

PLANNING

The type, number, and employment of military police personnel and units depend upon the nature of the threat, the political environment, and the assistance required.

Before deployment planning must consider:

- The type and size military police elements to be employed.
- Training requirements for military police personnel and units.
- Logistical support requirements for military police units.
- Command, control, and coordination between the US military commander and/or MAAG, mission, country team, and the military police units.
- Agreements between the United States and the host country which will affect military police operations.

Operational planning must consider:

- US policies and objectives.
- The total IDAD program.
- Host country desire regarding the US role.
- Specific situation regarding host country police organizations, training, materiel, strength, capability, disposition, political role, and operational role.

TRAINING ASSISTANCE

The basic considerations in training of host country police are guidance provided in US-host country agreements, mission of the host capabilities of the existing police forces, and type of force country police, (civil, military, paramilitary) to be trained.

POLICE ASSISTANCE

The primary areas of interest of military police are - -

Police foreign internal defense operations to include primary staff and operational responsibility for combined and joint police operations, police intelligence, police implemented populace and resources control measures, police training and advisory duties, and combat support and combat service support to US military operations.