



## **NATO Allied Command Transformation**

# **Joint Force Development Experimentation & Wargaming Branch Fact Sheet – Special Operations Forces Command and Control Communication and Information System (SOF C2 CIS)**

- Background:** Special Operations Forces Command and Control Communication and Information System (SOF C2 CIS) capability programme aims to provide a C2 CIS solution to NATO Special Operations Component Command (SOCC) and Special Operations Task Groups (SOTG), fully interoperable and compliant with Federated Mission Networking, to be used mainly by NATO Response Force. The revised Capability Programme Plan was submitted in 2020; the derived products should be under development in 2022. To confirm the relevance of the considered solution and to support Host Nations during projects development, it is crucial for SOF C2 CIS development team to participate in a major 2022 exercise. ACT and NCIA will use Exercise STEADFAST JUPITER 22 (Ex STJU22) to provide specifically identified technical solutions in support of SOCC and SOTG's players, in order to confront SOF C2 CIS architecture and design against SOF processes and procedures, and to refine requirements for project proposals and to identify potential development areas.
- Aim:** The experiment should provide a refinement of Community of Interest service requirements and architecture design, based on on-the-field use in accordance with SOF processes and procedures.
- WDI:** SOF C2 CIS aligns under Allied Command Transformation Warfare Development Imperative (WDI) – Cross Domain Command.
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