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Joint Recovery Task Force (JRTF)
IRONRESCUE PACERFORGE VILLAGE
05Apr25
FTX842-FRAGORD-002

FRAGMENTARY ORDER #1 TO OPORD (PACER FORGE) (UNCLASSIFIED)

(U) REFERENCES:

AFROTC Warning Order (WARNORD) FTX842-001
AFROTC Execute Order (EXORD) FTX842-002
AFROTC Operation Order (OPORD) PACER FORGE

(U) Time Zone Used Throughout the OPORD: ALAMO (A) [UTC-5, SAN ANTONIO LOCAL DAYLIGHT TIME]

(U) Note: All times in this order are ALAMO (A) unless otherwise specified.

1. (U) **Situation** You have been assigned as the Commander for the Task Force PACER FORGE's 842d Expeditionary Squadron and are responsible for the preparation and execution of missions as tasked by the Higher-Headquarters' Commander (HHQ/CC). The information below is all current intelligence received by the Task Force's Intelligence Command.

- a. (U) Enemy Activity: Increased patrols near POW last known location.
- b. (U) Civilian Status: Unconfirmed friendly intent in vicinity.
- c. (U) POW Status: Captain Curt injured left leg, last signal detected 051200AMAPR25.

2. (U) **Mission.**

- a. Locate and extract POW (Captain Curt) from hostile area (VIEW MAP 1) NLT 261300AAPR05 (1:00 PM local).

3. (U) **Execution.**

- a. (U) Commander's Intent. Enhance military training through agile combat readiness by executing a personnel team recovery mission. in a hostile village environment. Cadets will operate as a joint tactical team, applying small-unit tactics, MEDEVAC, EOD. Success hinges on disciplined teamwork, situational awareness, and the ability to balance aggression with restraint when engaging enemy forces and interacting with civilians. Every cadet must contribute to locating and extracting the isolated HVI while mitigating threats. Speed critical. Avoid civilian casualties.

- b. (U) **Concept of Operations.** At the discretion of the 842d Expeditionary SQ/CC.

(1) (U) **Scheme of Fires.** Identify how you intend to use fires (weapons) to support CONOPS. For this exercise, you will only have access to direct fires in the form of units with Small Arms (see Chapter 1.a. for definition).

(2) (U) **Scheme of Protection.** Identify how you intend to use protection (cover) to support CONOPS. Address Area (perimeter) Security, Reaction Forces and their priorities.

b. (U) **Tasks to Subordinate Units.** Identify and/or assign your subordinates units, their commander, size, and equipment. State the tasks assigned to each unit that reports directly to you. Each task must include who (subordinate assigned the task), what (the task itself), where, when, and why (purpose).

- (a) Infiltrate Village/Rescue team
- (b) Civilian Engagement team
- (c) Landing Zone (LZ) team
- (d) EXPLOSIVE ORDNANCE DISPOSAL (EOD) team

c. (U) **Coordinating Instruction.**

(1) (U) **Rules of Engagement.** Cadets assigned to the 842d SQ will adhere to the following ROEs:

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(a) (U) Weapon Handling. Cadets will take the training environment seriously and treat the sim-rifles as real, loaded weapons. Cadets WILL NOT flag (point the barrel of the weapon at) other cadets or Cadre and only aim their weapons at their intended targets. Cadets will keep their index finger OFF the trigger until they intend to fire. Cadets will be aware of what their target is and what is behind their target.

(b) (U) Enemy Engagement. Cadets will avoid escalating tensions between US forces and the local inhabitants. Cadets will react with equal force unless the situation warrants increased force. Cadets will behave in a professional manner IAW AFROTC guidelines, the Laws of Armed Conflict, and the Geneva Convention.

(c) (U) Small Unit Tactics. Cadets will utilize appropriate Small Unit Tactics to include Bounding (successive and alternating), utilizing cover and concealment

(d) (U) Reacting to Fires. Cadets will react to fires (direct and indirect) utilizing procedures described in AFTTP 3-4.

(2) (U) Risk Reduction Control Measures.

(a) (U) Hydration. Cadets will maintain adequate hydration IAW their needs (hydrate at will).

(b) (U) First Aid. Cadets will apply First Aid procedures for minor wounds (Cuts, Scrapes, Bug Bites, Sunburn - First Degree).

(c) (U) Emergency and Non-Emergency Medical Care. Cadets will notify a member of Cadre or the POC of any injuries that cannot be treated by a cadet performing First Aid. These injuries include, but are not limited to, Heat Cramps/Exhaustion/Stroke, Sprains, Fractures, Animal Bites/Stings, Loss of Consciousness, Dizziness.

(d)

4. (U) SUSTAINMENT.

5. (U) COMMAND AND SIGNAL.

a. (U) Command.

(1) (U) Location of Commander and Key Leaders. *State where you(the CC) and key Leaders intend to be during the operation.*

(2) (U) Succession of Command. *State the succession of command (ie. what happens if the CC is KIA/WIA/MIA).*

b. (U) Signal. No change.

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