

OPORD 2: OPERATION FIREWALL GUARDIAN

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EXERCISE OPORD 002-25

FROM: Joint Cyber Defense Command

DTG: 170900ZJUL25

1. SITUATION

a. Enemy Forces: EXERCISE - Nation-state actor "Digital Storm" with advanced capabilities including zero-day exploits and insider threat potential. Targeting critical infrastructure with intent to disrupt operations.

b. Friendly Forces: Joint task force of 120 personnel across multiple agencies. Includes DOD cyber teams, DHS CISA, and private sector partners.

c. Environment: EXERCISE - Simulated period of international tension with heightened cyber threat activity.

2. MISSION

Joint Cyber Defense Command conducts coordinated defensive cyber operations from 180000Z JUL 25 to 190600Z JUL 25 to protect critical infrastructure from simulated nation-state cyber attacks in order to maintain essential services and national security during EXERCISE.

3. EXECUTION

a. Concept of Operations: Integrated defense of power, water, and transportation systems through coordinated monitoring, threat sharing, and rapid response.

b. Tasks to Subordinate Units:

- **Power Grid Defense Team:** Monitor SCADA systems and implement protective measures. Coordinate with utility companies.
- **Water System Defense Team:** Secure treatment facility networks and implement backup procedures.
- **Transportation Defense Team:** Protect air traffic control and rail systems from simulated attacks.
- **Mobile Response Team:** Deploy to locations requiring immediate assistance within 4-hour response time.

c. Fire Support: Not applicable for defensive cyber operations.

d. Coordinating Instructions:

- All protective measures must not disrupt normal operations unless specifically authorized
- Maintain open communication channels with infrastructure operators
- Document all actions for compliance and lessons learned

4. SERVICE SUPPORT

a. Logistics: Established coordination centers at each sector. Mobile command vehicle available for deployment.

b. Communications: Secure communications established with all infrastructure partners through EXERCISE protocols.

5. COMMAND AND SIGNAL

a. Command: Joint Cyber Defense Command maintains operational control with sector commanders retaining tactical control.

b. Signal: Primary through Joint Worldwide Intelligence Communications System (EXERCISE). Backup via secure satellite communications.

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