

1 may not exercise military command over the Joint Chiefs of
2 Staff or any of the armed forces.

3 “(d) Subject to the authority, direction, and control of
4 the President and the Secretary of Defense, the Chairman of
5 the Joint Chiefs of Staff shall—

6 “(1) prepare strategic plans to provide for the
7 strategic direction of the armed forces, including plans
8 which conform with resource levels projected by the
9 Secretary of Defense;

10 “(2) advise the Secretary on the extent to which
11 the program recommendations and budget proposals of
12 the military departments and other components of the
13 Department of Defense for each fiscal year conform
14 with the priorities established in strategic plans and the
15 operational requirements of the unified and specified
16 combatant commands;

17 “(3) advise the Secretary on the extent to which
18 the major manpower programs and policies of the
19 armed forces conform with strategic plans;

20 “(4) provide for the preparation and review of
21 contingency plans which conform to policy guidance
22 from the President and the Secretary of Defense;

23 “(5) prepare joint logistic and mobility plans to
24 support the contingency plans and recommend the as-
25 signment of logistic and mobility responsibilities to the