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The following report is a translation of a Polish Ministry of National Defense document which was classified SECRET. It provides an outline of the mission and principal tasks of the General Staff of the Polish Armed Forces and its command elements. An attachment lists the institutions subordinate to the Chief of the General Staff.

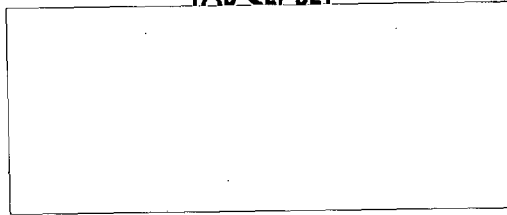
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Chapter I

Nature, Mission and Principal Tasks
of the General Staff of the Polish Armed Forces

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General Role and Mission of the General
Staff of the Polish Armed Forces

1. The General Staff of the Polish Armed Forces is the basic element of the Minister of National Defense in regard to controlling the entire Armed Forces of the Polish People's Republic and, at the same time, performs the leadership functions concerning the combat readiness of the forces and command of all branches of the armed forces. The General Staff also coordinates all activities of a strategic-operational, organizational-mobilization, planning-administrative and logistical nature that are performed on the central and military district (or equivalent) levels. At the same time, the General Staff--on the central level--is the only element for comprehensive strategic-operational planning for the forces, and also serves as the central coordinating element for strategic-defense planning for the entire national defense system.

The General Staff is also the basic element for cooperation with the Combined Armed Forces Headquarters and other appropriate allied headquarters.

2. The General Staff, as the main control element of the Minister of National Defense in regard to controlling the armed forces, is the highest element in the operational chain of command in relation to all elements on the central and military district (or equivalent) levels. It is also the central element for planning for major projects of the Ministry of National Defense and coordinating activities connected with the preparation of comprehensive data required by the Minister of Defense to make basic decisions.

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The principal tasks of the General Staff specifically include:

1. In regard to activities on the operational level:

- a. Preparation of strategic-defense and doctrinal guidelines for the Polish People's Republic in cooperation with the appropriate central institutions of the Ministry of National Defense, the Committee of National Defense Secretariat and the pertinent national administrative departments;
- b. Control of comprehensive strategic-operational planning for the development and utilization of the Armed Forces of the Polish People's Republic and militarized elements detached to perform tasks in support of the armed forces and also to implement approved recommendations and decisions in this regard; coordination and inspection regarding operational planning in national defense department elements and determination of operational requirements stemming from this activity for defense planning in the appropriate departments of the Committee of National Defense, national administrative departments and regional defense committees;
- c. Conduct of continuous analyses and evaluations of the threat to national security and of appropriate proposals and requirements for practical action in regard to national defense preparedness;
- d. Central coordination in strategic-defense planning conducted outside the national defense departments;
- e. Performance of the functions of the basic operational command element of the armed forces; development of principles for command of forces and operational guidelines for the organization and deployment of the field command system, elements and installations to support the operation of this system; initiation of research aimed at improving the command system of the armed forces through automation of the command process, etc; dissemination of new methods and acquired experience;

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- f. Direct control of the operational deployment of the armed forces;
- g. Organization and control of military intelligence activities, conduct of related publishing-information activities and coordination of military intelligence in all branches of the Armed Forces of the Polish People's Republic;
- h. Planning, organizing and conducting operational studies on the theaters of military operations and preparation and publication of appropriate information for operational-defense planning needs;
- i. Establishment of operational requirements in regard to organizational-mobilization, logistical, medical and political preparedness of the armed forces;
- j. Planning and coordinating all matters connected with the disposition, maintenance of combat readiness, and alerting of the armed forces;
- k. Organization and control of activities in regard to operational security and deception;
- l. Conduct of studies, creation of developmental concepts and coordination of research in regard to utilizing space and space satellites for defense needs;
- m. Conduct of studies and preparation of reports pertaining to the problem of general and total disarmament;
- n. Planning and organization of studies in regard to strategy, the art of operations, tactics, organization and support of the operations of the Armed Forces of the Polish People's Republic and the forces of allied and foreign nations; and the preparation of appropriate information for operational-defense planning needs;

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- o. Planning, organization and establishment of communications systems (including cryptocommunications and enciphered and encoded communications) to meet the needs of the armed forces; coordination in the establishment of communications for the needs of the National Defense Committee and its departments and the Provincial Defense Committees in accordance with separate instructions on this matter; organization of activities in regard to radio countermeasures and communications security and deception; and performance of the functions of the central supply elements in communications matters in accordance with separate instructions;
 - p. Planning and organization of topographical support for the armed forces and, in the prescribed manner, the operating and territorial systems;
 - q. Planning of operational training for the armed forces, organizing inspections regarding the level of operational training and drawing general conclusions from the experience acquired in this regard;
 - r. Development and organization of operational exercises and exercises with the use of troops that are conducted by the Minister of National Defense and Chief of the General Staff and within the framework of the Combined Armed Forces Headquarters of the Warsaw Pact nations;
 - s. Active supervision and general coordination of the activities of operations elements on the central level and in the military districts and branches of the armed forces.
2. In regard to organizational-mobilization activities:
- a. Determination of the best solutions in regard to the personnel strength and composition of the armed forces, the organizational structure of the individual branches of the armed forces, the arms of troops and services, the operational and tactical large units and units;

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- b. Planning the organizational development of the armed forces in support of the objectives on the operational levels;
- c. Development of the structure and jurisdictional authority of the Ministry of National Defense in its entirety and of the particular leadership personnel functioning in National Defense departments and also of the command and administration elements on the central and military district (or equivalent) levels;
- d. Preparation and publication of documents regarding tables of organization for all elements of the armed forces;
- e. Keeping records on personnel strength, weapons, transportation equipment and basic equipment of the forces (in wartime, include records of irretrievable losses);
- f. Establishment of a reporting and records system on personnel strength (combat strength) of the forces-- that applies on each organizational level;
- g. Establishment of principles and preparation of plans for all activities regarding mobilization expansion of the forces; and organization of the required personnel mobilization reserves whose territorial disposition and quantitative and qualitative composition are appropriate;
- h. Control of mobilization expansion of the forces;
- i. Development of principles for expansion of the armed forces and establishment of conscription qualification criteria for service in the individual branches of the armed forces, arms of troops and services, and self-defense units;

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- j. Organization and control of the expansion of the armed forces, military vocational schools and certain military academies with the use of candidates inside and outside of the armed forces;
 - k. Control of the administration and manpower pool of reserve privates and noncommissioned officers; and preparation of training plans for these reserves within the framework of military exercises;
 - l. Planning and control of activities connected with the organization of transportation equipment and engineering machinery in the national economy that are to be transferred in wartime for the needs of the armed forces and self-defense formations;
 - m. Organization and continuance of cooperation with elements of the national economy in regard to mobilization expansion;
 - n. General coordination of the activities of the organizational-mobilization elements of the armed forces on the central, military-district and equivalent levels and in regional military headquarters.
3. In regard to military technology and planning economic-defense needs of the armed forces:
- a. Preparation of comprehensive plans for supply and the total materiel needs of the armed forces in accordance with the requirements of the operation plan and the development plan for organization and mobilization expansion of the armed forces;
 - b. Planning for the needs of the armed forces in regard to armaments and materiel and coordination of activities in regard to planning and support of these needs at the headquarters of the branches of the armed forces and the offices of the chiefs of the arms of troops and services;

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- c. Establishment of a system for arming and equipping the armed forces;
- d. Establishment and improvement of a logistical supply system in the armed forces;
- e. Development of concepts and guidelines for the development of military technology; and planning and coordination of activities in this regard;
- f. Planning and coordination of military-economic research and conduct of comprehensive economic analyses regarding the administrative activities of the armed forces;
- g. Planning and coordination of activities for standardization and uniformity of military weapons and equipment;
- h. Coordination of the activities of the invention and suggestion programs and dissemination of the experience and results acquired from these activities;
- i. Coordination of the activities of the headquarters of the branches of the armed forces and offices of the chiefs of the arms of troops and services, in regard to technical support, research institutions which they supervise, and scientific-research activities (in the technological field) of higher military schools;
- j. Planning and coordination of scientific-technical and economic cooperation with foreign countries;
- k. Establishment of general principles for the renovation and turnover of military property;
- l. Planning and coordination of activities in regard to automation and mechanization of the logistical support system of the forces and inventory control;

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- m. Initiation of guidelines for scientific and technical development of the national economy for the needs of military technological development.
4. In matters pertaining to the system for control of the armed forces, administration, office procedures and reporting:
- a. Planning and coordination of the major projects of the Ministry of National Defense and the General Staff, active supervision of their implementation and drafting of reports on the activities of the Ministry of National Defense;
 - b. Preparation of comprehensive plans on basic undertakings related to automation and mechanization of procedures and systems for control of the armed forces;
 - c. Continuous control of the development of automation and mechanization of procedures and management systems in the departments of National Defense; supervision of the activities of scientific institutions and information processing centers established to carry out tasks in the field of automation and mechanization; and organization of training of an essential cadre of specialists;
 - d. Control of activities regarding projects, their application, establishment of information processing centers and organization of automated data processing systems;
 - e. Control of the improvement of the current system of headquarters office administration by developing appropriate principles for reporting, keeping records, conduct of overt and classified clerical procedures, organization of headquarters office activities, standardization of printed material and incorporation of organizational-technical facilities for headquarters office activities in the Armed Forces of the Polish People's Republic;

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- f. Preparation and implementation--in the troops--of principles for organization of scientific activities, organization and control of military scientific information, supervision and coordination of foreign language training in the troops and control of the activities of the Military Science Circles;
- g. Coordination and checking of military publications about the Armed Forces of the Polish People's Republic and national defense system;
- h. Comprehensive scheduling of contacts by the Ministry of National Defense with foreign countries;
- i. Planning and coordination of all publishing activities in the professional military publications field and separate preparation of standard publications (regulations, instructions) of a general nature;
- j. General coordination of the activities of office administration elements, and censorship on the central and military district (or equivalent) levels.

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Chapter II

Command Elements of the General Staff and Their General Tasks

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1. The General Staff is headed by the Chief of the General Staff--Deputy Minister of National Defense. He exercises supreme control over the activities of subordinate parts (components) of the General Staff and is responsible for implementation of tasks pertaining to:

- Operational planning for utilization of the forces;
- Command of the armed forces that is exercised by the Minister of National Defense in support of the General Staff;
- Establishment of principles for combat readiness of the forces, their organizational structure, force augmentation, and planning and organization of mobilization expansion of the armed forces;
- Determination of operational requirements for defense planning implemented by National Defense Committee departments, national administrative departments and regional defense committees;
- Military intelligence activities.

In addition, the Chief of the General Staff's responsibilities specifically include:

- Determination of basic doctrinal and strategic-defense guidelines connected with the expansion and preparedness of the Armed Forces of the Polish People's Republic to conduct combat operations within the framework of the Combined Armed Forces of the Warsaw Pact nations and the territorial defense system of the country;

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- Establishment of command systems of the armed forces;
- Exercise of control in regard to cooperation with the Combined Armed Forces Headquarters of the Warsaw Pact nations and other appropriate allied headquarters;
- Control of planning and conduct of operational training of the armed forces;
- Coordination of strategic-defense planning implemented by the National Defense Committee departments, national administrative departments and regional defense committees;
- Control in the preparation of information by appropriate central elements, commands and staffs for the needs of the National Defense Committee and of the comprehensive data required by the Minister of National Defense to make a basic decision;
- Supervision of the procedures for coordinated action on the operational level between military districts and branches of the armed forces;
- Establishment of principles for planning the major projects of the Ministry of National Defense and checking the situation in regard to implementing the orders and directives of the Minister of National Defense that pertain to the basic problems regarding the combat readiness of the armed forces;
- Supervision of activities related to determining a system and plans for providing the forces with armaments and materiel and the main requirement standards for supply of the armed forces;
- Determination of guidelines for the development of military science, and specifically, scientific-research activities in regard to problems concerning operations, organization and mobilization; and establishment of principles for cooperation between the National Defense departments and the Polish Academy of Sciences;

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- Participation in the preparation of a personnel policy in the armed forces.
2. The Chief of the General Staff, in executing the orders and directives of the Minister of National Defense and in matters included within the jurisdiction of the General Staff, issues directives and instructions which apply to the entire armed forces. In addition he issues authoritative opinions in regard to scientific matters which are handled by other central elements which are (not included in the composition of the General Staff) of a command-staff nature and are of primary importance for all of the armed forces and are related to operational planning, combat readiness of the forces, their armaments and problems regarding organization, mobilization and force augmentation.
 3. The Chief of the General Staff is authorized to exercise his influence outside of the departments of National Defense in matters related to his sphere of activity.
 4. In addition to the Deputy Chiefs of the General Staff and chiefs of institutions which are part of the General Staff structure, the Chief of the General Staff has subordinate to him the chiefs of other institutions which are not organizational components of the General Staff-- as indicated in Enclosure No. 1.
 5. The Chief of the General Staff is the highest authority and exercises supreme control of the activities of the commanders of the military districts and commanders of branches of the armed forces in operational, organizational-mobilization, planning-administrative and logistical matters which are to be implemented by them.

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1. The Chief of the General Staff carries out his tasks directly or through his deputies, who are:
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- b. Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Operations;
 - c. Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Organization and Mobilization;
 - d. Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Command Systems;
 - e. Chief Inspector for Planning and Technology-Deputy Chief of the General Staff.
2. The Deputy Chiefs of the General Staff direct, coordinate and supervise the activities of specific organizational elements of the General Staff that are functionally subordinate to them and conduct indirect, professional, general supervision of appropriate activities (in matters pertaining to pertinent service problems) of special elements on the central and military-district (equivalent) levels.
3. Within the framework of their functional duties, the Deputy Chiefs of the General Staff:
- a. Are responsible for the development and preparation of basic information which is to be presented to the Chief of the General Staff, the Minister of National Defense or leading governmental agencies for their decision;
 - b. Issue binding orders and instructions to appropriate elements of the General Staff in the form of principles and methods for implementing the major tasks related to their activities or assigned to them for implementation by the Chief of the General Staff;
 - c. Are authorized to issue or sign in behalf of the Chief of the General Staff orders (or instructions) in matters subject to their supervision and not requiring a decision by the aforementioned elements cited under item a;

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- d. Appear as representatives (in the name of the Chief of the General Staff) outside of the departments of National Defense in matters within their jurisdiction, with the exception of matters requiring a decision by the Minister of National Defense or Chief of the General Staff.

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The First Deputy Chief of the General Staff is responsible for: coordination and implementation of all comprehensive undertakings assigned to him by the Chief of Staff to be implemented by the individual divisions of the General Staff; supervision of the activities of the Offices of the Chief of the Signal and Chemical Troops and all activities of the General Staff (with the exception of military intelligence matters) during the absence of the Chief of the General Staff. In addition, the area of activities of the First Deputy Chief of the General Staff specifically includes:

- a. Organization and conduct of comprehensive inspection in the armed forces in regard to problems included in the area of activities of the General Staff on behalf of the Chief of the General Staff;
- b. Coordination of scientific-research activities of the General Staff, central institutions of the Ministry of National Defense, military academies, military districts (or their equivalent) in regard to operational, organizational and mobilization-expansion problems; and dissemination of positive results and conclusions obtained therefrom;
- c. Control of general evaluation and relative ranking of military districts, branches of the armed forces and internal forces in accordance with the authority of the General Staff;

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- d. Coordination of contacts between the leadership of the Ministry of Defense and foreign countries;
- e. Participation in the activities of inter-departmental commissions in behalf of the Chief of the General Staff;
- f. Control of the activities of the Ministry of National Defense Investment Commission;
- g. Coordination in regard to participation of General Staff representatives in meetings of military councils of military districts and branches of the armed forces; and drawing general conclusions from material emerging from these meetings for General Staff activities;
- h. Over-all active coordination of the activities of military-problem-solving teams formed to cooperate with the National Academy of Sciences; and conduct of continuous cooperation with the National Academy of Sciences Secretariat.

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Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Operations is responsible for the fulfillment of general duty assignments by elements subordinate to him in connection with: continuous implementation of plans for the operational employment of forces; development of principles for attaining, controlling and maintaining the combat readiness of the forces; implementation of procedures for the operational command of all branches of the armed forces. In addition, the responsibilities of the Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Operations specifically include:

- a. Preparation and presentation for approval of doctrinal and strategic-defense draft guidelines connected with the Armed Forces of the Polish People's Republic and a concept for their utilization;

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- b. Maintenance of continuous, active cooperation with the Combined Armed Forces Headquarters of the Warsaw Pact nations in regard to concepts of operations;
- c. Organization and direct control of the continuous analysis and evaluation of the threat to national security and drafting pertinent proposals and requirements for practical action in regard to National Defense preparedness;
- d. Control in the drafting of guidelines on the operational level for all aspects of national defense preparedness; and participation in the coordination of matters regarding problems connected with strategic-defense planning implemented outside of National Defense departments;
- e. Exercise of control in regard to all activities connected with the operational expansion of the forces;
- f. Organization and conduct of actual checks and inspections regarding implementation of principles for combat readiness of the forces and staffs;
- g. Active, special supervision of the activities of all operations elements on the central level and in the headquarters of military districts and branches of the armed forces;
- h. Organization and control regarding the development of matters connected with the disposition of forces; and establishment of basic principles and guidelines for operational concealment and requirements in regard to radio electronic reconnaissance and counter-measures within the framework of the armed forces;
- i. Organization of exercises conducted by the Minister of National Defense and Chief of the General Staff;

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establishment of draft guidelines for operational training in the armed forces; determination of basic requirements which pertain to the training of forces and stem from appropriate doctrinal principles on the operational level; and also supervision of operational training conducted by the General Staff;

- j. Control in the preparation of basic principles and requirements on the operational level concerning organization, mobilization, armaments and equipment of the forces and principles for their expansion;
- k. Exercise of general control of the development of military thought, improvement of the principles for armed forces employment on the contemporary battlefield and studies on enemy forces, predicted theater of military operations, courses of development of scientific research of an operational nature and requirements in regard to operational training at the General Staff Academy and other military schools;
- l. Supervision in determining the scope and courses of action concerning organization and improvement of the operational command system of the armed forces;
- m. General supervision regarding the establishment of communications systems for the needs of the armed forces and crypto, enciphered and encoded communications principles;
- n. Supervision of the topographical service activities of the Polish Armed Forces;
- o. Fulfillment of other tasks ordered by the Chief of the General Staff or specified in separate regulations.

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Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Organization and Mobilization is responsible for the fulfillment--by elements subordinate to him--of basic tasks connected with: establishment of the organizational composition of the armed forces and their general structure; organization of the mobilization expansion of the armed forces; conduct of service and expansion of the personnel strength of the forces. In addition, the responsibilities of the Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Organization and Mobilization specifically include:

- a. Control of the development of a future organizational model of the armed forces and the organizational structure of the command and administrative systems in accordance with guidelines on the operational level;
- b. Exercise of control in the development of principles regarding systems and plans for mobilization and expansion of the armed forces;
- c. General control of continuous activities in regard to determining the organization of the forces and the organizational structure of command and administrative elements and the preparation of all required tables of organizations;
- d. Control in organizing the system of mobilization and force augmentation; inspection regarding continuous implementation of this system and control in developing principles for militarization of branches and elements of the national economy;
- e. Control of the mobilization expansion of the forces; supervision in forming and reconstituting elements; and inspection regarding implementation of organizational orders issued to the armed forces;

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- f. Exercises of general control and supervision of all activities of military elements in regard to conscription and expansion of the armed forces with the use of recruits, and of the process of basic military service and the organization (or training) and the assembly--on a territorial basis--of reserve noncommissioned officers and privates for mobilization needs;
- g. Exercise of control in the drafting of documents concerning the authority of the Ministry of National Defense elements and commands on the operational level;
- h. Control of activities in regard to improving organization of the forces and the organizational and functional structure of commands and staffs;
- i. Organization and conduct of major mobilization and tactical exercises;
- j. Active and special supervision of the activities of organizational-mobilization elements operating on the central level and at military district headquarters and branches of the armed forces; and indirect supervision of activities of pertinent elements of regional military headquarters;
- k. Control of activities pertaining to administration regarding reservists and requisition of reservists and motor vehicles;
- l. Fulfillment of other tasks ordered by the Chief of the General Staff or specified in separate regulations.

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The Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Command Systems is responsible for: development of principles and gradual incorporation of an automated and mechanized command and administrative system; determination of standard principles for headquarters office activities; improvement and coordination of general administrative procedures in the armed forces. The responsibilities of the Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Command Systems specifically include:

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- a. Control and supervision in regard to planning and coordinating general projects of the Ministry of National Defense and the General Staff; and preparation of reports on the Ministry of National Defense activities;
- b. Determination of guidelines and principal tasks in regard to the development of automation and mechanization of command procedures and systems in the armed forces and supervision in the implementation of activities in this field;
- c. Supervision of the training of a cadre of specialists in the automation and mechanization field and special training--in this field--of command cadre;
- d. Supervision of the activities regarding incorporation and establishment of an automated territorial command system for the armed forces; and supervision in organizing elements of field automated systems;
- e. Supervision of the activities of scientific-research institutions conducting studies on the application of automation and mechanization and supervision of the activities of military information processing centers;
- f. Supervision of activities in regard to improving the organization of headquarters office activities, standardizing reporting, records and publications, and incorporating organizational-technical facilities for headquarters office activities in the forces; establishment of regulatory principles of standards of procedure for the utilization of materials of a covert and overt nature; and supervision in the implementation of related regulations;
- g. Supervision in developing and applying scientific principles for the organization of activities in the forces; and supervision of military scientific information activities and the teaching of foreign languages in the forces;

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- h. Supervision in planning and implementation of cooperation by Ministry of National Defense elements with foreign countries;
- i. Supervision in coordinating and checking military publications;
- j. Granting of permission to foreigners to have access to military elements (or institutions) in accordance with separate decisions on this matter;
- k. Supervision and coordination of publishing activities in regard to professional-military publications and periodicals;
- l. Supervision of activities conducted by Circles of Military Science;
- m. Control of all matters pertaining to the military archives;
- n. Fulfillment of other tasks ordered by the Chief of the General Staff.

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Chief Inspector of Planning and Technology - Deputy Chief of the General Staff is responsible for the fulfillment--by elements subordinate to him--of basic organizational service tasks connected with the planning of the economic-defense needs of the armed forces and supplying them with arms and equipment. The area of activities of the Chief Inspector of Planning and Technology - Deputy Chief of the General Staff specifically include:

- a. Control in preparing comprehensive plans for combined economic-defense needs and the supply of the armed forces in connection with the concepts of operations and development plans for the organization and mobilization expansion of the armed forces;

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- j. Representation by the Ministry of National Defense in regard to planning, deliveries, export and import of arms and technical materiel for armed forces needs--in the Planning Commission of the Council of Ministers and departments of the national economy;
- k. Issuance of orders pertaining to general principles for restoration of military property and coordination of the activities of central supply elements in this regard;
- l. General and special supervision of activities of pertinent command elements of military districts, branches of the armed forces and offices of the chiefs of the combat arms and services in matters connected with his area of activities;
- m. Coordination of the activities of military institutions and scientific-research centers of a technical nature;
- n. Coordination of activities for increasing efficiency and disseminating scientific-research results in the field of technology;
- o. Fulfillment of other tasks ordered by the Chief of the General Staff.

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2. The Chief Inspector of Planning and Technology--Deputy Chief of the General Staff--is simultaneously subordinate to the Minister of National Defense. On the basis of the aforementioned subordination, the Chief Inspector of Planning and Technology--in addition to the above-mentioned service duties performed in the capacity of Deputy Chief of the General Staff--exercises the following:
- a. Control of the activities of the Office of the Chiefs of the Tank and Motor Transport Service of the Ministry of National Defense, Office of the Chief of the Armaments and Electronics Service of the Ministry of National Defense, Bureau for Equipment Utilization and Maintenance, Bureau for Production Facilities and Bureau for Restoration of Military Property;
 - b. General coordination of activities of the headquarters of branches of the armed forces, military districts, offices of the chiefs of the arms of troops and services and other central institutions of the Ministry of National Defense in regard to the following:
 - Utilization and maintenance of armaments and materiels;
 - Activities of repair-production facilities of the Ministry of National Defense;
 - Technical supervision and power-supply inspection;
 - Military inspection of metrological activities;
 - Restoration of military property; management of secondary raw materials and packing.
 - c. Control in the development of concepts and principles regarding activities of technical components of operational and national territorial forces in wartime and principles regarding activities in peacetime;

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- d. Establishment of general guidelines for the training of technical cadres in connection with long-range requirements for these cadres and planning for the development of military technology;
 - e. Control of all organizational-operational and training matters connected with the formation of a unified technical staff division and, in particular, planning for the operational, organizational and jurisdictional structure of all supply and technical elements of the forces; standardization of principles and system regarding activities of technical services on the individual, organizational levels of the armed forces; control of the training of technical elements on the central and operational levels.
- 3. The Chief Inspector of Planning and Technology - Deputy Chief of the General Staff - ~~has appropriate deputies,~~ whose area of activities is regulated by separate documents regarding their authority, in order to perform his service tasks.
 - 4. The Chief Inspector of Planning and Technology is authorized to issue orders, directives, instructions, and authoritative recommendations in matters within this area of activities to commanders (or chiefs and commandants) on all levels.

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Chapter III

Concluding Observations

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1. The General Staff is composed of prescribed--by separate organizational directives--components, directorates, bureaus, teams and independent units which are, from the legal-organizational point of view, separate organizational elements (or central institutions) and other elements which are internal, active organs of the Chief of the General Staff (for example, the cadre element, Secretariat of the Chief of the General Staff and others). They are headed by appropriate chiefs who are directly subordinate to the Chief of the General Staff or subordinated to him through his appropriate deputies.
2. The current list of institutions subordinate to the Chief of the General Staff is included in Enclosure No. 1.

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On the basis of its area of activities and service tasks to be performed, the General Staff is composed of the following functional parts: Operations component - directed by the Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Operations; military intelligence elements; communications; organizational--mobilization component - directed by the Deputy Chief of the General Staff for organization and mobilization; command systems component - directed by the Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Command Systems; and planning and technical component - directed by the Chief Inspector of Planning and Technology - Deputy Chief of the General Staff.

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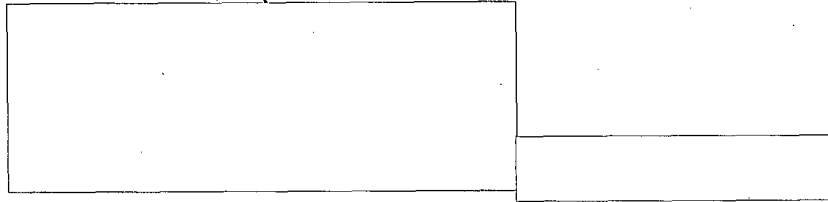
Chiefs of component parts of the General Staff who are subordinate to pertinent Deputy Chiefs of the General Staff, are authorized to refer directly to the Chief of the General Staff in order to report to him about basic matters pertaining to their activities.

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Areas of activities of individual components of the General Staff are specified by the Chief of the General Staff.

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Attachment No. 1

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List of Institutions

Subordinate to the Chief of the General Staff

of the Polish Armed Forces*

I. Institutions which are organic to the General Staff

1. Functional institutions and personnel directly subordinate to the Chief of the General Staff:

- ~~First Deputy Chief of the General Staff;~~
- Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Operations;
- Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Organization and Mobilization;
- Chief Inspector of Planning and Technology - Deputy Chief of the General Staff;
- Directorate II Intelligence; ✓
- Independent Command Posts of the General Staff;
- Secretariat of the Chief of the General Staff; ✓
- Political Branch; ✓
- Finance Branch; ✓
- Cadre Branch; ✓

*The list specified, in general, the institutions which, in the current structure, are subordinate or subordinated to the Chief of the General Staff in both peacetime and wartime.

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2. Institutions subordinate to the Chief of the General Staff through:
- a. First Deputy Chief of the General Staff:
 - Office of the Chief of the Signal Troops;✓
 - Inspector for Scientific Research, including a team of researchers subordinate to him; ✓
 - Military Department for Foreign Affairs..
 - b. Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Operations:
 - Directorate I, Operations;✓
 - Directorate IX, Topography;✓
 - Operational Training Departments;✓
 - Editorial Offices of Mysl Wojskowa (Military Thought) and Biuletyn Informacyjny (Information Bulletin). ✓
 - c. Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Organization and Mobilization:
 - Directorate VI, Organization;✓
 - Directorate X, Mobilization and Force Augmentation;✓
 - Team for Organizational Structures.✓
 - d. Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Command Systems:
 - Directorate XI, Standardization and Administration;✓
 - Bureau for Automation and Mechanization;✓
 - Center for Machine Data Processing..✓
 - e. Chief Inspector of Planning and Technology--Deputy Chief of the General Staff:
 - Directorate VII, Materiel Planning;✓

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- Directorate XIII, Technology; ✓
- Bureau for Imports and Exports;
- Team for Coordination of Military Economic Research. ✓

II. Institutions which are not organic to the General Staff but are subordinate to the Chief of the General Staff

1. Institutions directly subordinate to the Chief of the General Staff:
 - General Staff Academy;
 - Military Technical Academy.
2. Institutions subordinate to the Chief of the General Staff through:
 - a. First Deputy Chief of the General Staff:
 - Office of the Chief of Engineer Troops of the Ministry of National Defense;
 - Office of the Chief of Chemical Troops of the Ministry of National Defense;
 - b. Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Operations:
 - Command of the Support Elements Group of the Ministry of National Defense;
 - c. Chief Inspector of Planning and Technology - Deputy Chief of the General Staff:
 - Office of the Chief of the Armaments and Electronics Service of the Ministry of National Defense;
 - Office of the Chief of the Tank and Motor Transport Service of the Ministry of National Defense;

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- Bureau for Operation and Repair;
- Bureau for Production Facilities of the Ministry of National Defense;
- Bureau for Renovation of Military Property;
- d. Deputy Chief of the General Staff for Command Systems:
 - Central Military Archives.

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