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Mr. Edward Greer is the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Developmental Test and Evaluation. He serves as the principal advisor on developmental test and evaluation (DT&E) to the Secretary of Defense (SECDEF) and the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics (USD(AT&L)). Sworn in March 15, 2010, Mr. Greer has initiated the rebuilding of DT&E as its first Deputy Assistant Secretary since its inception under the Weapon System Acquisition Reform Act of 2009. Mr. Greer is responsible for DT&E policy and guidance in support of the acquisition of major Department of Defense (DoD) weapon systems. Other significant duties include reviewing and improving the organization and capabilities of the military departments with respect to DT&E and providing advocacy, oversight, and guidance to elements of the acquisition workforce responsible for DT&E.

As of April 1, 2011, Mr. Greer also serves as the Director, Test Resource Management Center (TRMC). In this role, he advises the SECDEF, the Deputy Secretary of Defense, and the USD(AT&L) on matters pertaining to strategic planning for and assessment of the DoD's Major Range and Test Facility Base, the nation's critical range infrastructure for conducting effective test and evaluation (T&E) of major weapon systems. Additionally, the Director reviews and certifies proposed T&E budgets of Military Departments and Defense Agencies, administers the Central Test and Evaluation Investment Program (CTEIP), and oversees the DoD program for T&E science and technology.

Prior to his political appointment and since 2002, Mr. Greer served as the Deputy Assistant Commander for Test and Evaluation, Naval Air Systems Command, and Executive Director, Naval Air Warfare Center Aircraft Division (NAWCAD), Patuxent River, MD. As the senior civilian for Naval Aviation Test and Evaluation, he was responsible for planning, executing, analyzing, and reporting of all Naval Aviation test and evaluation, spanning a workforce of 6,600 and an operating budget of \$1B. As Executive Director, NAWCAD, he ensured that NAWCAD technical, business, and financial objectives were met across a workforce of 14,400 and a total operating budget of over \$4 billion.

In 1998, Mr. Greer joined the Senior Executive Service as Director of the Atlantic Ranges and Facilities, NAWCAD, responsible for all facets relating to the development, maintenance, and operation of the range and test facility components of the Navy's principal Air Combat Systems test activity.

From 1995 to 1998, Mr. Greer served as Principal Deputy Program Manager for the E-6B Aircraft; Program Executive Office for Air, Antisubmarine Warfare, Assault & Special Mission Programs. Mr. Greer was responsible for all aspects of acquisition including Systems Engineering, Logistics, Training Systems and Test and Evaluation. From 1993 to 1995, Mr. Greer took an assignment in the Pentagon as a Staff Specialist in the Office of Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology, Test, Systems Engineering and Evaluation; Test Facilities and Resources. Prior to 1993, Mr. Greer served in various leadership and engineering positions within the Naval Air Systems Command.

Mr. Greer represented the Navy on the 2007 Defense Science Board Task Force on Developmental Test and Evaluation. Mr. Greer is also a past President of the Southern Maryland Chapter of the International Test and Evaluation Association. He earned his Bachelor of Science Degree in Electrical Engineering from the University of Maryland, College Park, and received a Master of Science Degree in Management from the Florida Institute of Technology. He is also a graduate of the Defense Systems Management College Program Management Course.