Conditions: Given changes to original operation order (OPORD), and a requirement to develop and issue a fragmentary order (FRAGO). (See figure 071-326-5502-1.)

Standards: Developed and issued a clear and brief FRAGO based on changes in the mission or additional information. Issued the FRAGO in the standard OPORD format.

Performance Steps

Note. The FRAGO provides timely changes of existing orders to subordinate and supporting commanders while providing notification to higher and adjacent commands. A FRAGO is either oral or written and addresses only those parts of the original OPORD that have changed. The FRAGO differs from an OPORD only in the degree of detail provided.

1.   **Use standard military terminology.**

2.   **Issue the FRAGO in the same sequence as the OPORD. Use all five paragraph headings as shown in the following example.**

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FRAGMENTARY ORDER _____

References: (Mandatory) Reference the order being modified.

Time Zone Used Throughout the Order: (Optional)

1.  SITUATION. (Mandatory) Include any changes to the existing
              order.

2.  MISSION. (Mandatory) List the new mission.

3.  EXECUTION.

    Intent: (Optional)

    a.  Concept of operations. (Mandatory)

    b.  Tasks to subordinate units. (Mandatory)

    c.  Coordinating instructions. (Mandatory) Include the
        statement, "Current overlay remains in effect" or "See
        change 1 to Annex C, Operations Overlay." Mark changes
        to control measures on overlay or issue a new overlay.

4.  SERVICE SUPPORT. Include any changes to existing order
or the statement, "No changes to OPORD ___."

5.  COMMAND AND SIGNAL. Include any changes to existing
order or the statement, "No changes to OPORD ___."

ACKNOWLEDGE: (Mandatory)


                              NAME (Commander's last name)
                              RANK (Commander's rank)
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Figure 071-326-5502-1. FRAGO Example

Evaluation Preparation:

Setup: At the test site, provide equipment as stated in conditions.

Brief Soldier: Tell the soldier to develop and issue a FRAGO that includes all changes to the original OPORD.