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Mr. Solis is a Director in the Defense Capabilities and Management team in the U.S. Government Accountability Office. The Comptroller General of the United States appointed him to this position in July 2002.

As a Director he is responsible for a wide range of program audits and evaluations that GAO undertakes in the area of defense logistics and war fighter support focusing on programs of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Defense Logistics Agency as well as joint and OSD programs. More specifically his portfolio of work covers issues such as contractors on the battlefield, supply chain management, force protection for ground forces, maintenance, transportation, sustainment, and equipment reset. More recently the focus of his work has been on issues related to OIF.

In discharging his responsibilities, Mr. Solis works with congressional authorization, appropriation, and oversight committees having jurisdiction over these agencies. He interacts with Members of Congress and their principal staffs and with key officials in the national security community within the executive branch.

Mr. Solis has served in a wide variety of GAO line and staff assignments and has been the recipient of numerous GAO awards. Prior to his appointment as a Director his audit engagements included work on military readiness and training, weapon system effectiveness, housing and military doctrine.