1.5. Commanders, directors, and managers.

- (1) Plan and execute a unit activity environmental program, based on AR 200-1, 32 CFR Part 651(AR 200-2, dated March 2002), AR 200-3, AR 200-4, and this regulation to achieve the Army's environmental objectives.
- (2) Integrate environmental management principles, environmental protection activities and programs, to the fullest extent possible, into the planning and execution of the command basic mission.
- (3) Report, as required, to higher commanders on the progress and effectiveness of environmental projects and activities aimed to detect, quantify, and mitigate pollution sources according to public laws.
- (4) Coordinate with the DPW Environmental Division to ensure compliance with this regulation. Table D-1 lists telephone numbers.
- (5) Appoint, under orders, an Environmental Compliance Officer (ECO) and as many assistants as necessary to administer an effective environmental program in their organization. The ECO reports directly to the commander, director, or manager and will be a Staff Sergeant (SSG) or above, or equivalent. Direct waivers to this requirement to the Chief, DPW Environmental Division. The ECO must complete the ECO course within 60 days of appointment orders and an annual refresher course. Note: See Appendix C, Training Matrix, for additional ECO guidance.
- (6) Conduct monthly spill prevention briefings and quarterly environmental awareness training. Document training by recording training topic(s), and attendee roster that includes:
 - (a) Date.
 - (b) Printed Name.
 - (c) Rank.
 - (d) Signature of all in attendance.
- (7) Maintain reference publications on environmental technical information.
- (8) Publicize policies and procedures to assure an efficient environmental management program.