
In a memorandum to the Soldiers, Sailors, Airmen, Marines, and Civilians of United States Forces-Afghanistan, General John Allen describes the crucial role that operational energy plays in supporting our mission in Afghanistan. General Allen writes that "Operational Energy in the battle space is about improving combat effectiveness" - and, in a handwritten note at the bottom, says that "Operational energy equates exactly to operational capability." Read the full memorandum below.