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(17) Promotes pollution prevention.

e. Related DOT Classification/DOT Code. No civilian equivalent.

f. Related Military Skill. None.

MOS 8056 Above the rank of Captain the Marine officer performing duties associated with MOS 8056 should pursue training and education opportunities beyond the scope of this MOS. Review of MOS 8831, Environmental Engineer requirements is recommended.

19. MOS 8057, Acquisition Professional Candidate FMOS

a. Summary. Acquisition professional candidates are members of the acquisition work force. They assist in planning, directing, coordinating, and supervising specific functional areas that pertain to the acquisition of equipment/weapons.

b. Prerequisites

(1) Must be a commissioned Officer (limited duty officers are not eligible (see MOS 8060)).

(2) Must have a baccalaureate degree from an accredited educational institution.

(3) Must have at least 24 semester credit hours (or academic equivalent of study from an accredited institution of higher education from among the disciplines of accounting, business finance, business law, contracts, purchasing, economics, industrial management, marketing, quantitative methods (math courses applied to business and management such as statistics, operations research, and mathematics normally taught in school of business or management); or must have at least 24 semester credit hours (or academic equivalent) of study from an accredited institution of higher education in their primary acquisition career field along with 12 semester hours (or academic equivalent) from the business/management disciplines listed above. Education requirements can be met by: Completing coursework or degree programs accredited institution of higher education; applying American Council on Education (ACE) recommended to the semester-hour education requirement only if documented in the student's transcript; and passing score on DANTES (Defense Activity for Non-traditional Education Support) examinations may be substituted for semester credit hours. Review of the student's official transcript is required to validate degree and semester credit hours.

(4) Must be certified to level II in their primary acquisition career field. Career field certification requirements are contained in the current edition of the Defense Acquisition University catalog.

c. Requirements. See prerequisites.

d. Duties. The acquisition professional candidate participates as an associate project officer primarily assigned to provide expertise to acquisition management officers in highly technical functional areas that pertain to the acquisition of equipment and weapon systems. The responsibilities may range from providing assistance in the areas of project initiation, systems development, systems engineering, test and evaluation management, integrated logistics support management, systems manpower and training requirements, life-cycle system support management, etc., to the management of project technical data and documentation.