

AFSC 20C0

LOGISTICS COMMANDER
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1. Specialty Summary. Directs and monitors logistics programs including aircraft maintenance, nuclear weapons, missile, and munitions maintenance, supply, transportation, and procurement; and serves as senior staff adviser to commanders. Understands or is familiar with financial management/working capital funds, supply chain management, depot maintenance/workload/sustainment, PPBES/programming, life cycle logistics, joint logistics planning, and nuclear enterprise logistics. Related DoD Occupational Group: 280100.

2. Duties and Responsibilities:

2.1. Directs and organizes logistics programs. Reviews logistics requirements for specific objectives and priorities of command mission. Directs preparation of plans for logistics support of tactical, strategic, and defense missions. Plans research projects to determine effectiveness of logistics support programs. Plans and establishes logistics policies and procedures; exercises staff supervision over logistics activities to assure logistics support of Air Force mission requirements. Provides for applied research in areas of technological development, recommending modification of existing equipment and outlining need for developing new equipment. Reviews operating budget requirements of logistics activities and directs consolidation of logistics budget. Reviews applicable stock fund operating programs, and where appropriate, directs their consolidation.

2.2. Monitors logistics activities. Analyzes logistics requirements and estimates capabilities of organization to accomplish assigned missions. Approves fund expenditures for supplies and equipment. Inspects operating condition of facilities and effectiveness of logistics activities to support logistics programs and ensure coordination between such activities. Evaluates logistics programs, establishes responsibilities, estimates trends, and projects requirements and capabilities of activities such as supply, maintenance, transportation, and procurement. Prepares technical publications on logistics methods, procedures, and policies. Directs operation of maintenance and supply organizations.

2.3. Coordinates logistics programs. Advises commanders on status of logistics programs and ability to meet current and projected requirements. Coordinates with civil engineering personnel, operations directors, and comptrollers in preparation of master command plan and in outlining areas of responsibility to avoid duplication of functions. Confers with commanders and staff on activities such as maintenance, supply, transportation, and procurement to establish and implement logistics programs, policies, and procedures. Coordinates with comptroller activities in projecting budget requirements and allocating funds to logistics programs. Maintains liaison with research and development activities, military services, and public and private agencies on logistics changes.

3. Specialty Qualifications:

3.1. Knowledge. Knowledge is mandatory of: supply, procurement, maintenance control, production management, and logistics planning.

3.2. Education. For entry into this specialty, a Masters in logistics management, engineering, operations management or business administration is desirable.

3.3. Training. Graduation from the Enterprise Logistics Course, LOG 420, is highly desirable before or once assigned to a 20C0 position. The Enterprise Logistics Course is taught at the AFIT School of Systems and Logistics and prepares 21X O-5s and Series 346 GS- 14/15s for strategic leadership positions at the O-6/GS-15 levels, with a major emphasis on enterprise-level logistics competencies. It will enhance students' critical thinking skills about challenges they'll face in multiple positions as senior logisticians. The course includes comprehensive analysis of topics such as: financial management/working capital funds, supply chain management, depot maintenance/workload/sustainment, PPBES/programming, life cycle logistics, joint logistics planning, nuclear enterprise logistics, and current issues impacting senior logisticians.

3.4. Experience. For award of AFSC 20C0, the following experience is mandatory:

3.4.1. Qualification in a staff officer specialty in one or more utilization fields in the Logistics Career Area.

3.4.1.1. For ANG officers only, qualification in Aircraft Maintenance or Munitions and Missile Maintenance utilization fields (21A3 or 21M3) is required for award of AFSC 20C0.

3.4.2. Experience formulating plans and policies for, and monitoring logistics programs, with emphasis on requirements determination; and operating procedures, systems, and policies requiring a factual understanding of all phases of logistics.

3.4.3. Successful completion of squadron command is highly desirable

3.5. Other. Not used.