DOVER AFB, DELAWARE

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Eagle Express

Operational Readiness Exercise

Thank you for the hard work that went into the preparation and execution of our Operational Readiness Exercise (ORE) last week. We met all of our training objectives...most notable was our team's exceptional demonstration of the ability to survive and operate in a contaminated environment. Again, thanks, and well done!





Combined Unit Inspection 2013 Are we compliant, and how do we prove it?

In about 245 days, a diverse team of inspectors from across our Air Force will visit team dover to conduct our first ever Combined Unit Inspection (CUI)...the most significant inspection our base has ever seen. The inspection team will evaluate all groups and functional areas on their day-to-day compliance with executive orders, DoD directives, Air Force, MAJCOM, and local instructions.

I have no doubt that we have a culture of compliance within our organizations, the question is...how do we prove it? How are we preparing? What can the Chief and I do to help you? The wing has a cadre of folks (Wing/Group/Sqadron POCs) that are leading the charge in building tools for us to use as we begin our inspection prep. E-continuity book templates, consolidated electronic appointment letters, and a re-look at our DABIs are just a few examples of what the wing is doing to make your job easier as we get ready for this fall. I challenge you to ask yourself, "what can I do to help my unit prepare?" Each of us needs to ask ourselves: "Are we compliant, and how do we prove it?" If your work section is compliant, and you can prove it...great! If not, ensure you annotate any discrepancies in your unit's self-assessment and elevate up the chain of command so we can help you reach this goal.

The Chief and I understand that the time leading up to the CUI will be marked with periods of long hours of preparation. We also understand that each of you has a substantial number of "number one" priorities. We are doing all we can at the wing level to simplify this task, and I'm now asking each of you to help as we prepare for the inspection. We have no doubt that Team Dover will show the AMC/IG what we already know...that we are the strongest team in AMC!

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