



REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF:

**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**  
HEADQUARTERS, U.S. ARMY MATERIEL COMMAND  
4400 MARTIN ROAD  
REDSTONE ARSENAL, AL 35898-5000

Centers of Industrial and Technical Excellence (CITE)

14 September 2018

Title 10, United States Code, Section 2474 requires the Secretary of the Army to designate each depot-level activity or army military arsenal facility as a Center of Industrial and Technical Excellence (CITE) in one or more specific technical competencies required for core capabilities.

CITEs are authorized to enter into public-private partnerships that may provide for:

- Employees of the CITE to perform work under contract related to the core competencies of the CITE.
- Private industry or other non-DOD entities to perform work under contract related to the core competencies of the CITE.
- Private industry or other non-DOD entities to use, for any length of time consistent with DOD needs, any facilities or equipment not fully utilized for DOD work.

Secretary of the Army Approved CITEs:

a. Anniston Army Depot, Anniston, AL – CITE for Combat Vehicles (Wheeled and Track) (except Bradley) including Assault Bridging, Artillery and Small Caliber Weapons 24 Oct 2002.

b. Corpus Christi Army Depot, Corpus Christi, TX – CITE for aviation structural airframes & blades, advanced composite technologies, flight controls & control surfaces, aviation engines, transmissions & hydraulic systems including sub-system accessory components, armament, electronics, and support equipment (less avionics) 24 Oct 2002.

c. Letterkenny Army Depot, Chambersburg, PA – CITE for Air Defense and Tactical Missile Ground Support Equipment (less Missile Guidance and Control) and Mobile Electric Power Generation Equipment 27 Sep 2005.

d. Red River Army Depot, Texarkana, TX – CITE for Tactical Wheeled Vehicles, Small Emplacement Excavator, Bradley Fighting Vehicle Series, Multiple Launch Rocket System chassis, Patriot Missile Re-certifications, and for Rubber products necessary for sustainment & support to the United States and Allied forces and Agencies. 24 Oct 2002.

e. Tobyhanna Army Depot, Tobyhanna, PA – CITE for Command, Control, Communications, Computers, Intelligence, Surveillance & Reconnaissance (C4ISR), Electronics, Avionics, and Missile Guidance & Control 08 Mar 2006.

f. Pine Bluff Arsenal, Pine Bluff, AR – CITE for Chemical & Biological Defense Equipment 27 Sep 2005.

- g. Sierra Army Depot, Herlong, CA - CITE for 622623 Reverse Osmosis Water Purification Units (ROWPUs) 09 Jan 2007.
- h. Rock Island Arsenal-Joint Manufacturing Technology Center (RIA-JMTC), Rock Island, IL - CITE for Mobile Maintenance Systems (MMS) 06 May 2009.
- i. Tooele Army Depot, Tooele, UT – CITE for Ammunition Peculiar Equipment (APE) 01 March 2010.
- j. Sierra Army Depot, Herlong, CA - CITE for Petroleum and Water Storage and Distribution Systems 25 May 2011.
- k. Letterkenny Army Depot, Chambersburg, PA – CITE for Route Clearance Vehicles (RCV) and Patriot Missile Recertification 17 Mar 2012.
- l. Rock Island Arsenal-Joint Manufacturing Technology Center (RIA-JMTC), Rock Island, IL - CITE for Add-on Armor (AoA) design, development and prototype fabrication 17 Jul 2012.
- m. Watervliet Arsenal Joint Manufacturing and Technology Center (WVA-JMTC), Watervliet, New York CITE for Manufacturing Cannons and Mortars Systems 29 Jan 2013.
- n. Rock Island Arsenal-Joint Manufacturing Technology Center (RIA-JMTC), Rock Island, IL -CITE for Foundry Operations 13 Feb 2013.
- o. Anniston Army Depot Defense Non-Tactical Generator and Rail Equipment Center (DGRC), Anniston, AL – CITE for maintenance and overhaul of non-tactical generator, including locomotives and rail equipment 29 July 2014.
- p. Letterkenny Munitions Center (LEMC), Chambersburg PA - CITE for Army Tactical Missile Systems, Guided Multiple Launch Rocket Systems, and Low Cost Reduced range Practice Rockets missile maintenance 07 Mar 2016
- q. Communications-Electronics Command (CECOM) Software Engineering Center (SEC), Aberdeen, MD - CITE for Army Command, Control, Communications, Computers, Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance (C4ISR) Systems Software Maintenance 05 Jan 2017
- r. Pine Bluff Arsenal (PBA), Pine Bluff, AK - CITE for Smoke Ammunition 10 Jan 2017
- s. Aviation and Missile Command (AMCOM), Aviation and Missile Research, Development and Engineering Center (AMRDEC), Software Engineering Directorate (SED), Redstone Arsenal, Al - CITE for Aviation and Missile Software Sustainment 14 Sept 2018

Note: As a consequence of BRAC 2005 the Patriot Missile Re-Certifications that was one of the technical competencies previous associated with the Red River Army Depot (RRAD) CITE Designation 24 Oct 2002 as indicated in d., was relocated to Letterkenny Army Depot (LEAD). LEAD received CITE Designation for Patriot Missile Re-Certification on 17 March 2012 as indicated in k.. Red River Army Depot retained the remaining CITE functions that included the Multiple Launch Rocket System (MLRS) Chassis .