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Encl: (1) Functions and tasks of COMNAVFACENGCOM, Alexandria, VA

1. Purpose. To publish the functions and tasks of Commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command (COMNAVFACENGCOM), Alexandria, VA under the mission established by reference (a).

2. Mission. To provide material and technical support for shore facilities, real property, and utilities, fixed ocean systems and structures, transportation and construction equipment, energy, environmental, and natural resources management, and support of the Naval Construction Force (NCF), as prescribed by the Chief of Naval Operations (CNO); to provide similar material support for the Marine Corps, as required by the Commandant of the Marine Corps, and for other Department of the Navy and Department of Defense organizations, as assigned; and to perform such other functions and tasks as assigned by higher authority.

3. Status and Command Relationships. COMNAVFACENGCOM, Alexandria, VA is a shore activity in an active (fully operational) status under a Commander.

a. Command

Echelon

1. Chief of Naval Operations
2. Commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Alexandria, VA

b. Area Coordination

Commandant, Naval District Washington, DC

4. Action. In accomplishing the assigned mission, the Commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command, will ensure performance of the functions and tasks in enclosure (1). Send recommended changes via the chain of command to the CNO (OP-09).

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FUNCTIONS AND TASKS OF THE COMMANDER NAVAL FACILITIES ENGINEERING COMMAND

The Naval Facilities Engineering Command provides shore facilities and related technical and material support to the Chief of Naval Operations (CNO), the Operating Forces of the Navy, the Marine Corps. and other offices as assigned. Except as otherwise provided by the CNO, the Commander, Naval Facilities Engineering Command (COMNAVFACENGCOM) is responsible for:

1. Material support for

(a) Shore facilities, fixed surface and subsurface ocean structures, floating cranes, fleet moorings, and lift docks.

(b) Utilities and mobile utility support equipment.

(c) Civil engineer support equipment, including automotive, construction, fire fighting, weight-handling and railway equipment (except that of the Marine Corps and equipment assigned to another command or office).

(d) Civil engineering end items for sealift support systems.

(e) Materials and appliances for defense against chemical, biological, and radiological warfare ashore, except instruments for detecting and measuring radioactivity.

2. Technical support, including

(a) Auditing the integrated logistics systems for land and facilities implications; providing comprehensive planning services including environmental documentation and economic analysis; validating projects; and coordinating site approvals.

(b) Preparing annual and other military construction programs for the Shore Facilities Programming Board.

(c) Assisting the CNO in presenting and supporting military construction and operations and maintenance programs to higher authority and to the Congress.

3. Providing design, engineering and construction of Navy shore facilities and fixed surface and sub-surface ocean structures.

4. Award and administer architect-engineer, construction and facilities support contracts.

5. Provide research, development, test, and evaluation for shore facilities.

6. As directed by CNO, provide public works in areas of fleet or training concentration. This includes: energy, utilities, transportation, facilities maintenance and repair, family housing management and environmental protection.

7. Providing advice and help on

(a) Facilities minor construction and major repair projects.

(b) Facilities fire protection engineering and fire fighting.

(c) Systems safety engineering for facilities acquisition.

(d) Maintaining grounds, buildings, and structures (Class I and Class II property).

(e) Operating and maintaining automotive, railway, weight-handling, and construction equipment.

(f) Operating and maintaining utilities.

(g) Energy conservation.

(h) Other facilities-related services.

8. Programming, planning, designing, constructing, acquiring, and disposing of family housing; and (except at Marine Corps activities) managing and maintaining family housing.

9. Provide technical advice to the CNO on the Naval Construction Force (NCF); providing homeport and logistics support for the NCF; and maintaining the NCF tables of allowance.

10. Determining and authorizing rates of utility services.

11. Managing a Navy-wide land use compatibility program to identify and mitigate incompatible encroachment on shore activities.

12. Acquiring and disposing of real property; managing excess real property; outgranting; maintaining inventory and records; and inleasing real estate.

13. Administering the Navy's natural resources conservation and management program.

14. Administering collateral equipment programs for specified facilities, including personnel support facilities and naval shore activities, except Marine Corps activities.

15. Providing disaster preparedness technical guidance for the naval shore establishment.

16. Providing facilities engineering for the Navy advanced based functional component system.

17. Developing and maintaining an automated information system to ensure integrated facility support in planning, programming, and executing Navy missions.

18. Managing the Navy's shoreside program for environmental protection, pollution abatement, and occupational safety and health hazard abatement.