
Streamlining DoD's DPAS Process

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Objectives

- Revamp the MUL
- Scrub DX-Rated Programs
- Revise/Update DoD Directive & Manual
- Facilitate Reciprocal Priorities & Allocations Systems

Revamp the MUL

- MUL has two basic components
 - Non-prioritized index of DX-rated programs
 - Prioritized index of CUE-CAP programs
- DX-rated programs list to be retained but declassified
- Numerically prioritized CUE-CAP list
 - Complex
 - Controversial
 - Unnecessary

Scrub DX-Rated Programs

- Current list dates to 1984
 - Names updated in 1995
- No longer reflects highest priority programs
- Will review using existing rating criteria
 - Must be vital to national security
 - Program schedules must be compressed
 - A DX rating will alleviate identified production resource difficulties
 - A DO rating will result in unacceptable program slippage

Revise/Update DoD Directive/Manual

- Update to reflect current 15 CFR 700
- Eliminate all references to MUL
- Eliminate CUE-CAP designation, guidance
- Retain DX program concepts, but
 - Eliminate term “BRICK-BAT”
 - Shift DX approval from President to SECDEF
 - Presidential approval not required by statute, executive order, or DoC requirement

Facilitate Reciprocal Priorities & Allocations Systems

- Globalization leads to:
 - Transnational companies
 - Possible loss of domestic industrial capabilities
 - Degree of mutual dependence
- Reciprocal priorities and allocations systems mitigate globalization risks
 - Multilateral (egs., NATO countries)
 - Bilateral (egs., Canada)
 - Prerequisite to DoD purchases from allies