

increased maritime surface and air resources have been devoted to the surveillance and control of Canadian waters in support of the Department of Fisheries and the Environment. A multitude of ships are identified every year, and many are boarded by fisheries officers of the Department of Fisheries and the Environment, assisted by Canadian military personnel.

Mobile Command

The role of Mobile Command is: to provide military units, suitably trained and equipped, for the protection of Canadian territory; to maintain operational readiness of combat formations in Canada required for overseas commitments; and to support United Nations or other peace-keeping operations.

The forces assigned include: one brigade group in the West, with headquarters in Calgary, a second in the East, with headquarters at Valcartier, Quebec, and an "air-drop-able/air-portable" regimental combat group, which includes the Special Service Force with headquarters at Petawawa, Ontario; the Canadian contingent of the United Nations Force in Cyprus; Canadian Contingent United Nations Middle East; and one combat-training centre at Gagetown, New Brunswick. The Militia is also controlled and administered by Mobile Command.

Militia

The Militia is assigned its traditional role as a sub-component in support of the Regular Force. Under the present organization, units of the Militia