

AGENDA

NORAD & USNORTHCOM Legal Conference
Tuesday-Thursday, 18-20 April 2006
Cheyenne Mountain Resort
Colorado Springs, Colorado

A Perfect Storm: States, Federal Agencies & the Role of
NORAD & USNORTHCOM in Disaster Response Operations

Monday, 17 April 2006

1900 Icebreaker at The Cheyenne Mountain Resort, The Remington Room

Tuesday, 18 April 2006, "Laying the Groundwork"

0745-0800 Morning Social, The Colorado Room (Refreshments available)

0800-0830 Welcoming Remarks (CAPT Kurt Johnson, N-NC SJA)

0830-0915 NORAD & USNORTHCOM Bi-Command Brief (Maj Jon Brickey, N-NC/CX)

0915-0930 Deputy Commander's Opening Remarks (LTG Joe Inge)

0930-1015 Break & Group Photo of Conference Participants

1015-1100 Factual Overview of Hurricanes KATRINA & RITA (MG Rich Rowe, NC/J3)

1100-1150 The Role of the National Guard (LTG Clyde Vaughn, Director, Army National Guard)

1215-1415 Working Lunch, The Centennial Ballroom (Speaker – TBD)

1430-1520 The Role of DHS in Disaster Response (Mr. Gus Coldebella, Deputy General Counsel, DHS)

1520-1540 Break

1540-1630 The Principal Federal Official's View (VADM Thad Allen, USCG)

1630 Closing Remarks (CAPT Kurt Johnson, N-NC/JA)

Dinner at Leisure

Wednesday, 19 April 06, “Conducting DoD Operations in the Homeland—Unique Issues” & Break-Outs

0745-0800 Morning Social, The Colorado Room (Refreshments available)

0800-0850 Top Hurricane Legal Issues for the DoD Practitioner (Mr. Howard Donaldson & COL John Gereski, N-NC/JA)

0850-0900 Break

0900-1015 International Assistance Issues (Moderator—Mr. Gary Walsh, N-NC/JA. Panel: COL Keith Well, ARNORTH SJA; Maj Gen Mark Volcheff, NC/J5; Ms. Deborah Bolton, N-NC POLAD; and Mr. Patrick D. Wittmann, Canadian POLAD)

1015-1030 Break

1030-1200 Issues in Intelligence Community Support of Civil Authorities (Moderator: Mr. Bob Hilmo, N-NC/JA. Panel: The Honorable Cynthia R. Ryan, General Counsel, National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency; Rear Admiral William Baumgartner, Chief Counsel & Judge Advocate General, U.S. Coast Guard; Mr. John Smith, Deputy General Counsel (Intelligence), Department of Defense; and Ms. Corin Stone, Deputy General Counsel, Office of the Director, National Intelligence)

1200-1300 Lunch At Leisure

1300-1315 Muster at Cheyenne Mountain Resort (CMR) Front Entrance/Depart to Off-Site Tours & Break-Out Sessions

CHEYENNE MTN OPS CENTER TOUR	PANDEMIC FLU BREAK-OUT & CC TOUR	INTEL BREAK-OUT	TJAGs & COCOM SJAs MEETING & CC TOUR
1315: Muster at CMR. Board bus.	1315: Meet in Boardroom, CMR (UNCLASSIFIED)	1315: Muster at CMR. Board Bus.	1315: Board DV Surrey at CMR.
1345: Arrive at CMOC.	1515: Board bus for trip to PAFB, Building 2.	1345: Arrive at PAFB, Combined Intelligence Fusion Center, Building 920.	1345: Arrive at Peterson AFB, B-2. Meeting in N-NC/JA Conference Room.
1400: Briefing in Auditorium. The session is UNCLASSIFIED.	1545: Tour of N-NC Command Center.	1400: Break-out session begins. (SECRET)	1430: Tour of N-NC Command Center.
1445: Guided Tour of CMOC, group photo.	1630: Command Center Tour complete. Board bus for return to CMR.	1600: Break-out session ends.	1515: Command Center Tour complete. TJAGs return to CMR.
1600: Tour Complete. Board bus for return to CMR.		1615: Board bus & return to CMR.	1530: COCOM SJA meetings continue.

			1700: COCOM SJAs return to CMR.
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1800 No-Host Cocktail Hour

1900 Conference Dinner, The Centennial Ballroom (Day 2 Keynote Speaker—Daniel J. Dell’Orto, Principal Deputy General Counsel, Department of Defense)

Thursday, 20 April 06, “The Use of Title 10 Forces in Future Catastrophic Incidents – Policy Debate”

0745-0800 Morning Social, The Colorado Room (Refreshments available)

0800-0820 Optional Social Event: Fort Carson’s Harmony in Motion, The Colorado Room

0820-0830 Break in Place

0830-0930 The Joint Task Force Commander (LTG Honore, Commanding General, 1st Army)

0930-0945 Break

0945-1100 Unity of Effort (Moderator: COL John Gereski, N-NC/JA. Panel: LTG Joe Inge, NORTHCOM Deputy Commander; Maj Gen Harold Cross, The Adjutant General of Mississippi; Maj Gen Douglas Burnett, The Adjutant General of Florida)

1100-1110 Break

1110-1200 Debate: “Resolved—The President has the authority to designate DOD as the lead federal agency in responding to certain catastrophic disasters.” (Major General Walter Huffman, U.S. Army (Retired), Dean, Texas Tech University School of Law; and Professor Michael Greenberger, Director, Center for Health and Homeland Security, University of Maryland).

1200-1315 No-Host Lunch for General Counsel, Deputy General Counsel & COCOM SJAs at The Cheyenne Mountain Resort, The Mountain View Dining Room. All Others Lunch at Leisure.

1315-1445 Authorities: Does DoD Have Sufficient Authority to Provide a Timely & Effective Response? (Moderator: CAPT Kurt Johnson, N-NC/JA. Panel: Major General Albert C. Harvey, USMC Reserve (Retired), Chair, ABA Hurricane Katrina Task Force; Col Ron Reed, USAF, Legal Counsel to the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff; and Mr. Carl Wagner, Associate Deputy General Counsel for Homeland Defense and Civil Support, Department of Defense).

1445-1500 Break

1500-1550 Day 3 Keynote Speaker—Admiral Timothy J. Keating, Commander, NORAD & USNORTHCOM

1600 Closing Remarks (CAPT Kurt Johnson, N-NC/JA)