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The [National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2015](#) directed the integration of operational energy and facility energy functions under a single Assistant Secretary of Defense for Energy, Installations, and Environment. The Assistant Secretary is the principal advisor to the Secretary of Defense and the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics on matters relating to energy, installations, and environment; and is the principal advisor to the Secretary of Defense and the Deputy Secretary of Defense regarding operational energy plans and programs. This organizational change was previously discussed in the Department's [April 2014 report](#) on broader organizational changes in the Office of the Secretary of Defense.

In practical terms, this means that the Offices of the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Installations & Environment and Assistant Secretary of the Defense for Operational Energy Plans and Programs are now integrated into a single organization.