EO C527.01 – EXAMINE CANADIAN ARMY AND OUTDOOR-RELATED EDUCATIONAL AND CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

1. **Performance**: Examine Canadian Army and Outdoor-Related Educational and Career Opportunities

2. **Conditions**:

    a. Given:

        (1) Self study package,

        (2) Supervision, and

        (3) Assistance as required.

    b. Denied: Nil.

    c. Environmental: Classroom or training area suitable to complete the self study package.

3. **Standard**: The cadet shall examine Canadian Army and outdoor-related educational and career opportunities by completing a self study package.

4. **Teaching Points**: Have the cadet complete the self study package, which includes:

    a. examining Canadian Army and outdoor-related educational opportunities, to include:

        (1) Canadian Forces (CF) educational opportunities, to include:

            (a) Regular Officer Training Program (ROTP),

            (b) Continuing Education Officer Training Program (CEOTP), and

            (c) Non-Commissioned Member Subsidized Education Plan (NCMSEP);

        (2) civilian outdoor-related educational opportunities, to include:

            (a) outdoor activity courses and workshops,

            (b) association accreditations,

            (c) degree programs, and

            (d) diploma or certificate programs;

    b. examining Canadian Army and outdoor-related career opportunities, to include:

        (1) government career opportunities, to include:

            (a) military, and

            (b) federal, provincial and territorial ministries.

        (2) private sector career opportunities, to include:

            (a) bioscience,

            (b) conservation,

            (c) agricultural,

            (d) land use planning,

            (e) geoscience,

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(f) pollution control, and

(g) outdoor recreation.

5. **Time**:

a.	Self Study:	90 min
b.	Total:	90 min

6. **Substantiation**: A self study was chosen for this lesson as it allows the cadet to examine in greater detail Canadian Army and outdoor-related educational and career opportunities at their own learning pace. This encourages the cadet to become more self-reliant and independent by focusing on their own learning instead of learning directed by the instructor.

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8. **Training Aids**: Nil.

9. **Learning Aids**:

a. Self study package, and

b. Pen / pencil.

10. **Test Details**: Nil.

11. **Remarks**: Nil.

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