A Company 6th Regiment, USACC Republic of North Torbia

(U) OPORD 25-10-2 (OPERATION SEAWORLD)

(U) References: ATP 3-21.8

(U) Time Zone Used Throughout Order: Local

(U) Grid Coordinates Used Throughout the Order: UTM MGRS

- (U) Company Task Organization: 1st, and 3rd PLTs pure, with no attachments or detachments. 2nd platoon has a sapper element attached, Each PLT has three organic maneuver SQDs with an M249 each and a Weapon SQD equipped with 2x 240B.
- 1)<u>SITUATION</u>. Elements of the South Torbian 3251st Special-Purpose Forces (SPF) Brigade (AIRBORNE) have been conducting operations within AO PORKCHOP. They have the task to establish and defend key mission command, communications sites, mortar firing positions, and cache positions throughout the AO as well as seize and hold key terrain. This will set conditions for a 1st Mech (South Torbia) counterattack planned for later this summer. The Area of Interest extends approximately 2 km beyond our area of operations to include areas in North Torbia that provide material, personnel and moral support to enemy. This area also includes fire support assets that exist outside our AO that support North Torbian elements operating in our AO.
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 - b) Area of Operations. To the North, Alpha's AO is bordered by Highway 60 and TF Panther. To the east, Alpha's AO is bordered by Route 1882. To the South, Alpha's AO is bordered by Highway 361 and Bravo Company. Alpha Company's western boundary generally follows the 83 Easting Charlie company is also located around there.
 - (1)<u>Terrain</u>. Generally the terrain in Alpha AO consists of flat terrain and wet grounds. There is slim cover and concealment for small, dismounted maneuver units. Mounted units have freedom of movement due to absence of dense terrain
 - (a) Obstacles. There exists some rough, sandy, broken terrain in the western portion of the Alpha CO AO that will slow dismounted and mounted maneuver, but provide some cover and concealment. This flat area has been bombarded so expect divots and pits.
 - (b) Avenues of Approach. RTE 60 in the North of the AO runs east to west and is a hard ball road that can support two combat vehicles abreast moving at speeds up to 60 kph. Other hardball roads such as RTE 1882 to the East and RTE 313 to the west also exist and can be used with combat vehicles.
 - (c)<u>Key Terrain</u>. Key Terrain (K1) is a hilltop vic Grid EG 8474 9312, this hill is key terrain provides cover and concealment, observation, and field of fire that can control north/south movement along HWY 1882 and surveillance for the communications tower. this is tied to SO2
 - (d) <u>Observation and Fields of Fire</u>. Observation within the CO AO is very good. Along roads and trails observation can approach 400-600m providing good fields of fire for all weapon systems oriented on these linear features. CO AO is comprised of flat land therefore providing good fields of fire for all weapon systems

- (e) <u>Cover and Concealment</u>. Overall, cover and concealment is poor in CO AO due to flat low laying ground. There are depressions and divots in the AO that could be used for cover, emphasize foxhole usage.
- (2) <u>Weather</u>. Expect rainy weather with temperatures hovering around 80F. This might create muddy trails and ground where vehicles can get stuck. Use wet weather gear sparingly as this can lead to heat exhaustion.
- c)<u>Enemy Forces</u>. North Torbian conventional forces are currently operating in the Regimental AO (AO PORKCHOP). They have been operating in the AO with limited disruption for more than a week. Intelligence indicates 3251 SPF BDE is utilizing Sapper elements to conduct harassing attacks in AO Grizzly.
 - (1)<u>Disposition</u>. Within the Regimental AO a reinforced rifle company with up to five Infantry PLTs exists in the AO. Precise locations for these PLTs have not been identified.
 - (a)Within the A Co AO we are facing a reinforced rifle PLT (Rifle PLT + 1 Rifle SQD) operating at the SQD and PLT level
 - (b)Intelligence reporting indicates that there is an North Torbian WEAPONS SQD located at EG 8446 9328(OBJ PENGUIN) defending the communications tower
 - (c)North Torbian fire teams have been observed moving along hard ball road RTE 1882
 - (2)<u>Composition</u>. A North Torbian PLT consists of 35-45 soldiers arranged into three rifle squads. and 1 weapons squad Each Rifle Squad is led by an NCO and consists of 9-10 personnel, arranged in two fire teams of 4-5 personnel. One of the two fire teams in each squad is equipped with a RPK LMG, the rest carry the AK-47 Assault Rifle. Each SQD has portable FM radio with a range of 1-2km. The weapons squad is led by a weapons NCO, each fire team consists of 1 heavy machine gunner with an MG42 and an RPG specialist along with 2 ammo bearers.
 - (3)Strengths and Weaknesses. The strength of the North Torbian Military force within AO PORKCHOP comes from their high level of training, endurance in battle, discipline, and short range communications capabilities. This allows them to operate effectively at the SQD level and then consolidate rapidly for operations at the PLT level. These soldiers are at their home land and will defend it at all costs. They have been identified moving equipment containing components of a "Counter UAS" device. They do have command post and communication nodes somewhere within the AO. Their disciplined use of North Torbian Army uniforms (Green soviet era tops and bottoms, Soviet era helmets) makes them easily identifiable. They lack night vision goggles and tactical long range communication (not reliable beyond 1500m). PLT HQ use satellite communication nodes to communicate with CO HQs. The North Torbian elements are supported by extremely capable mortar squads that can usually deliver indirect fire support within 5 minutes of the call for fire using both light and medium mortar systems.
 - (4)<u>Most Likely Course of Action</u>. North Torbian forces will continue to conduct defensive operations in the AO to hold terrain that they have established mortar firing points, mission command nodes, cache sites or terrain that controls the road network. If they lose control of a defensive position it is likely that they will attempt to retake the position within 5 hours in order to regain the position and any material they lost. When we first enter the AO, we can expect that the North Torbian elements will aggressively conduct reconnaissance of our activities in order to gain intelligence to support future offensive operations. A North Torbian mission command node will typically locate near mortar firing positions to provide more rapid fire support to maneuver forces in zone. They will attempt to employ electronic warfare assets to interdict or anti-aircraft weapons to shoot down any manned or unmanned aircraft they can identify. North Torbian forces will seek

contact with US forces to disrupt our movements and operations and will attack static locations (Patrol bases, defensive locations) with PLT and SQD size elements to destroy US forces.

(5) Most Dangerous Course of Action. The most dangerous course of action is for an North Torbian forces to call Armor and air support to quickly eliminate any stranded friendly forces.

d)Friendly Forces.

- (1) Higher Headquarters Mission and Intent.
 - (a) Higher Headquarters Two Levels Up.
 - 1) <u>Mission</u>. CJTF-100 (Coalition Joint Forces Command-100) conducts offensive and defensive operations in the AO over the next 90 days IOT set the conditions for the transfer of responsibility to South Torbian Forces.

2)Commander's Intent

(a)The purpose of our operation are to assist the South Torbian Forces in eliminating threats to their people, land and government so that they may secure their country from enemy threat.

(b)Key Tasks.

- (1)DESTROY ALL NORTH TORBIAN FORCES
- (2) Defend fixed locations from North Torbian counterattacks
- (c)<u>Endstate</u>. The CJTF-100 AO is under the control South Torbain Forces. North Torbian forces are destroyed, No civilian humanitarian crisis exists.

(b) Higher Headquarters.

- 1)Mission. 6th RGT, CJTF-100 conducts operations in AO PORKCHOP over the next 120 hours to destroy North Torbian forces in the 1st RGT AO.
- 2)<u>Commander's Intent</u>. The purpose of our operations are to set the conditions so that we can turn the AO over to South Torbian Forces after the elimination of organized North Torbian forces in the AO.

(a)Key Tasks.

- 1)Aggressively locate and DESTROY North Torbian and Forces in the Regimental AO.
- 2)Treat the local populace with dignity and respect, engage them when appropriate to prevent their demise or gain intelligence.
- 3)Maintain an offensive mindset and conduct defensive operations only to prevent North Torbian forces from retaking key terrain or regaining supplies and materials.
- 4)Strict adherence to the Rules of Engagement.

(2)Adjacent Unit Missions:

- (a)B Company destroys North Torbian forces in sector in order to secure the AO and set the conditions for handover to host nation forces. B Company is located to our South, bordered by ASR Cross
- (b)) C Company destroys North Torbian forces in sector in order to secure the AO and set the conditions for handover to host nation forces. C Company is located to our east bordered by Otter Creek.
- (c)D Company destroys North Torbian forces in sector in order to secure the AO and set the conditions for handover to host nation forces. D Co is located to our East and is bordered by ASR Cross to the North and hardball road to the West.

b)<u>Interagency, Intergovernmental, and Nongovernmental Organizations</u>. We currently lack a solid understanding of the presence of non-military entities that exist in the AO. None are known at this time but may be present.

c)Civil Considerations

- (1)In AO Porkchop there are some civilian personnel. However, The few villages in the AO are believed to be abandoned and void of civilian personnel due to intense fighting. It's best to avoid these villages when possible.
- (2)It is possible that civilians may re-enter the AO in order to secure belongings or property, gather livestock or occupy their homes.
- (3)Avoid causing civilian casualties or causing damage to civilian property or infrastructure whenever feasible. The erosion of civil support will impair our ability to complete our mission.
- d)Attachments and Detachments. 1 Engineer Sapper squad attached to A CO.
- 2) MISSION. NLT 21 JUL 2027 1900 Alpha Company, 6 RGT CJTF 100, destroys enemy forces and restricts enemy communications in the CO AO in order to set the conditions for continued offensive operations against North Torbian and eventual transition of the AO to South Torbian forces.

3) EXECUTION

a)Commander's Intent.

(1) <u>Purpose</u> The purpose of our initial operation is to reduce the enemy capabilities, communication and freedom of movement within the AO.

(2)Key Tasks.

- (a)Conduct aggressive offensive operations to kill/capture North Torbian Forces and their support material in the AO.
- (b)Conduct demolition operations to destroy enemy communication site
- (c)Conduct detailed planning and rehearsals to ensure our forces are prepared for various contingencies and unforeseen opportunities and challenges during the conduct of our missions.
- (d)Hold terrain when necessary to prevent North Torbian forces from controlling Key Avenue of approach.
- (3)<u>Endstate</u>: North Torbian forces are degraded due to our initial operations. Communications link is destroyed, Friendly forces will be poised to conduct additional operations based on intelligence

gained from the initial operations. Civilian forces will not be significantly impacted by our initial operation.

b)Concept of the Operation. The purpose of the operation is to deny the enemy freedom of maneuver and destroy communication capabilities. We will accomplish this by conducting an envelopment. Decisive to this operation is to destroy the communication tower in OBJ PENGUIN. This is decisive because it denies enemy, communication capabilities, and freedom of maneuver and entry into the northern sector of our AO. This will be completed by conducting three PLT level missions nearly simultaneously. The DO (2 PLT) conducts a Raid to destroy a North Torbian communications tower at OBJ PENGUIN (EG 8446 9328) in order to degrade enemy capabilities. SO1 (1 PLT) conducts an ambush to restrict enemy movement near tower vic OBJ SHARK. SO2 (3 PLT) conducts an attack to capture KT vicinity of OBJ FISH

The purpose of fires is to disrupt the enemy at fixed locations prior to our assault. Our AO is in range of Company 60mm Mortars. Priority of fires to DO, SO1, SO2. Decisive to the operation is the destruction of the enemy communications tower at OBJ PENGUIN There are 3x company targets in effect for this operation.

Target	Trigger	Location	Observer	Delivery System	Attack Guidance	Comm Net
AB1000 Expected enemy AoA for attack	Pos ID of enemy forces attacking OBJ	EG 8362 9702	PLT FO	60 mm	1 Rnd HE	Co Net
AB1005 Estimated enemy AoA and reinforcement staging area	Pos ID of enemy forces vic OBJ Hognose	EG 8433 9662	PLT FO	60 mm	1 Rnd HE	Co Net
AB1010 Main enemy AoA for reinforcements	Pos ID enemy forces attacking OBJ Penguin	EG 8400 9780	PLT FO	60 mm	1 Rnd HE	Co Net

c)Scheme of Maneuver. We will accomplish this mission in four phases.

Phase I - Planning. This phase begins receipt of this order and continues until crossing Line of Departure (LD). All three platoon will move from TAA Burger to their respective start points by foot.

1 PLT will be 1st OOM and SP TAA at 0630 to establish Attack Position Charlie and continue TLPs until SP to ORP.

3 PLT will be 2nd OOM and SP TAA at 0645 and move to establish Attack Position Echo to continue TLPs until SP to ORP.

2 PLT will be 3rd OOM and SP TAA at 0700 to vic EG 8350 9364 and establish Attack Position Delta to continue TLPs. This will be their SP point. All Platoons will radio company CP for guidance to cross LD NET 0700.

Phase II - Movement. This phase begins up crossing LDs and ends upon establishment of the ORPs. Once on the ground at the start points, platoons will move to their ORPs. Phase III - Actions on objective. This phase begins upon establishment of the ORPs and ends once actions on objectives are complete.

Phase IV - Reconsolidation and preparation for follow on operations. This phase begins once actions on the objective are complete and continues until orders are received. All Platoons will radio the CP once actions on objective are complete and are prepared for O/O missions.

d) Tasks to Subordinate Units.

- (1) 2 PLT (DO)
 - (a)Conduct Raid to destroy North Torbian Communications Tower at OBJ PENGUIN (EG 8446 9328) in order to degrade enemy capabilities NLT1600.
 - (b)Sapper SQD prepares 40 lb shaped charge
 - (c)PLT has 1x target allocated for this operation.
 - (d)PLT has 1 Sapper squad allocated for this operation
 - (e)O/O establish patrol base vic EG 8352 9328
- (2) 1 PLT (SO1)
 - (a)Conduct ambush to deny enemy freedom of movement vic OBJ SHARK (EG 8456 9380) NLT 1300.
 - (b) Authorized 1x target for this operation.
 - (c)O/O establish patrol base vic EG 8352 9328 (C).
- (2) 3 PLT (SO2)
 - (a)Conduct attack to seize KT at OBJ FISH (EG 8474 9312) NLT 1000.
 - (b)Authorized 1x target for this operation.
 - (c)O/O establish patrol base in obj

b)Coordinating Instructions

- (1)Reporting Requirements
 - (a) Casualties. Friendly, HNSF, Enemy, or Civilian Casualties
 - (b) Explosions. Explosions of any nature (indirect fire, IEDs, unknown)
 - (c)Identification of enemy reconnaissance of US or HNSF
 - (d)Direct contact with enemy elements (Aerial, CBRNE, direct fire, electronic, obstacles, visual)

(2)CCIR

(a)<u>PIR</u>

- 1)PIR 1: What communication capabilities do the North Torbian's have?
- 2)PIR 2: When and where will North Torbian forces attack coalition forces?
- 3)search for counter-UAS components, laptops, radios; tag & evac to Co CP
- 4)PIR 5: What environmental factors (weather) will create unsafe conditions for our operations?

(b)FFIR

- 1)FFIR 1: Physical or operational loss of a weapon system or Soldier
- 2)FFIR 2: Injury to civilian personnel or civilian property.
- 3)FFIR 3: Death or injury to any Soldier.

- 4)FFIR 4: Troops in contact.
- (3)ROE: Refer to the published ROE Cards
- (4)<u>Tentative Timeline</u> (Refinements pending)
 - Day 16
 - OPORD Issued
 - Day 17
 - 0630-0700 SP TAA burger
 - 0700 SP from PB
 - 1900 Actions on OBJ Complete
- (5)<u>Priority of Rehearsals</u>. Actions on OBJ, Actions on Contact (Direct, Visual, Indirect), Movement Formations, LDA crossing, Patrol Base Operations.
- (6)Provide CO COC PLT timeline that includes times for WARNO, OPORD Brief, Rehearsals and PCIs.
- (7)Collect intelligence and enemy equipment when possible. Radio Company CP for guidance if required.
- (8)All movement in the AO must be the most direct approach to avoid contact with adjacent units.
- (9)All patrol bases must be free of trash prior to SP.
- 4)SUSTAINMENT. Packing list as prescribed; modifications approved by the CO CDR.
 - a)Logistics
 - (1)<u>Class I.</u> Bring 3 MRE's per soldier. Water available within CO TAA. Depart for the mission with a least 100oz of water per soldier.
 - (2)<u>Class II</u>. Limited resupply available for expendable CL II. All Soldiers deploy with required CL II.
 - (3)<u>Class III</u>. All Soldiers deploy from TAA Burger with individual CLP Bottle as part of weapons cleaning kit.
 - (4)<u>Class IV</u> No CL IV resupply available. Use any Class IV found on OBJ for friendly use. Equipment is available to assist in manipulating any found CLIV.
 - (5)<u>Class V.</u> Ammunition Resupply coordinated through RGT HQ. Draw basic load(3600 rounds 5.56 Unlinked, 1600 rounds 5.56 Linked, 1400 rounds 7.62 Linked) Evenly distribute available ammunition. Sapper element draws 2×40 lb shaped charge, 100 ft det cord, 4× M112 C4 from Co trains Draw time TBP.
 - (6)<u>Class VIII</u> Each PLT Deploy with CLS Bag with medical supplies, VS-17 Panel, and two pole less litters.
 - (7)) Class IX. All MILES must be operational and with batteries prior to departure from TAA Burger and checked for serviceability. Note any deficiencies along with battery request for MILES and other equipment to CO HQ.

- b) <u>Shower and Laundry</u>. All personnel should be afforded an opportunity to shower and launder uniforms while at TAA Burger IAW TLP timeline.
- c) Transportation. None. Movement from CO TAA to CO AO via foot.

d)Medical Evacuation

- (1)Request CASEVAC as required using the standard 9 line format. **Extraction requests via** rotary wing will be denied due to heavy enemy presence of anti aircraft devices
- (2)BPT establish LU Point for ground evacuation

2) COMMAND AND SIGNAL

a)Command

- (1)Company CDR/XO/1SG generally located at the CP (EG 8418 9696) for all phases of the operation.
- (2) Succession of command: CDR, FSO, XO, 1PL, 2PL, 3PL

b)Signal

- (1)SOI in effect
 - (a)Method of communication. Primary/Alternate: ASIP/IMBTRY

(2)Passwords

- (a)Challenge/Password: Happy/Halloween
- (b) Number Combination: 9
- (c)Running Password: Pepsi

DOE JOHN CDR, A CO

AO -> Area of Operations

AOI -> Area of Interest

AOR -> Area of Responsibility

ASIP -> Advanced System Improvement Program (Radio)

ASR -> Alternate Supply Route

BDE -> Brigade

BN -> Battalion

BPT -> Be Prepared To

CCIR -> Commander's Critical Information Requirements

CDR -> Commander

CL -> "Class (e.g., CL I, CL II, etc. for supply categories)"

CLS -> Combat Lifesaver

CO -> Company

COC -> Command Operations Center

CP -> Command Post

FFIR -> Friendly Forces Information Requirements

FO -> Forward Observer

HE -> High Explosive (Ammunition)

HLZ -> Helicopter Landing Zone

HNSF -> Host Nation Security Forces

HQ -> Headquarters

IED -> Improvised Explosive Device

IOT -> In Order To

LD -> Line of Departure

LMG -> Light Machine Gun

LU -> Landing Zone (Ground)

MGRS -> Military Grid Reference System

MILES -> Multiple Integrated Laser Engagement System

MLCOA -> Most Likely Course of Action

MDCOA -> Most Dangerous Course of Action

MSR -> Main Supply Route

NLT -> Not Later Than

NVG -> Night Vision Goggles

OBJ -> Objective

OOM -> Order of Movement

PCI -> Pre-Combat Inspection

PIR -> Priority Intelligence Requirement

PLT -> Platoon

RGT -> Regiment

ROE -> Rules of Engagement

RPK -> Ruchnoy Pulemyot Kalashnikova (Soviet LMG)

RPG -> Rocket Propelled Grenade

RTE -> Route

SOI -> Signal Operating Instructions

SP -> Start Point

SQD -> Squad

TAA -> Tactical Assembly Area

TBP -> To Be Published/Determined

TCCC -> Tactical Combat Casualty Care

TLPs -> Troop Leading Procedures

UAS -> Unmanned Aerial System

UTM ->Universal Transverse Mercator

VIC -> Vicinity

XO -> Executive Officer

1SG -> First Sergeant