

SUBJECT: Distribution Process Owner (DPO) (Joint Deployment and Distribution Enterprise (JDDE))
Governance Structure

DPO Governance Structure provides a forum for the DPO, in collaboration with the Joint Deployment and Distribution Enterprise Community of Interest (JDDE COI), to socialize, vet, and implement functional process improvements and technical enablement of shortfalls in distribution capability.

OVERVIEW:

- The JDDE Charter formalizes a collaborative structure to develop and implement distribution process improvements across Department of Defense (DOD) distribution activities
- The three tiered DPO Governance Structure was institutionalized in 2006 and is designed to improve collaboration across the Services, Combatant Commanders (COCOMS), and Agencies to identify, prioritize, and fix gaps in enterprise capability identified by stakeholders
- The three tiers are the Distribution Process Owner Executive Board (DEB), the Distribution Oversight Council (DOC), and the Distribution Steering Group (DSG); battle rhythm is DSG - DSG - DOC - DEB

DISCUSSION:

- Distribution Process Owner Executive Board (DEB)
 - Capstone Governance forum for the DOD distribution process and is the senior decision making body established to collaborate, coordinate, and direct DPO initiatives and distribution operations in support of Combatant Commanders
 - Chaired by the USTRANSCOM Commander (TCCC)
 - Voting Members: Assistant Secretary of Defense (ASD) L&MR, Deputy Chief Management Officer (DCMO), DLA Director, Joint Staff (JS) J4, Service 4s, COCOM 4s, General Services Administration/Federal Acquisition Service (GSA/FAS) Commissioner, USTRANSCOM Deputy Commander (TCDC)
 - Advisors: Army/Air Force Exchange Service (AAFES), Defense Commissary Agency (DeCA), Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), Navy Exchange Service (NEXCOM), United States Agency for International Development (USAID), JS J3, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (DASD)-TP, DASD-SCI, DLA, USTRANSCOM J3, J5/J4, J6, J8
- Distribution Oversight Council (DOC)
 - Deliberates on JDDE standards, processes, policies, business rules, improvement initiatives and information technology solutions recommended by the DSG; and in turn (when appropriate) will advance recommendations to the DEB
 - Chaired by the USTRANSCOM Deputy Commander (TCDC)
 - Voting Members: DASD-TP, JS J4 Vice, Service 4s, COCOM 4s, DLA J3, GSA/FSA, USTRANSCOM J5/J4
 - Advisors: AAFES, Deputy DCMO, DeCA, FEMA, NEXCOM, JS J3 Vice, DASD-SCI, USTRANSCOM J3, J6, J8
- Distribution Steering Group (DSG)
 - Collaboratively supports the JDDE COI with the management, execution, and improvement of distribution processes
 - Co-Chaired by the USTRANSCOM J5/J4 and DLA J3
 - Voting Members: DASD-TP, DASD-SCI, JS J4, Services, COCOM J4s, USTRANSCOM J3, DLA Distribution, GSA/FSA/General Supplies and Services (GSS)
 - Advisors: Defense Contracting Management Agency (DCMA), Defense Information System Agency (DISA), FEMA, JS J3, DASD-SCI, DLA J8, USTRANSCOM J6, J8

RECOMMENDATION: None. For information only.