

**OFFICER PERFORMANCE REPORT (Lt thru Col)**

**I. RATEE IDENTIFICATION DATA** (Read AFI 36-2406 carefully before filling in any item)

1. NAME (Last, First, Middle initial) JOHNS, DARRIN K.	2. SSN (b) (6)	3. GRADE Maj	4. DAFSC 51J4	5. REASON FOR REPORT Annual	6. PAS CODE BP2EF61L
7. ORGANIZATION, COMMAND, LOCATION, AND COMPONENT APPELLATE DEFENSE DIVISION AF LEGAL OPERATIONS AGENCY (LOA) BOLLING AFB DC (AD)			8. PERIOD OF REPORT 28 Apr 2009 THRU 27 Apr 2010		9. NO. DAYS SUPV. 278

**II. JOB DESCRIPTION** (Limit text to 4 lines)

DUTY TITLE APPELLATE DEFENSE COUNSEL	10. SRID JA102
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- Zealously represents appellants before AFCCA, CAAF and USSC, ensuring integrity of the military justice system
- Presents appellate briefs and oral arguments before the appellate courts, ensuring appellants' rights are safeguarded
- Prepares/reviews motions to the appellate courts, such as requests for extraordinary relief and writs of mandamus
- Mentors and assists trial-level defense counsel concerning motion practice and preservation of issues for appeal

**III. PERFORMANCE FACTORS**

Job Knowledge, Leadership Skills, Professional Qualities, Organizational Skills, Judgment and Decisions, Communication Skills, and Physical Fitness (see reverse if marked Does Not Meet Standards)	DOES NOT MEET STANDARDS	MEETS STANDARDS	FITNESS EXEMPTION
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**IV. RATER OVERALL ASSESSMENT** (Limit text to 6 lines)

- MAJCOM SJA's #1 pick to prep wg office for 3-star visit when SJA left on emergency leave--unit aced inspection!
- Persuasive/articulate--first case as appellate counsel, argued issue of constitutional magnitude; compelling advocate
- Eagle-eyed expert; identified critical legal error by defense counsel--19-year E-6 on track to keep full retirement
- Expert litigator; briefed cutting edge Confrontation Clause issue to CAAF; judges convinced, agreed to decide case
- Designed/developed comprehensive pandemic response plan; Division will remain mission ready in event of crisis
- Top 5% of 100+ FGO JAG's I've worked with during 24 years in AF--send to IDE then off to be a large base SJA!

Last performance feedback was accomplished on: 4 Aug 2009 (IAW AFI 36-2406) (If not accomplished, state the reason)

NAME, GRADE, BR OF SVC, ORGN, COMMAND & LOCATION (b) (6) Colonel, USAF Air Force Legal Operations Agency (LOA) Bolling AFB, DC	DUTY TITLE Chief, Appellate Defense Division	DATE 10 May 2010
	SSN (b) (6)	SIGNATURE (b) (6)

**V. ADDITIONAL RATER OVERALL ASSESSMENT** (Limit text to 4 lines)  CONCUR  NON-CONCUR

- Total package! Sage counsel, great ofcr; TJAG's #1 choice to run new O-6 orientation program for KEYSTONE '10
- Key member of Air Force CM-ECF eval team--leading charge to implement state-of-the-art electronic filing system
- Provided stellar advice to MAJCOM CC after federal law suit filed against him--4-star CC's interest fully protected
- #7 of 43 JAJ O-4s; Darrin sets the "gold standard" as a JAG and officer; an absolute must for IDE then big SJA job!

NAME, GRADE, BR OF SVC, ORGN, COMMAND & LOCATION (b) (6) Colonel, USAF Air Force Legal Operations Agency (LOA) Bolling AFB, DC	DUTY TITLE Director, USAF Judiciary	DATE 10 May 2010
	SSN (b) (6)	SIGNATURE (b) (6)

**VI. REVIEWER** (If required, limit text to 4 lines)  CONCUR  NON-CONCUR

NAME, GRADE, BR OF SVC, ORGN, COMMAND & LOCATION (b) (6) Brigadier General, USAF Air Force Legal Operations Agency (LOA) Bolling AFB, DC	DUTY TITLE Commander	DATE 11 May 2010
	SSN (b) (6)	SIGNATURE (b) (6)

**VII. FUNCTIONAL EXAMINER/AIR FORCE ADVISOR** (Indicate applicable review by marking the appropriate box)  FUNCTIONAL EXAMINER  AIR FORCE ADVISOR

NAME, GRADE, BR OF SVC, ORGN, COMMAND & LOCATION	DUTY TITLE	DATE
	SSN	SIGNATURE

**VIII. RATEE'S ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

I understand my signature does not constitute agreement or disagreement. I acknowledge all required feedback was accomplished during the reporting period and upon receipt of this report.	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	SIGNATURE JOHNS, DARRIN, K. (b) (6)	DATE 12 May 2010
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<b>RATEE NAME:</b> JOHNS, DARRIN K.		
<b>IX. PERFORMANCE FACTORS</b> (If Section III is marked Does Not Meet Standards, fill in applicable block(s))		<b>DOES NOT MEET STANDARDS</b>
<b>1. Job Knowledge.</b> Has knowledge required to perform duties effectively. Strives to improve knowledge. Applies knowledge to handle non-routine situations.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>2. Leadership Skills.</b> Sets and enforces standards. Works well with others. Fosters teamwork. Displays initiative. Self-confident. Motivates subordinates. Has respect and confidence of subordinates. Fair and consistent in evaluation of subordinates.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>3. Professional Qualities.</b> Exhibits loyalty, discipline, dedication, integrity, honesty, and officership. Adheres to Air Force standards. Accepts personal responsibility. Is fair and objective.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>4. Organizational Skills.</b> Plans, coordinates, schedules and uses resources effectively. Meets suspenses. Schedules work for self and others equitably and effectively. Anticipates and solves problems.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>5. Judgment and Decisions.</b> Makes timely and accurate decisions. Emphasizes logic in decision making. Retains composure in stressful situations. Recognizes opportunities. Adheres to safety and occupational health requirements. Acts to take advantage of opportunities.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>6. Communication Skills.</b> Listens, speaks, and writes effectively.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>7. Physical Fitness.</b> Maintains Air Force physical fitness standards.		<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>X. REMARKS</b> (use this section to spell out acronyms from the front)		
Air Force (AF); Air Force Court of Criminal Appeals (AFCCA); Commander (CC); Court of Appeals of the Armed Forces (CAAF); Court-Martial & Electronic Court Filing System (CM-ECF); Evaluation (eval); Field Grade Officer (FGO); Judge Advocate (JAG); Air Force Judiciary (JAJ); Major Command (MAJCOM); Officer (ofcr); Prepare (prep); Staff Judge Advocate (SJA); The Judge Advocate General (TJAG); United States Supreme Court (USSC); Wing (wg); Years (yrs)		
<b>XI. REFERRAL REPORT</b> (Complete only if report contains referral comments or the overall standards block is marked as does not meet standards)		
I am referring this OPR to you according to AFI 36-2406, para 3.9. It contains comment(s)/rating(s) that make(s) the report a referral as defined in AFI 36-2406, para. 3.9. Specifically, _____		
Acknowledge receipt by signing and dating below. Your signature merely acknowledges that a referral report has been rendered; it does not imply acceptance of or agreement with the ratings or comments on the report. Once signed, you are entitled to a copy of this memo. You may submit rebuttal comments. Send your written comments to: _____		
not later than 10 calendar days (30 for non-EAD members) from your date below. If you need additional time, you may request an extension from the individual named above. You may submit attachments (limit to 10 pages), but they must directly relate to the reason this report was referred. Pertinent attachments not maintained elsewhere will remain attached to the report for file in your personnel record. Copies of previous reports, etc. submitted as attachments will be removed from your rebuttal package prior to filing since these documents are already filed in your records. Your rebuttal comments/attachments may not contain any reflection on the character, conduct, integrity, or motives of the evaluator unless you can fully substantiate and document them. Contact the MPF career enhancement section, or the AF Contact Center if you require any assistance in preparing your reply to the referral report. It is important for you to be aware that receiving a referral report may affect your eligibility for other personnel related actions (e.g. assignments, promotions, etc.). You may consult your commander and/or MPF or Air Force Contact Center if you desire more information on this subject. If you believe this report is inaccurate, unjust, or unfairly prejudicial to your career, you may apply for a review of the report under AFI 36-2401, Correction of Officer and Enlisted Evaluation Reports, once the report becomes a matter of record as defined in AFI 36-2406, Attachment 1.		
NAME, GRADE, BR OF SVC OF REFERRING EVALUATOR	DUTY TITLE	DATE
	SIGNATURE	
SIGNATURE OF RATEE		DATE
<b>INSTRUCTIONS</b>		
<b>ALL:</b> Recommendations must be based on performance and the potential based on that performance. Promotion recommendations are prohibited. Do not comment on completion of or enrollment in Developmental Education, advanced education, previous or anticipated promotion recommendations on AF Form 709, OPR endorsement levels, family activities, marital status, race, sex, ethnic origin, age, or religion. Evaluators enter only the last four numbers of SSN.		
<b>RATER:</b> Focus your evaluation in Section IV on what the officer did, how well he or she did it, and how the officer contributed to mission accomplishment. Write in concise "bullet" format. Your comments in Section IV may include recommendations for assignment. Provide a copy of the report to the ratee prior to the report becoming a matter of record and provide follow-up feedback to let the ratee know how their performance resulted in this final product.		
<b>ADDITIONAL RATER:</b> Carefully review the rater's evaluation to ensure it is accurate, unbiased and uninflated. If you disagree, you may ask the rater to review his or her evaluation. You may not direct a change in the evaluation. If you still disagree with the rater, mark "NON-CONCUR" and explain. You may include recommendations for assignment.		
<b>REVIEWER:</b> Carefully review the rater's and additional rater's ratings and comments. If their evaluations are accurate, unbiased and uninflated, mark "CONCUR" and sign the form. If you disagree with previous evaluators, you may ask them to review their evaluations. You may not direct them to change their appraisals. If you still disagree with the additional rater, mark "NON-CONCUR" and explain in Section VI. Do not use "NON-CONCUR" simply to provide comments on the report.		
<b>RATEE:</b> Your signature is merely an acknowledgement of receipt of this report. It does not constitute concurrence. If you disagree with the content, you may file an evaluation appeal through the Evaluation Reports Appeals Board IAW AFI 36-2401 (Correcting Officer and Enlisted Evaluation Reports), or through the Air Force Board for Correction of Military Records IAW AFI 36-2603 (Air Force Board for Correction of Military Records) and AFPAM 36-2607 (Applicants' Guide to the Air Force Board for Correction of Military Records (AFBCMR)).		
<b>PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT</b>		
AUTHORITY: Title 10 United States Code, Section 8013 and Executive Order 9397, 22 November 1943.		
PURPOSE: Information is needed for verification of the individual's name and Social Security Number (SSN) as captured on the form at the time of rating.		
ROUTINE USES: May specifically be disclosed outside the DoD as a routine use pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(b)(3).		
DISCLOSURE: Disclosure is mandatory; SSN is used for positive identification.		