

“(d) The Secretary of the Army is also responsible for such other activities as may be prescribed by law or by the President or Secretary of Defense.

“(e) After first informing the Secretary of Defense, the Secretary of the Army may make such recommendations to Congress relating to the Department of Defense as he considers appropriate.

“(f) The Secretary of the Army may assign such of his functions, powers, and duties as he considers appropriate to the Under Secretary of the Army and to the Assistant Secretaries of the Army. Officers of the Army shall, as directed by the Secretary, report on any matter to the Secretary, the Under Secretary, or any Assistant Secretary.

“(g) The Secretary of the Army may—

“(1) assign, detail, and prescribe the duties of members of the Army and civilian personnel of the Department of the Army;

“(2) change the title of any officer or activity of the Department of the Army not prescribed by law; and

“(3) prescribe regulations to carry out his functions, powers, and duties under this title.

“§ 3014. Office of the Secretary of the Army

“(a) There is in the Department of the Army an Office of the Secretary of the Army. The function of the Office is to assist the Secretary of the Army in carrying out his responsibilities.

“(b) The Office of the Secretary of the Army is composed of the following:

“(1) The Under Secretary of the Army.

“(2) The Assistant Secretaries of the Army.

“(3) The Administrative Assistant to the Secretary of the Army.

“(4) The General Counsel of the Department of the Army.

“(5) The Inspector General of the Army.

“(6) The Army Reserve Forces Policy Committee.

“(7) Such other offices and officials as may be established by law or as the Secretary of the Army may establish or designate.

“(c)(1) The Office of the Secretary of the Army shall have sole responsibility within the Office of the Secretary and the Army Staff for the following functions:

“(A) Acquisition.

“(B) Auditing.

“(C) Comptroller (including financial management).

“(D) Information management.

“(E) Inspector General.

“(F) Legislative affairs.

“(G) Public affairs.

“(2) The Secretary of the Army shall establish or designate a single office or other entity within the Office of the Secretary of the Army to conduct each function specified in paragraph (1). No office or other entity may be established or designated within the Army Staff to conduct any of the functions specified in paragraph (1).

“(3) The Secretary shall prescribe the relationship of each office or other entity established or designated under paragraph (2) to the Chief of Staff and to the Army Staff and shall ensure that each such office or entity provides the Chief of Staff such staff support as the Chief of Staff considers necessary to perform his duties and responsibilities.

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