

Note on the Canadian Corps and Canadian
Military Headquarters

The Canadian Corps is engaged in military operations (defence of Britain) under the authority of the British War Office and the General Officer Commanding the forces in the United Kingdom. In a technical sense, the Corps is a part of an Army in the field. The Corps Commander has, however, the right of direct access to the Canadian Government, and the government has always reserved the right to be consulted about the theatre in which the Corps will be employed.

Canadian Military Headquarters is a branch of the Canadian Department of National Defence (Army) in the U.K. It has control of holding units, troops in training (like the third division), etc. but no authority over troops engaged in actual operations (like the Corps) though it serves as a channel of communication between the Corps and Ottawa.