectiveness of existing environmental protection measures in the areas of weapons disposal (including nerve/mustard agents) and water treatment technologies.	•	•	•
3. Field Water Workshop: This effort will implement and disseminate information on the topic of "field wa	ter"	\bigcirc	

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FY10-11 DEIC Concept Scoring Results

Areas of Focus



SCORE	Environmental Conference	Explosive Safety	Needs Assessment	Spill Response	ITAM	Noise	Field Water	Waste Management	Habitat Data Collection
1	18	18	17	13	11	7	5	5	4
2	12	4	7	8	12	11	16	15	15
3	2	10	8	11	9	14	11	12	13

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2010 Environmental Engagement Concept

2010 Joint Defense Environmental Symposium

United States European Command

Host Country Norway

Project 2010 Joint Defense Environmental Symposium

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Project Description

The annual Joint Defense Environmental Symposium, June 2010 will be a joint venture between Headquarters, US European Command and the Royal Norwegian Ministry of Defence. This symposium remains the Command's premier military environmental security cooperation event and brings together NATO and partner nations to discuss cost-effective approaches to common defense environmental issues. The symposium theme of regional environmental military cooperation will showcase defense environmental initiatives to encourage cooperative efforts in regions of strategic interest to the U.S. The program will emphasize defense environmental issues and promote the discussion and exchange of ideas regarding the environmental challenges and future areas of military cooperation in both the region and the broader international arena. Topical breakout sessions include:

- · Spill Response
- · Environmental Noise
- · Training Area Management
- · Field Water
- · Field Data Collection and GIS
- · Explosive Safety

Strategy

This project supports security cooperation program activities IAW with the USEUCOM Theater Security Cooperation Strategy; furthermore, it is an integral part of EUCOM's Strategy of Active Security. This project will provide the Combatant Commander and OSD a mechanism with which they can engage nations on defense environmental issues in support of COCOM and national security strategies.

Deliverables

Workshop with presentation materials and report with recommendation for program improvement and future engagement activities.

Schedule

- Initial Planning Conference: FY09 QIV
- Main Planning Conference: FY10 QII
- Symposium: FY10 QIII

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Thank You.



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