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**Platoon Operation Order**

(1) Situation

 (a) Enemy Forces

 -Identify enemy forces and appraise their general capabilities. Describe the enemy‘s disposition, location, strength, and probable courses of action.

 (b) Friendly Forces

 1. Higher Headquarters‘ Mission and Intent

 2. Missions of Adjacent Units

 (c) Attachments and Detachments

(2) Mission (Who, What (task), When, Where, Why (purpose))

(3) Execution

 (a) Commander‘s Intent

 (b) Concept of the Operation - How unit will accomplish the mission.

 1. Maneuver - Designate main effort and ID tasks

 2. Fires - Concept of fire support, address priority of fires, priority targets, and restrictive control measures.

 3. Additional combat support elements - Concept of employment and priority of effort.

 (c) Tasks to Maneuver Units - Tasks and purpose for each.

 (d) Tasks to combat support units

 (e) Coordinating Instructions

 1. Priority Intelligence Requirements

 2. Fire Support Coordination Measures

 3. Rules of Engagement

 4. Risk Reduction Control Measures

 5. Order of march and other MMNT procedures

 6. MOPP level

 7. Troop safety and operational exposure guide

 8. Engagement and disengagement criteria and instructions

 9. Reporting requirements

 10. Consolidation and reorganization instructions

(4) Sustainment - Describe the concept of sustainment, including priorities by unit or area.

 (a) Logistics

 (b) Personnel

 (c) Health System Support

(5) Command and Control

 (a) Command

 Location of Commander / Succession of Command / Liaison Requirements

 (b) Control

 Command Posts / Reports

 (c) Signal

 SOI index in effect / Listening silence if applicable / Methods of communication in priority / Emergency signals / Code words