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JSP 602: 1035 - Radio and Airwaye

Outline

Description: This policy leaflet covers MOD policy regarding the use of O2 Airwave, specifically the naming conventions that shall be used when submitting Fleet mapping details. Airwave is a Public Safety Radio Service, conforming to the TETRA standard, being implemented by Airwave O2 Ltd across the UK Mainland on behalf of the Home Office police forces. Service roll out is on a force-by-force basis and will be completed by 2005. The DTI has granted a license for the MOD and other public safety organisations to use AIRWAVE and it is now MOD policy to take up the service where interoperability with the 'Blue Light' services is required.

Reasons for Implementation: The key benefits, to MOD, of compliance with the approach outlined in this policy are improved interoperability, especially between Service and Civilian agencies and a fully coordinated MOD approach, which will achieve the most cost effective take up of the AIRWAVE service.

Issues: None.

Guidance: This leaflet is outside the scope of both the e-GIF and the NC3TA.

Policy

Strategic

1035.01: Airwave Policy

1035.01.01 It is MOD policy to take up the Airwave service where interoperability with the 'Blue Light' services is required.

1035.01.02 It is mandatory that Fleet maps must be produced in accordance with the Fleet mapping rules and conventions contained within:

1035.01.02.01 Defence AIRWAVE Interworking Guidance and Best Practice - version 1.0 dated 01 Oct 02

Comment: Users shall register their Fleet maps through their single sector authorities, prior to joining the managed service. Take up of the AIRWAVE service will not be permitted without registering the Fleet maps as directed.

1035.01.03 It is mandatory that the AIRWAVE service is provided to defence Users through the DCSA Catalogue. Projects shall order it in accordance with single service instructions.

Deployed	
Not applicable.	

Tactical	
Not applicable.	

Remote	
Not applicable.	

Responsibility for Implementing the Policy

Implementation of this policy shall be the responsibility of those tasking Airwave for the service.

Procedure

Defence AIRWAVE Interworking Guidance and Best Practice - version 1.0 dated 01 Oct 02 has been produced by the Defence Airwave User Group and endorsed by DCSA. The document has been published by DCSA DFN IPT.

When completing the service provision forms from O2 Airwave the service identifiers shall be in accordance with Defence AIRWAVE Interworking Guidance and Best Practice - version 1.0 dated 01 Oct 02.

The Through Life Manager of Airwave services is DCSA DFN TLM (Mobility) 1:(Copenacre, Bldg H4, Room B210, Tel: (internal) Corsham 3920, (external) 01225 81920).

Relevant Links

Defence AIRWAVE Interworking Guidance and Best Practice - version 1.0 dated 01 Oct 02 is available via the Through Life Manager.

A glossary of terms and abbreviations used within this document is available here.

Instructions on how to read a JSP602 leaflet are available here.

Compliance

Stage	Compliance Requirements	
Initial Gate/DP1	MOD Projects shall submit a formal declaration that they have read	
	and understood the policy and sought guidance from the SME(s).	
Main Gate/DP2	MOD projects shall declare they have mandated this policy in the	
	SRD (and MODAF views).	
Release	MOD projects shall make a formal declaration that they adhere to	
Authority/DP5	the Airwave conformance requirements. Where they do not adhere	
	to the requirements, projects shall make a formal declaration of any	
	deviations from these requirements and shall inform the DCSA DFNIPT	
	of their deviations.	