

[§ 3033. Reserve components of Army; policies and regulations for government of]

(NOTE: Section 3033 is relocated to chapter 303 as section 3019.)

§ [3034] 3033. Chief of Staff: appointment; term of office; powers and duties

(a) **[The]** *There is a Chief of Staff of the Army* **[shall be]** appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, for a period of four years, from the general officers of the Army. He serves during the pleasure of the President. In time of war or *during a national emergency* **[,]** declared by **[the]** Congress **[after December 31, 1968]**, he may be reappointed for a term of not more than four years.

(b) The Chief of Staff, while so serving, has the grade of general without vacating his regular or reserve grade.

(c) Except as otherwise prescribed by law and subject to section **[3012 (c) and (d)]** *3013(f)* of this title, the Chief of Staff performs his duties under the **[direction]** *authority, direction, and control* of the Secretary of the **[Army,]** *Army* and is directly responsible to the Secretary **[for the efficiency of the Army, its preparedness for military operations, and plans therefor].**

(d) **[The]** *Subject to the authority, direction, and control of the Secretary of the Army, the Chief of Staff shall—*

(1) preside over the Army Staff;

(2) **[send]** *transmit* the plans and recommendations of the Army Staff to the Secretary, and advise **[him]** *the Secretary* with regard **[thereto;]** *to such plans and recommendations;*

(3) after approval of the plans or recommendations of the Army Staff by the Secretary, act as the agent of the Secretary in carrying them into effect;

(4) exercise **[supervision over]** *supervision, consistent with the full operational command vested in unified or specified combatant commanders under chapter 6 of this title, over such of the members and organizations of the Army as the Secretary [of the Army] determines [.* Such supervision shall be exercised in a manner consistent with the full operational command vested in unified or specified combatant commanders under section 124 of this title];

(5) perform the duties **[described]** *prescribed* for him by **[sections 141 and]** *section 171* of this title and other provisions of law; **[and]**

(6) keep the Secretary fully informed on matters considered or acted upon by the Joint Chiefs of Staff; and

[(6)] *(?) perform such other military duties, not otherwise assigned by law, as are assigned to him by the [President.] President, the Secretary of Defense, or the Secretary of the Army.*

(e) The Chief of Staff shall also perform the duties prescribed for him as a member of the Joint Chiefs of Staff under section 151 of this title.