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OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this unit, the trainee will be able to:

1. Identify the purpose of creating a non-dispatch government organization of type 'tanker base'.
2. Identify the purpose of designating a catalog item as a 'tactical aircraft'.
3. Identify the purpose of designating a 'Dispatched By' organization for a reload base.
4. Identify the purpose of designating 'Record Manager Only' for a tactical aircraft.
5. Identify the purpose of designating a 'Current Operating Base' for a tactical aircraft.
6. Designate frequencies as 'tactical' when creating an incident.
7. Designate the maximum and minimum elevation of an incident.
8. Ferry a resource to another tanker base.
9. Quick fill assign a tactical aircraft.
10. Quick fill divert a tactical aircraft.
11. Release a tactical aircraft.
12. Fill a tactical aircraft request.
13. Reassign a tactical aircraft.
14. Divert a tactical aircraft.

TACTICAL AVIATION UNIT

TA.1 Objectives

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<input type="checkbox"/>	TA.1 Objectives	<p>Refer to Slide ROSSD-SL-TA-01 (Tactical Aviation).</p> <p>Refer to Slides ROSSD-SL-TA-02 and ROSSD-SL-TA-03 (Objectives).</p>

TA.2 Overview

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<input type="checkbox"/>	TA.2 Overview	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tactical Aviation functionality in ROSS refers to the use of aircraft resources that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Can be designated as ‘tactical’. – Can be assigned to multiple incidents each day without being reassigned or released. – Might not have a permanent Home Dispatch, and are instead dispatched by their ‘Current Operating Base’.

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☐	TA.2 Overview (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Though tactical aircraft dispatching is managed on the Tactical Aviation screen, the functionality affects many other ROSS screens. • This course focuses on the specifics of dispatching tactical aircraft; common ROSS dispatch functionality is not addressed.

TA.3 Overview of Tactical Aviation

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☐	TA.3 Overview of Tactical Aviation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tanker Base Organizations. <p>Refer to Slide ROSSD-SL-TA-04 (Tanker Base Organization).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Non-dispatch government organization of type ‘tanker base’ can be created on the Organization screen. – An airport, also of type ‘tanker base’, must then be designated for the tanker base organization. – Can use tanker base organization to enter and manage information such as coordinates, address, contacts, and frequencies for tanker base.

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☐	TA.3 Overview of Tactical Aviation (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Tanker base organizations are not resource providers and do not have Unit IDs. • Reload Bases. <p>Refer to Slide ROSSD-SL-TA-05 (Reload Bases).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – On Reload Bases tab of Organization screen, can associate reload bases to your dispatch. – One reload base can be set as the default for creating tactical aircraft requests. – Each reload base can have a ‘Managed By’ dispatch that manages the non-dispatch government organization associated with airport, if applicable. – Each reload base must have a designated ‘Dispatched By’ dispatch authorized to dispatch tactical aircraft located at the base. <p>Refer to Slide ROSSD-SL-TA-06 (Dispatched By).</p>

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☐	TA.3 Overview of Tactical Aviation (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – One or more reload bases may be associated with a dispatch, but only one office may dispatch for a given reload base. – Only current Dispatched By dispatch can remove their designation as ‘Dispatched By’. – Set Dispatched By button – Sets your dispatch as Dispatched By dispatch of a base that does not currently have one. – Reload bases from Reload Bases tab on Organization screen added to each incident your dispatch creates. – Clear Dispatched By button. <p>• Catalog Items.</p> <p>Refer to Slide ROSSD-SL-TA-07 (Tactical Aircraft).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Catalog Manager at NICC can assign ‘Tactical Aircraft’ and ‘Requires Tanker Base’ designations to an aircraft catalog item.

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☐	TA.3 Overview of Tactical Aviation (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – ‘Tactical Aircraft’ – Indicates item will be handled within ROSS as a tactical aircraft, with special processing applied when requested and assigned. – ‘Requires Tanker Base’ – Applicable only to items designated as ‘Tactical Aircraft’. Indicates resource must use an airport of type tanker base. • Resources. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Tactical aircraft can have a ‘Record Manager Only’ (RMO) designation, identifying the resource as not having a permanent Home Dispatch (e.g., national airtankers). <p>Refer to Slide ROSSD-SL-TA-08 (Record Manager Only).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Unit that statuses and dispatches the aircraft is determined by the resource’s Current Operating Base (COB), which may change frequently. <p>Refer to Slide ROSSD-SL-TA-09 (Current Operating Base).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – NICC sets initial Current Operating Base via Locations tab on Resource Item screen.

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☐	TA.3 Overview of Tactical Aviation (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Once set, Current Operating Base is updated based on where the aircraft is assigned or released to. <p>Refer to Slide ROSSD-SL-TA-010 (Current Operating Base Definition).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – RMO not designated if aircraft has a Home Dispatch responsible for its statusing and dispatching. – Resource released from a tactical aviation request becomes Available when Demob ETA is met (i.e., there is no ‘Returned From Assignment’). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resource Statusing – For RMO tactical aircraft, following statusing must be performed on Tactical Aviation screen: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Setting Availability (i.e., Available or Unavailable). – Setting Unavailability Periods.

TA.4 New Incident Screen

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☐	TA.4 New Incident Screen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Radio Frequencies panel – Frequencies can be designated as ‘tactical’ as the incident is being created. • Radio Frequencies grid – Displays frequencies associated with selected Host marked as ‘Primary’. • Set Air Tactical button. • To remove ‘tactical’ designation, click button again.

TA.5 Incident Screen

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☐	TA.5 Incident Screen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incident Details’ section of the screen – Displays two tactical aviation related fields: Minimum and Maximum Elevation (ft).

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☐	TA.5 Incident Screen (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Frequencies tab. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Yes/No indicates if 'tactical'. – To set as tactical, click Edit button then Air Tactical check box. • Airports tab – Adding (or removing)an airport of type 'tanker base' does not add (or remove) the airport from Reload Bases tab (and vice-versa). • Reload Bases tab. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – For reload bases of type 'tanker base', displays Dispatched By center. – A reload base cannot be removed from an incident once it has been used on a request.

TA.6 New Request Screen

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☐	TA.6 New Request Screen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reload Base field – Only visible for tactical aircraft catalog items. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Used to designate reload base from which tactical aircraft used to fill request will operate. – Required field if tanker base required. – Defaults to your dispatch’s default reload base. • Pick Reload Base dialog box – Can contain up to three tabs: Airports, Incident, and Locations. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Airports tab – Used to select an airport as reload base for request. Search criteria of note: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Reload Bases Dispatched by [Unit-ID] radio button – Select to display only reload bases your dispatch dispatches tactical aircraft for.

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☐	TA.6 New Request Screen (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All Airports radio button – Select to display all airports (however, if tanker base is required, results limited to only tanker bases). – Incident tab – Used to select incident location as reload base for request. – Locations tab – Used to select existing location, or create new location, as reload base for request. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Set Search for Locations panel. ▪ Locations grid. ▪ Location Details panel. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▫ Fields. ▫ New button. ▫ Save button. • Pilot ‘incident information’ message.

TA.7 Practice Session

☑	Topic	Notes
☐	TA.7 Practice Session	Stop the lecture here and have students practice the parts of the unit scenario involving creating Tactical Aircraft requests.

TA.8 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Tactical Aviation Resources Grid and Filter Criteria

☑	Topic	Notes
☐	TA.8 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Tactical Aviation Resources Grid and Filter Criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accessible via Resource menu or toolbar button (icon of an airplane). • Visible only if you have user role of Aircraft Dispatcher. • Screen used to status, assign, reassign, divert, and release tactical aircraft. • Provides centralized location for managing tactical aviation resources and requests. • Resources' tab – Used to view and take action on tactical aircraft currently accessible by your dispatch.

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☐	TA.8 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Tactical Aviation Resources Grid and Filter Criteria (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fills and reassignments performed on Resources tab are quick fills, so no travel options can be selected. Exception is the Ferry functionality. • Set Filter for Tactical Aviation Resources panel. • Tactical Aviation Resources grid. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Following aircraft (non-RMO) can display: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Unassigned resources for which you are Home Dispatch. ▪ Assigned resources for which you are Current Dispatch. – Following RMO aircraft can display: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Unassigned resources for which your dispatch dispatches for the resource's COB. ▪ Assigned resources for which you are Incident Dispatch. ▪ Assigned resources on incidents using a reload base for which your dispatch is the Dispatched By.

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☐	TA.8 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Tactical Aviation Resources Grid and Filter Criteria (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Columns of note: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Current Base – Airport or location that is COB for resource. ▪ # Pending – Number of requests currently pending with your dispatch for primary classification of resource. ▪ Release Authorization – ‘Hold’, ‘Authorized’, or ‘N/A’. • Go To button. • View button. • Print button.

TA.9 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Ferry Button

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☐	TA.9 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Ferry Button	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Used to ferry (transfer) a resource from tanker base you dispatch for to another tanker base.

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☐	TA.9 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Ferry Button (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicable only if selected resource is Record Manager Only and currently not assigned (including preposition). <p>Refer to Slide ROSSD-SL-TA-011 (Ferry Scenario).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The following scenario illustrates the ferry process: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – NM-SWTA (GACC) informs Gunnison Dispatch to ferry NICC Airtanker #6, currently at Walker Field ('Dispatched By' Gunnison) to Fort Collins-Loveland Muni ('Dispatched By' Grand Junction). – GACC creates 'Ferry Incident' (of type 'Other Support'). – Gunnison Dispatch: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Selects NICC SWCTA Airtanker #6 on Resources tab. ▪ Selects ferry-to airport in Ferry Resource dialog box. ▪ Selects 'Ferry Incident' from open incidents of type 'Other'. ▪ Sets travel. • Request is created on GACC Ferry Incident, and is filled with NICC SWCTA Airtanker #6.

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☐	TA.9 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Ferry Button (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reload Base on request, and COB of NICC SWCTA Airtanker #6, are set to Fort Collins-Loveland Muni. • When mobilization ETA passes, request is automatically closed.

TA.10 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Incidents Grid and Filter Criteria

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☐	TA.10 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Incidents Grid and Filter Criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Set Filter for Incidents panel. • Incidents grid. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Displays incidents to which tactical aircraft can be assigned. – Following incidents can be displayed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All open, local incidents.

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☐	TA.10 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Incidents Grid and Filter Criteria (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All open non-local incidents for which: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▫ Your dispatch has filled a request on current day, AND ▫ Requested item of filled request matches one of the tactical aircraft classifications of resource selected in the Tactical Aviation Resources grid. • View Details button. • Go To button.

TA.11 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Assign Button

☑	Topic	Notes
☐	TA.11 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Assign Button	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Used to quick fill assign or reassign the selected resource to the selected incident. • Assign button drop-down list contents: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Assign.

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☐	TA.11 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Assign Button (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Assign (Add Roster Later) – Fills group resource as single resource, but indicates intent to add assignment roster later. Not applicable to reassignments. – Assign with Master Roster –Assignment roster built based on resource’s master roster. Not applicable to reassignments. • Select Classification dialog box displays if: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Local incident and resource has multiple tactical aircraft classifications. – Non-local incident selected, and your dispatch filled requests on incident during current day for more than one tactical aircraft classification of selected resource. • If local incident and resource is being assigned as classification requiring a tanker base, and your dispatch does not have any reload bases defined, Pick Reload Base dialog box displays.

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☐	TA.11 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Assign Button (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resource is quick filled to the selected incident. – System creates request using aircraft catalog system default request block. – If reassigning, reassign-from request: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Becomes pending with your dispatch if resource was Mob En Route. ▪ Is closed if resource had already reached incident. ▪ Travel is set to ATD / ETE option, with ATD of current time and ETE of 0.

TA.12 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Divert Button

☑	Topic	Notes
☐	TA.12 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Divert Button	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Used to reassign the selected resource to the selected incident.

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☐	TA.12 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Divert Button (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Divert only allowed if: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Resource is Mob En Route. – Divert-from and divert-to incidents are non-preposition. • Resource diverted (via quick fill) to new incident. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – System creates new request using aircraft catalog system default request block. – Resource reassigned to new request; travel set to ATD of current time and ETE of 0. – Divert-from request becomes pending with dispatch that originally filled it. – If divert parent, the position order and subordinate request number suffixes are carried over to reassign-to assignment roster.

TA.13 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Availability Panel

☑	Topic	Notes
☐	TA.13 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Availability Panel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If RMO resource, can only status: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – On Tactical Aviation screen. – If you are Dispatched By center for COB of resource. • If not RMO resource, can only status if you are Home Dispatch. • Fields and buttons only enabled when resource is not assigned to a non-preposition incident. • Select Status drop-down lists. • Set Availability button. • Set Unavailability Periods button.

TA.14 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Release Tactical Aviation Resource Panel

☑	Topic	Notes
☐	TA.14 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Release Tactical Aviation Resource Panel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Used to release tactical aviation resources. • In order to release from a local incident: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Resource must be Mob En Route or At Incident, AND – Your dispatch must be either: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Current dispatch. ▪ Dispatched By center for COB of resource (RMO only). • In order to release from a non-local incident: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Resource must be Mob En Route, At Incident, Available on Preposition, or Tentative Released, AND – Your dispatch must be Managing Dispatch of resource.

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☐	TA.14 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Release Tactical Aviation Resource Panel (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No multi-select release for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – RMO resources (so Release To Base can be selected). – Prepositioned resources. • Release Date. • Release To Base – Visible (and required) only for RMO. • Enter Documentation. • Travel Options. • Release button. • Cancel button. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Cancels release of tactical aviation resource.

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<input type="checkbox"/>	TA.14 Tactical Aviation Screen > Resources Tab > Release Tactical Aviation Resource Panel (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Only enabled when: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Resource is assigned to Tentative Released request, or resource has status of Demob En Route or Released (At Incident). ▪ Your dispatch is resource's Current Dispatch or dispatches for COB.

TA.15 Practice Session

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TA.16 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Pending Tactical Aircraft Requests Grid and Filter Criteria

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<input type="checkbox"/>	TA.16 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Pending Tactical Aircraft Requests Grid and Filter Criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Used to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - View requests for tactical aircraft pending with your dispatch. - View tactical aircraft resources available to fill requests.

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☐	TA.16 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Pending Tactical Aircraft Requests Grid and Filter Criteria (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Take actions on requests as appropriate. • Functionality of tab similar to Pending Request. • Select Incident panel. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Select Incident drop-down list – For an incident to display, your dispatch must be in the Ordering Chain of an open tactical aircraft request on the incident. • View Tactical Aircraft Incident Information button. • Set Filter for Pending Tactical Aircraft Requests panel. • Pending Tactical Aircraft Requests grid. • Go To button. • View button. • Print button.

TA.17 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Action Button

☑	Topic	Notes
☐	TA.17 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Action Button	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cancel Request. • UTF Request. • Cancel UTF Request. • Edit Request – Differences for tactical aircraft requests discussed later. • Create Support Request – Discussed later. • Add Documentation. • Place Request Up. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Places request to parent dispatch. – Must have user role with Place Up function.

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☐	TA.17 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Action Button (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Place Request. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Tactical Aviation Resources grid also functions like Other Resources tab on Pending Request screen; used to select the place-to dispatch. – For non-CWN/AGR resources, Place Request: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Enabled if Current or Home dispatch of resource is Selection Area or sub dispatch. ▪ Resource must be Available or Reserved. ▪ Places request to Home or Current Dispatch. – For CWN/AGR resources, enabled when Current Dispatch has direct access to or manages at least one of the resource’s ‘Active’ contracts. – However can still place toward resource if one of following has direct access/manages: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Your subs (at any level). ▪ Your Selection Area dispatches.

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☐	TA.17 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Action Button (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Subs (at any level) of your Selection Area dispatches. – To place to Selection Area member: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Request not received via a Direct Order Affiliation. ▪ You do not have a Direct Order Affiliation with place-to dispatch covering the requested item. ▪ Place-to dispatch not in the request’s Ordering Chain. ▪ You have Selection Area ordering authorization with place-to dispatch that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▫ Covers the requested item. ▫ Is designated as ‘Active’. ▫ Has ‘Placed Down Reqs’ designated if you received the request from your parent. ▫ Has ‘SA Placed Reqs’ designated if you received request via Selection Area.

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☐	TA.17 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Action Button (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - If placing toward a non-contracted resource, or a resource on a CWN/AGR with a single dispatch, a confirmation message displays. - If resource is on CWN/AGR contracts(s) with multiple dispatches, Place Request dialog box displays. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Place To Organization grid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▫ Dispatch must manage at least one directly accessible contract. ▫ When request is placed down to a sub, sub's Selection Area members and subs of Selection Area members are not available to be 'place to' dispatch, even if they have direct access to contract. Only subs (any level) of a dispatch that received a 'placed-down' request display. ▪ Place Towards Contracts table: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▫ Displays CWN/AGRs, that resource is on, that selected dispatch has direct access to. ▫ Globally accessible contracts do not display.

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☐	TA.17 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Action Button (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If resource on both globally accessible contract and direct access contract, can only place towards direct access contract. • Continue Assignment Roster. • Cancel Assignment Roster.

TA.18 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Tactical Aviation Resources Grid

☑	Topic	Notes
☐	TA.18 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Tactical Aviation Resources Grid	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grid displays resources qualified to fill the selected request and that meet one of the two following sets of conditions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Set of Conditions # 1</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Your dispatch: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Has Selection Area ordering authorization with resource’s Current Dispatch covering requested item. ▪ Did not receive request via Direct Order.

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☐	TA.18 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Tactical Aviation Resources Grid (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Does not have Direct Order affiliation with resource's Current Dispatch covering requested item. – And one of following must be true for resource: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If resource is assigned, or is unassigned non-RMO, Current Dispatch must be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▫ One of your dispatch's Selection Area members, or ▫ Dispatch below one of your dispatch's Selection Area members. ▪ If resource is unassigned RMO, COB must be dispatched by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▫ One of your dispatch's Selection Area members, or ▫ A dispatch below one of your dispatch's Selection Area members. ▪ Resource is Available on at least one CWN/AGR contract accessible to one of Current Dispatch's: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▫ Subordinates, ▫ Selection area members, or ▫ Sub of Selection Area member.

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☐	TA.18 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Tactical Aviation Resources Grid (continued)	<p><u>Set of Conditions # 2</u> One of following must be true:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Your dispatch: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Is resource’s Home Dispatch, or ▪ Dispatches for resource’s COB (RMO only). – Resource is assigned and your dispatch: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Is resource’s Current Dispatch. ▪ Is Incident Dispatch (RMO only). ▪ Dispatches for resource’s incident reload base (RMO only). ▪ Is in Ordering Chain (if resource prepositioned, can be either prepo or non-prepo request). ▪ Is in Filling Chain of resource’s current request (only if Mob En Route). ▪ Is in Home Chain of resource’s current request (only if Demob En Route). ▪ Is parent dispatch of Incident Dispatch of resource’s current request.

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☐	TA.18 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Tactical Aviation Resources Grid (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Resource is not assigned and one of following is true: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Resource’s Current Dispatch is below your dispatch in hierarchy. ▪ Resource’s COB is dispatched by dispatch below your dispatch (RMO only). ▪ Resource is on active CWN/AGR with status of Available, and your dispatch has access to contract. • Grid only displays resources with an Available To Area of State or GACC or National. • Grid columns. Columns of note: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Current Base – Airport or location that is COB for resource. – Distance – Distance from resource to incident of selected request, in miles. • Query button– Table does not automatically re-query when a request is selected or a radio button is applied.

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TA.19 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Assign Tactical Aviation Resource Panel

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<input type="checkbox"/>	TA.19 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Assign Tactical Aviation Resource Panel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Used to assign, reassign, or divert the selected resource to the selected request. • Reload Base. • Assigning Contact. • Financial Code. • Enter Documentation.

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☑	Topic	Notes
☐	TA.19 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Assign Tactical Aviation Resource Panel (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Travel panel. • Fill button. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Resource must be Available or Reserved. – If not RMO, your dispatch must be Current Dispatch. – If RMO, your dispatch must be Dispatched By for resource’s COB. – CWN/AGR Resources. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Fill enabled when Current Dispatch has direct access to or manages one of resource’s Active contracts. ▪ However can still fill if one of following has direct access or manages: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▫ Your subs (at any level). ▫ Your Selection Area dispatches. ▫ Subs (at any level) of your Selection Area dispatches. ▪ Can fill with a resource having a globally accessible contract.

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☐	TA.19 Tactical Aviation Screen > Requests Tab > Assign Tactical Aviation Resource Panel (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reassign button. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Not enabled if selected resource is Reserved or Returned From Assignment. – Reassign-from request becomes pending with your dispatch if resource was Mob En Route. • Divert button. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Not applicable if selected request is for a preposition incident. – Only applicable if selected resource is Mob En Route. – Divert-from request becomes pending with dispatch that originally filled it.

TA.20 Practice Session

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TA.21 Travel Screen

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<input type="checkbox"/>	TA.21 Travel Screen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action > Set No Travel – Not applicable to tactical aircraft. • Action > Set Travel ATD/ETE. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Applicable only to tactical aircraft. – Used to switch travel option to ATD/ETE and set dates/times. • Edit Travel ATD/ETE – Used if resource’s travel option is already ATD/ETE.

TA.22 Practice Session

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TA.23 Additional Topics

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☐	TA.23 Additional Topics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action > Edit Request – Reload Base field: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Only applicable to tactical aircraft. – Displays base from which aircraft will operate. – Required field if catalog item requires tanker base. – If editing multiple requests, must be from same incident • Action > Edit Assignment – Edit Assignment dialog box. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Reload Base field. – Mobilization & Demobilization fields in Travel Information section display ATD/ETE.

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☐	TA.23 Additional Topics (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Call Sign Prefix. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Some Aircraft configurations contain an Overhead catalog item that requires a call sign. ▪ Visible only if a subordinate request requiring a call sign. ▪ Displays call sign prefix for parent catalog item. ▪ Call Sign – Enter rest of call sign as a number from 0-999. • Fill Request and Reassign Resource dialog boxes. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Reload Base field. – Call Sign.

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☐	TA.23 Additional Topics (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assignment Roster and Reassign Roster dialog boxes. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – When configuration filled or reassigned, must pick reload base for each tactical aircraft position on the assignment/reassign roster. – Reload Base columns in Assignment/Reassign Roster table: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Reload Base – Name of reload base (airport, incident, or location) for position. ▪ Required – Displays by Yes/No if position requires a reload base. – Reload base for each tactical aircraft position defaults to default reload base of your dispatch. – Action button > Pick Reload Base. • Quick Fill screen > Assign button.

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☐	TA.23 Additional Topics (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Reload Base – If quick fill qualification of resource requires a tanker base, a reload base must be set for the request ROSS will create. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If your dispatch has any reload bases on Reload Bases tab of Organization screen, one is automatically used. ▪ If your dispatch has no reload bases designated, Pick Reload Base dialog box displays. – Call Sign – If quick filling an aircraft using a configuration qualification, and an Overhead position on assignment/reassign roster requires a call sign, Quick Fill Call Sign dialog box displays. • Release Resource dialog box. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Release To Location field – Not visible for RMO. – Release To Base field – Only visible for RMO.

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☐	TA.23 Additional Topics (continued)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create Support Request dialog box – A tactical aircraft catalog item <u>cannot</u> be the requested item of a support request. • Add Subordinate Request dialog box – Reload Base field is only visible when requested catalog item is a tactical aircraft. Refer to Slide ROSSD-SL-TA-12 (Kneeboard Report). • Standard ROSS Reports – A Kneeboard report is available for pilots.

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TA.25 Objectives Review

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<input type="checkbox"/>	TA.25 Objectives Review	Refer to Slides ROSSD-SL-TA-13 and ROSSD-SL-TA-14 (Objectives Review).