

# Preface

## Volume I, Part 1 of 2

This information has been assembled to support the 2005 Department of Defense recommendations for base closures and realignments inside the United States.

The Secretary of Defense transmitted his recommended closures and realignments to the 2005 Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission and to the Congress on May 13, 2005, and published them in the *Federal Register* on May 16, 2005, pursuant to Public Law 101-510, as amended.

Part 1 of 2 of Volume I of this report contains an overview of the process and summarizes the results.

Part 2 of 2 of Volume I contains the statutory recommendations, justifications, and process summaries that the Secretary of Defense transmitted to the Commission and the Congress.

The other eleven volumes of this report provide supporting documentation for the Department's recommendations.

