





JOINT, ENABLING

# **Military Mobility**

(established in March 2018)

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#### PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The project supports member states' commitment to simplify and standardize cross-border military transport procedures in line with the Council conclusions of 25th June 2018. It aims to enable the unhindered movement of military personnel and assets within the borders of the EU. This entails avoiding long bureaucratic procedures to move through or over EU member states, be it via rail, road, air or sea. Issues on which the project is currently focused are the sharing of best practices, implementing the deliverables of the FAC-Defence Council conclusions of 25th June 2018 and strategic communication.



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# **OBJECTIVES/PRODUCTS**

The overall aim of this project is to function as a platform for initiating, coordinating, and guiding the work to be done to improve military mobility in Europe.



IDEATION
INCUBATION
EXECUTION
CLOSING



Contribution to the more binding commitments

Yes



Capability
Perspective

#### EU CDP priority Enhanced logistic and medical supporting capabilities

## CARD references

Enhanced Military Mobility



Operational Viewpoint

#### HICG

Interoperability in Support of operations

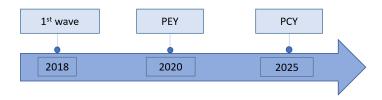


**EDA** support

No

**INDICATORS** 

Project Execution Year (PEY) and Project Completion Year (PCY):



#### **DELIVERABLES ACHIEVED**

- The PESCO project Military Mobility functions as an active forum for the exchange of information and best practices regarding improvements on military mobility. The Project has seen great success in encouraging broader developments on military mobility and ensuring that military mobility is front and centre at the political-strategic level.
- ✓ In accordance with the Council Conclusions of the FAC Defence June 25, 2018, all pMS designate a National POC for the Network of NPOC Military Mobility (2019):
  - o This list has been updated twice (as of March 2022).
  - The NPOC network has been formally activated and had their second meeting in July 2024.
  - The Network of National POC's for Military Mobility will, in part, ensure the use of aspects of the Technical Arrangements stemming from the EDA Cat A Programme Cross Border Movement Permissions.
- ✓ 2021: A Project Arrangement was negotiated and agreed upon by the participating Member States.
- ✓ 2021: Three Administrative Arrangements were negotiated and agreed upon by the project and Canada, Norway and the United States of America respectively. These AA's ensured the participation of these third-states to the Project.







- ✓ 2022: Work Programme (which includes the setup of an interconnected Network of National POC's for Military Mobility (NPOC Network) and the definition of end-state and underlying targets)
- ✓ 2022: the Terms of Reference for the Network of National Points of Contact for Military Mobility were approved. This led to the enablement of the first NPOC meeting in September 2022.

## **CRITERIA FOR SUCCESS**

- All participating Member states have developed and implemented a National Plan on Military Mobility.
- These National Plans are aligned with each other.
- These National Plans are aligned with the EU Action Plan on Military Mobility.
- Further development of end-state and underlying targets (currently in development).