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Lieutenant Colonel Jason A. Johnson is the commander of 8th Battalion, United States Military Entrance Processing Command, and the Montgomery Military Entrance Processing Station.

He received his commission in December 1997 after completing Marine Corps Officer Candidate School. He served as adjutant and legal officer, Headquarters and Service Battalion, 1st Force Service Support Group, I Marine Expeditionary Force, Camp Pendleton, California; human resources officer, Brigade Service Support Group One, and human resources manpower officer, air station adjutant and personnel officer, Marine Corps Air Facility, Quantico, Virginia, and deployed as human resources plans and operations officer in support of Joint Task Force Liberia; adjutant, Headquarters and Service Battalion, commander, Headquarters and Service Company, assistant human resources plans and operations officer, Total Force Manpower Branch Head, and force



adjutant, all at United States Marine Corps Forces Pacific, Camp Smith, Hawaii, and deployed as a United Nations military observer with the United Nations mission in Liberia; division deputy assistant chief of staff, Human Resources, and assistant chief of staff, Human Resources, 2nd Marine Division, II Marine Expeditionary Force, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina; deployed as Civil Affairs Team leader, 1st Battalion, 9th Marines, Regimental Combat Team Five, in support of Operation Enduring Freedom, Afghanistan; officer-in-charge, III Marine Expeditionary Force Civil Affairs Detachment, Okinawa, Japan, deployed to the Republic of the Philippines as commander, Exercise Balikatan 14 Combined Joint Civil-Military Operations Task Force, and as a civil affairs planner with Joint Task Force-505, during disaster relief operations in support of Operation Damayan; and human resources operations officer, United States Marine Corps Forces Command in Norfolk, Virginia.

Lieutenant Colonel Johnson's professional military education includes the Basic Officer Course, Personnel Administration School, Legal Officer Course, Expeditionary Warfare School, Civil Affairs Officer Course, Command and Staff College, Civil-Military Operations Planners Course, and Senior Officer Legal Course. He earned a Bachelor of Science in Political Science from Rowan University, Glassboro, New Jersey.

His military awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, four Meritorious Service Medals, two Joint Service Commendation Medals, two Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medals, Humanitarian Service Medal, and various unit and service medals and ribbons.