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The National Defense Transportation Association is a non-profit, non-political educational association committed to fostering partnerships between government, military and industry, and maintaining a strong and efficient global transportation, travel and distribution system in support of national security. There are over 9000 members in the association, comprised of both individual and corporate members. There are 60 plus chapters in the United States and overseas in Europe and the Pacific. The national headquarters office is located in Alexandria, VA.



## Jeffery Pundt, of Landstar System Inc., Becomes NDTA Surface Transportation Committee Chair

*The voice of Defense Transportation*

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Mr. Jeffery Pundt

The National Defense Transportation Association (NDTA) is pleased to announce that Mr. Jeffery Pundt, VP Corporate Business Development with Landstar System, Inc. has been named Chair for the Surface Transportation Committee. Individuals who will assume the role of sub-committee Chair have also been released:

Mr. Joe Donald, Baggett Transportation  
 Chairman - Munitions Sub-Committee  
 Mr. Jon Meyer, CSX Transportation  
 Chairman - Best Practices Sub-Committee  
 Mr. Charles Tillotson, The Ports America Group  
 Chairman - Seaports Sub-Committee

NDTA supports a total of six Functional Committees: Sealift, Surface Transportation, Military Airlift, Passenger Travel Services, Military Distribution and Security Best Practices. They are led by industry representatives, and membership includes corporate executives and senior government liaisons from the US Transportation Command (TRANSCOM), Command components and other government agencies as appropriate. All participants bring a distinguished level of expertise and experience.

The Committee structure, unique to NDTA, provides the Department of Defense (DOD) with a "window" into industry practices and processes; likewise, industry can voice concerns and comments when it comes to logistics, transportation and distribution. In working together, these diverse sectors can reach solutions and alternatives to major challenges that our Nation faces.

"I look forward to working with the "Surface Team" as we continue to look for synergies, best value, best practices and relationship building between the various industry members and our government counterparts," said Pundt in recognition of his new title. He added, "In today's environment, it is more important than ever that we understand both the needs of the customer and the value of transport services provided. I extend my personal thanks to Tom Swartz of UPS Freight and Al Speight of the Port of Corpus Christi for their past contributions to the Committee."

All NDTA members are encouraged to support its Functional Committees, and to work together to educate and communicate with each other and with TRANSCOM to ensure that our War-fighters have what they need when they need it.