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Subj: COAST GUARD LOGISTICS ADVISORY COUNCIL

1. **PURPOSE.** To establish and constitute the Coast Guard Logistics Advisory Council (CGLAC).
2. **ACTION.** Area and district commanders, commanders of maintenance and logistics commands, commanding officers of headquarters units, assistant commandants for directorates, Chief Counsel, and special staff officers at headquarters shall ensure appropriate distribution of this Instruction. Internet release authorized
3. **DIRECTIVES AFFECTED.** None.
4. **DISCUSSION.** The CGLAC is the Coast Guard’s senior logistics forum, responsible for oversight of the aggressive transformation of logistics to more centralized support and provide oversight of all aspects of logistics (people, information, and infrastructure). Although not as agile and responsive as we would like at times, the existing logistics system has served us well since Gilbert I. The Deepwater contract award and the post 9-11 environment have created an increased demand for agility and responsiveness that the existing logistics systems are unable to provide. These new drivers and the transition to the Department of Homeland Security requires strong collaborative leadership to orchestrate a logistics transformation that will simplify and streamline logistics support when and where the operator needs it. The CGLAC shall meet quarterly. Co-chaired by the Assistant Commandants for Systems and Human Resources, members of the CGLAC are:
 - a. Assistant Commandants (A, O, M, S, W)
 - b. Program Executive Officer for Deepwater
 - c. Director of Information and Technology
 - d. Commander, Maintenance and Logistics Command Atlantic and Pacific

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5. **RESPONSIBILITIES.**

a. The CGLAC will:

- (1) Provide strategic oversight of the logistics systems transformation;
- (2) Facilitate collaborative supply chain management of all logistics issues to include people, infrastructure and information;
- (3) Charter an executive guidance team to develop a comprehensive logistics plan supportive of the Coast Guard Business Plan; and
- (4) Charter natural working groups to investigate logistics issues, to include development of strategic standards and measures.

b. The Logistics Directorate, Commandant (G-SL), shall:

- (1) Present and facilitate strategic issues for the CGLAC agenda;
- (2) Call CGLAC attention to changing forces that drive Coast Guard logistics; and
- (3) Provide general support to the CGLAC.

6. **ENVIRONMENTAL ASPECT AND IMPACT CONSIDERATIONS.** Environmental considerations were examined in the development of this directive and have been determined to be not applicable.

7. **FORMS/REPORTS.** None.

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