



SECRETARY OF THE ARMY  
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MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY (INSTALLATIONS,  
ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT)

SUBJECT: Increasing Deployment of Combined Heat and Power (CHP)

1. On 11 August 2016, I committed the Army to double the amount of energy production from Combined Heat and Power (CHP) facilities on our installations in the next two years, to 200 megawatts (MW), and to triple it in the next four years, to 300 MW.
2. Where technically and economically feasible, CHP benefits the Army by reducing energy costs and air pollution emissions, improving energy security, diversifying the energy supply, and supporting Army and Federal energy policies. I request that you develop an overarching CHP deployment strategy within 120 days that appropriately considers CHP as a key element of the Energy and Sustainability Strategy and has applicability to all land holding commands.
3. Achieving these goals will be a significant challenge but one that can be met. With your leadership and guidance, commanders of Army facilities and installations will be empowered to assess the potential for CHP at their locations, communicate lessons learned, and work with the Army staff and partners to identify best opportunities for CHP deployment.



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