



The Defence Logistics Organisation (DLO), a key element of the UK Ministry of Defence, is responsible for supporting the armed forces throughout the various stages of an operation or exercise; from training, deployment, in-theatre training and conduct of operations, through to recovery and recuperation ready for redeployment.

Led by the Chief of Defence Logistics, currently a Four Star Army General, the DLO maintains and upgrades military equipment and coordinates its storage and distribution.

It has an annual spend of almost £9 billion, representing over 20 per cent of the defence budget. The DLO employs around 20,000 staff at 80 locations throughout the UK and overseas, and has its headquarters in Bath, England.

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