

Joint Action Scenario Team (JAST) Meeting Minutes

Date: 15 November 2004

Meeting Title: JAST Meeting – 15 November 2004

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Agenda:

- Review 8 Nov 04 Minutes
- Review JAST Scenario Ideas
 - New ideas
 - Status of current ideas
- Feedback on review of ISG Tracker input
- Other Issues

Synopsis of Discussion Items:

Review 8 November 2004 Minutes

- JAST approved the 8 November 2004 Minutes.

Review JAST Scenario Ideas

- New Ideas.
 - The HSA JCSG submitted one (1) new joint operational basing scenario idea. JAST members present assigned BRAC POCs.
- Status of Current Ideas.
 - The JAST reported the following feedback on the scenario ideas previously submitted by the Navy.
 - Navy #N001 – Further study.
 - Navy #N002 & #N003 – Since these two scenario ideas appear to fall within HSA’s area of responsibility, the JAST recommended the Navy first refer them to the HSA JCSG for their consideration. If the HSA JCSG does not pursue the scenario ideas, Navy can process them through the JAST.

- USMC #MC001, #MC002, #MC003, & #MC004 – Further study.
- The Navy representative again reiterated that its deliberative body was very close to making a decision on which JAST scenario ideas the Navy will pursue jointly.
- The Air Force representative reported that although its deliberative body had not yet made its decision, the Air Force is committed to participating in the joint basing scenario process.
- Feedback on review of ISG Tracker input
 - The JAST reiterated the importance of reviewing the ISG Tracker, identifying any scenarios with joint implication that require JAST review, and presenting those scenarios to the JAST immediately. Navy anticipates its review will be completed in the very near future and intends to provide an update at the next JAST meeting. Army and Air Force will also continue reviewing scenarios in the ISG Tracker.
- Other Issues.
 - The JAST discussed the need to update the BRAC Directors on the current status and way ahead for the JAST process. A presentation to the BRAC Directors is scheduled for 17 November.

Decisions:

- The JAST changed the status of #N002 & N003 to CLOSED, with the suggestion for Navy to refer the ideas to the HSA JCSG.

Recommendations:

1. JAST update the BRAC Directors on status and way ahead for pursuing joint basing scenario ideas.
2. MILDEP BRAC POCs closely coordinate joint scenario ideas and immediately begin working the scenario ideas with their appropriate Service counterparts.
3. MILDEP BRAC offices review ISG Tracker to determine if any existing scenarios require JAST review. JAST members report result at next meeting.
4. JAST members continue to meet and provide updates. The next meeting is scheduled for 22 November 2004.