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Civil-Military Cooperation in Peace Operations and Disaster Relief/Humanitarian Assistance The New Zealand Experience



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Civilian

- International Organisations (UN/ICRC)
- Other Government Departments
- NGO
- Civilian Communities

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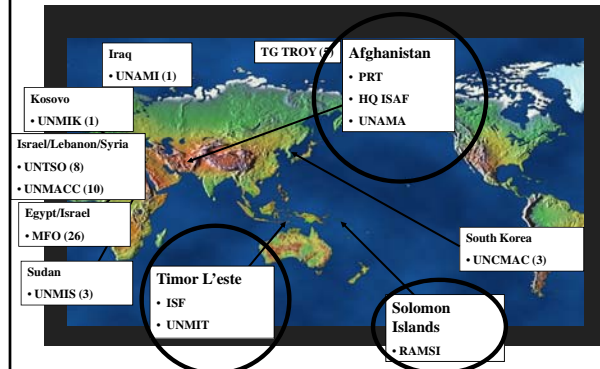
Principles Governing the Civil-Military Relationship

1. Cultural Awareness
2. Common Goals
3. Shared Responsibility
4. Consent
5. Transparency
6. Communication

Peace Operations



NZDF Operational Deployments



Afghanistan



OEF to ISAF

Combat to Development & Reconstruction

Transition of Lead Security Authority

Civilian-led PRT

Role of the PRT

PRTs have a broad mandate that covers the following areas:

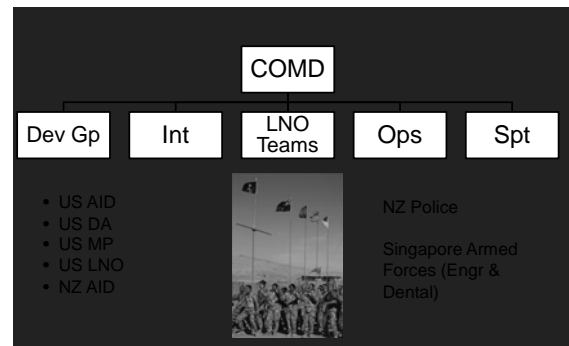
- They engage key government, military, tribal, village, and religious leaders in the provinces, while monitoring and reporting on important political, military and reconstruction developments.
- They work with Afghan authorities to provide security, including support for key events such as the Constitutional Loya Jirga, presidential and parliamentary elections, and the disarmament, demobilization and reintegration of militia forces.

Role of the PRT

- They assist in the deployment and mentoring of Afghan national army and police units assigned to the provinces.
- In partnership with the Afghan Government, the U.N., other donors and NGOs, PRTs provide needed development and humanitarian assistance.



NZ PRT Organisation



Bamiyan Development

- Afghanistan National Development Plan
- Provincial Development Plan
- NZ AID Programme
- US AID Programme
- CERP Funding
- UN Programmes
- NGO Programmes
- Governor's Development Council



Bamiyan Security & Governance

- Four KIWI Patrols
- Presence & situational awareness
- Liaison with District Sub-Governors & village leaders
- Development needs
- Police mentoring & capability building
- Task organised
- Transition from KIWI BASE to district bases



Timor L'este



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May 06 - Timor Breakdown of Law and Order

- PM Alkatiri sacks 595 Timorese soldiers
- Conflict between Timorese Police and Military
- Conflict between Timorese communities – East v West
- Timorese Government seek external assistance to restore law and order.

Timor L'este Civil-Military Environment

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UN (incl UNPOL)

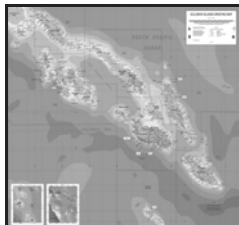
International Stabilisation Force (ISF)

Timor L'este Army & Police

Solomon Islands



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Regional Assistance Mission Solomon Islands (RAMSI)

South Pacific response at the invitation of the SIG

No Solomon Islands military

Royal Solomon Islands Police very weak

Solomon Islands Civil-Military Environment

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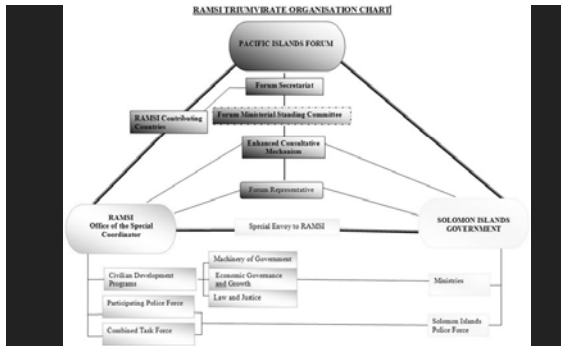
Civilian-led from outset

Five levels of graduated response

MANDATE

- Ensure the safety and security of Solomon Islands
- Repair and reform the machinery of government, improve government accountability and improve the delivery of services in urban and provincial areas
- Improve economic governance and strengthen the government's financial systems
- Help rebuild the economy and encourage sustainable broad-based growth
- Build strong and peaceful communities

RAMSI



Disaster Relief/Humanitarian Assistance



OP SAMOA ASSIST

Early Coordination
NZ Interagency
Host Nation
Regional (FRANZ)

Pre-packed HADR stores

Value of military capabilities
Reconnaissance
Airlift & Sealift
Self sufficient personnel

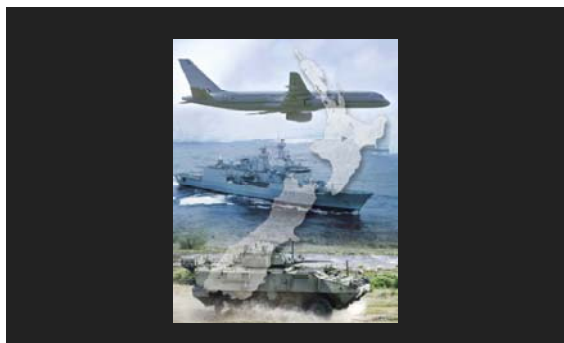


OP SAMOA ASSIST

Contingency Plans
National
Regional

Routine Exercises
NZ Tropic series

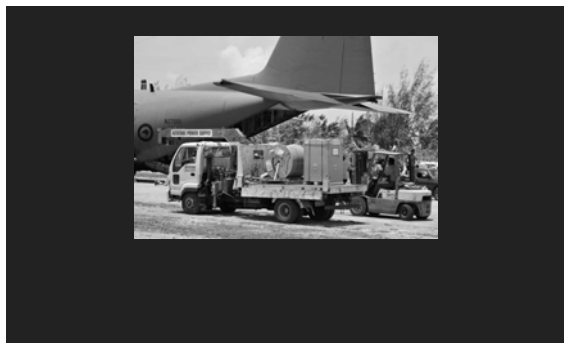




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