

- Detailed coordination and direction of the intelligence collection effort by - -
  - Coordinating with host country and US intelligence agencies and host country regular and paramilitary forces.
  - Using combat and electronic warfare intelligence (CEWI) elements to include radar and remotely monitored sensors and other technical surveillance systems.
  - Using local people in the development of overt and covert intelligence collection systems.
  - Systematically and thoroughly interrogating prisoners and suspects.
- Use of electronic warfare operations.
- Detailed planning and coordination of activities with nonmilitary government officials.
- Incorporating and monitoring governmental internal development programs in the operational plan by - -
  - Preparing and executing integrated plans that include civic action, populace and resources control, and PSYOP.
  - Operating with and assisting host country paramilitary and police forces.
- Integrating combat service support functions, especially aerial resupply, into all planning.

Subordinate commanders are allowed maximum flexibility in the execution of their missions, but they should be given specific responsibilities and enough guidance to insure a coordinated effort. Circumstances are such that counter guerrilla operations plans may have to change rapidly to allow the brigade to employ its resources against exposed guerrilla forces.

## **PREDEPLOYMENT**

Prior to brigade deployment, higher headquarters will provide information and identify sources so the brigade can begin intelligence collection and operational planning; some brigade intelligence personnel may be placed in-country. Host country military and police and the US country team, military command, and MAAG are examples of principal sources of in-country information. Maximum efforts must be made to gather, as early as possible, adequate information for brigade planning.

In addition to physical environment information, brigade personnel must be familiar with common phrases of the language and with the customs and culture of the people and must learn the best way to obtain their support. This is essential if the brigade is to wage successful counter guerrilla operations.