

# SAMPLE 5 PARAGRAPH OPERATION ORDER

1. Situation
  - a) Enemy Forces
    - 1) Situation (enemy, weather and terrain).
    - 2) Capabilities.
    - 3) Probable course of action.
  - b) Friendly Forces.
    - 1) Mission of Next higher unit.
    - 2) Mission of adjacent units (left, right, front, rear).
    - 3) Mission and location of supporting elements.
  - c) Attachments and Detachments.
2. Mission, Who, What, When, Why and Where (coordinates).
3. Execution.
  - a) Concept of Operation.
    - 1) Scheme of maneuver.
    - 2) Formation.
    - 3) Route.
    - 4) Tactical Missions to subordinate Units.
  - b) Subunit Subparagraphs.
  - c) Coordinating Instructions.
4. Service Support.
  - a) Supply.
    - 1) Rations.
    - 2) Uniforms and Equipment.
    - 3) Arms and Ammunition.
    - 4) Captured Materiel.
  - b) Transportation.
  - c) Medical Evacuation.
  - d) Personnel.
  - e) Prisoners of War.
5. Command and Signal.
  - a) Signal.
    - 1) Frequencies and Call Signs.
    - 2) Pyrotechnics and Signals.
    - 3) Challenge and Password.
    - 4) Code Words.
  - b) Command.
    - 1) Command Leader Location.
    - 2) Chain of Command.