

# Discussion: Container Disposition

- DEPSECDEF memo, Global Container Management Policy, 18 Dec 09:

“The Commander, USTRANSCOM, in coordination with the DoD Components, shall: Develop processes and procedures and oversee carrier-provided or leased containers acquired through the purchase of carrier-owned containers during contingency operations with DoD funds, and coordinate the disposition of these containers after the operation has concluded”

# Discussion: Container Disposition

- Questions for discussion:
  - Are all carrier-provided or leased containers (USC / Textainer contracts) “bought out” during OEF / OIF considered part of this tasking? If not, who owns the containers and takes responsibility?
  - Does this tasking include containers designated as “Available for Government Use (AFGU)?”
  - How many containers were bought out or are AFGU?
    - USC Carriers –
    - Textainer –
    - AFGU –

# Discussion: Container Disposition

- Questions for discussion:
  - Where are they located; what condition are they in?
  - What are total costs to keep and reuse these containers? When is it worthwhile economically?
  - Disposition options
    - Leave in-theater
    - Use for redeployment and retrograde then retain or scrap
    - Offer to all Services to fill requirements for deployment or for storage at installations
    - Set up “Common User” pool(s) for sustainment and possibly ammunition
    - Industry agreement to manage
    - Others